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(I.) POPULATION.

No. 1.—*Estimate of the Population of the Colony on the 31st December, 1898.*

Particulars.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
							No.	No.	No.
Estimated Population on 31st December, 1897 (exclusive of Aboriginals) ...							110,359	51,565	161,924
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			
BIRTHS AND DEATHS.									
Births registered during 1898	2,574	2,394	4,968						
Deaths „ „ „ ...	1,793	923	2,716						
Increase by excess of Births over Deaths				781	1,471	2,252			
IMMIGRATION & EMIGRATION.									
Arrivals by Sea during 1898 ...	22,683	10,026	32,709						
Departures „ „ „ ...	21,769	6,987	28,756						
Increase by excess of Arrivals over Departures				914	3,039	3,953			
Net increase of Population during 1898							1,695	4,510	6,205
ESTIMATED TOTAL POPULATION ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898							**112,054**	**56,075**	**168,129**
Increase per cent. during the year 1898							1·54°/o	8·75°/o	3·83°/o

No. 2.—*Estimated Mean Population for the Year ended 31st December, 1898.*

(The mean Population for the year is obtained by dividing the total of the quarterly means by four; each quarterly mean being arrived at by adding together the number of the Population at the beginning and at the end of the quarter and dividing the sum so obtained by two.)

Males.	Females.	Total.
No. 114,637	No. 54,634	No. 169,271

No. 3.—*Increase of the Population of the Colony during each of the four Quarters of 1898.*

Particulars.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Number of Females to 100 Males.
Estimated population on 31st December, 1897	110,359	51,565	161,924	46·72
Net numerical increase during March quarter, from excess of Births over Deaths	66	295	361	
Net numerical increase during March quarter, from excess of Arrivals over Departures	45·07	1,556	6,063	
Increase per cent. during March quarter	4·14°/o	3·59°/o	3·97°/o	
Estimated population on 31st March, 1898	114,932	53,416	168,348	46·48
Net numerical increase during June quarter, from excess of Births over Deaths	95	274	369	
Net numerical increase during June quarter, from excess of Arrivals over Departures	965	1,289	2,254	
Increase per cent. during June quarter	0·92°/o	2·93°/o	1·56°/o	
Estimated population on 30th June, 1898	115,992	54,979	170,971	47·40
Net numerical increase during September quarter, from excess of Births over Deaths	355	484	839	
Net numerical increase during September quarter, from excess of Arrivals over Departures	71	858	929	
Increase per cent. during September quarter	0·37°/o	2·44°/o	1·03°/o	
Estimated population on 30th September, 1898	116,418	56,321	172,739	48·38
Net numerical increase during December quarter, from excess of Births over Deaths	265	418	683	
Net numerical decrease during December quarter, from excess of Departures over Arrivals	4,629	664	5,293	
Decrease per cent. during December quarter	3·75°/o	0·44°/o	2·67°/o	
ESTIMATED POPULATION ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898	**112,054**	**56,075**	**168,129**	50·04
Increase per cent. during the year 1898	1·54°/o	8·75°/o	3·83°/o	

No. 4.—*Population of the Colony of Western Australia since 1830.*

Year.	* Estimated Population on the 31st December in each year.			Increase or Decrease on preceding Estimate.				Number of Females to 100 Males.
				Numerical		Per cent.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	
1830	†	†	1,767					
1831	...	...	†					
1832	...	...	†					
1833	...	...	†					
1834	†	†	1,800					
1835	...	...	†					
1836	...	...	†					
1837	1,249	776	2,025	...	...	...	...	62·13
1838	1,152	776	1,928	...	97	...	4·79	67·36
1839	1,302	852	2,154	226	...	11·72	...	65·44
1840	1,434	877	2,311	157	...	7·29	...	61·16
1841	1,706	1,054	2,760	449	...	19·43	...	61·78
1842	2,115	1,361	3,476	716	...	25·94	...	64·35
1843	2,304	1,549	3,853	377	...	10·85	...	67·23
1844	2,622	1,728	4,350	497	...	12·90	...	65·90
1845	2,689	1,790	4,479	129	...	2·97	...	66·57
1846	2,732	1,815	4,547	68	...	1·52	...	66·43
1847	2,821	1,896	4,717	170	...	3·74	...	67·21
1848	2,818	1,804	4,622	...	95	...	2·01	64·02
1849	3,197	2,057	5,254	632	...	13·67	...	64·36
1850	3,576	2,310	5,886	632	...	12·03	...	64·60
1851	4,633	2,553	7,186	1,300	...	22·09	...	55·10
1852	5,645	3,066	8,711	1,525	...	21·22	...	54·31
1853	5,727	3,607	9,334	623	...	7·15	...	62·98
1854	7,778	3,965	11,743	2,409	...	25·81	...	50·98
1855	8,311	4,294	12,605	862	...	7·34	...	51·67
1856	8,751	4,407	13,158	553	...	4·39	...	50·36
1857	8,833	4,535	13,368	210	...	1·60	...	51·34
1858	9,735	4,808	14,543	1,175	...	8·79	...	49·39
1859	9,522	5,315	14,837	294	...	2·02	...	55·82
1860	9,529	5,698	15,227	390	...	2·63	...	59·80
1861	9,852	5,839	15,691	464	...	3·05	...	59·27
1862	10,962	6,284	17.246	1,555	...	9·91	...	57·33
1863	12,005	6,775	18,780	1,534	...	8·89	...	56·43
1864	12,461	7,010	19,471	691	...	3·68	...	56·26
1865	13,005	7,255	20,260	789	...	4·05	...	55·79
1866	13,584	7,481	21,065	805	...	3·97	...	55·07
1867	13,934	7,779	21,713	648	...	3·08	...	55·83
1868	14,539	8,194	22,733	1,020	...	4·70	...	56·36
1869	14,415	8,500	22,915	182	...	0·80	...	58·97
1870	15,474	9,610	25,084	2,169	...	9·47	...	62·10
1871	15,565	9,788	25,353	269	...	1·07	...	62·88
1872	15,680	10,044	25,724	371	...	1·46	...	64·06
1873	15,569	10,192	25,761	37	...	0·14	...	65·46
1874	15,722	10,487	26,209	448	...	1·74	...	66·70
1875	15,910	10,799	26,709	500	...	1·91	...	67·88
1876	16,166	11,155	27,321	612	...	2·29	...	69·00
1877	16,326	11,512	27,838	517	...	1·89	...	70.51
1878	16,409	11,757	28,166	328	...	1·18	...	71·65
1879	16,628	12,040	28,668	502	...	1·78	...	72·41
1880	16,559	12,460	29,019	351	...	1·22	...	75·25
1881	17,216	12,797	30,013	994	...	3·43	...	74·33
1882	17,551	13,215	30,766	753	...	2·51	...	75·29
1883	18,005	13,695	31,700	934	...	3·04	...	76·06
1884	18,623	14,335	32,958	1,258	...	3·97	...	76·97
1885	19,989	15,197	35,186	2,228	...	6·76	...	76·03
1886	23,044	16,540	39,584	4,398	...	12·50	...	71·78
1887	24,807	17,681	42,488	2,904	...	7·34	...	71·27
1888	24,275	17,862	42,137	...	351	...	0·83	73·58

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* Previously to 1855 the yearly estimates of the population were made at varying dates, generally during the month of September. † Information not available.

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No. 4.—*Population of the Colony of Western Australia since 1830*—continued.

Year.	Estimated Population on the 31st December in each year.			Increase or Decrease on preceding Estimate.				Number of Females to 100 Males.
				Numerical		Per cent.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	
1889	25,066	18,632	43,698	1,561	...	3·70	...	74·33
1890	26,794	19,496	46,290	2,592	...	5·93	...	72·76
1891	32,228	21,057	53,285	*6,995	...	15·11	...	65·34
1892	36,095	22,579	58,674	5,389	...	10·11	...	62·55
1893	41,014	24,050	65,064	6,390	...	10·89	...	58·64
1894	55,072	27,000	82,072	17,008	...	26·14	...	49·03
1895	69,727	31,508	101,235	19,163	...	23·35	...	45·19
1896	96,952	40,994	137,946	36,711	...	36·26	...	42·28
1897	110,359	51,565	161,924	23,978	...	17·38	...	46·72
1898	112,054	56,075	168,129	6,205	...	3·83	...	50·04

* 2,393 persons added on account of under-estimate revealed by Census.

No. 5.—*Population of Western Australia at the taking of the latest Census, on the 5th of April, 1891, showing Distribution in Magisterial Districts.*

Name of Magisterial District.	Numerical Distribution.			Centesimal ratio of Distribution.			Number of Females to 100 Males.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	%	%	%	
Blackwood	394	258	652	1·32	1·29	1·31	65·48
Fremantle	3,877	3,200	7,077	13·01	16·02	14·21	82·54
Gascoyne	1,089	216	1,305	3·65	1·08	2·62	19·83
Kimberley, East	51	16	67	0·17	0·08	0·13	31·37
„ West	256	43	299	0·86	0·22	0·60	16·80
„ „ (Pearling Fleet) ...	738	5	743	2·47	0·03	1·50	0·68
„ Goldfields	162	18	180	0·54	0·09	0·36	11·11
Murray	620	491	1,111	2·08	2·46	2·23	79·19
North	2,136	286	2,422	7·17	1·43	4·87	13·39
Perth	4,978	4,639	9,617	16·70	23·22	19·32	93·19
Plantagenet	2,455	1,708	4,163	8·24	8·55	8·36	69·57
Sussex	736	626	1,362	2·47	3·13	2·74	85·05
Swan	2,003	1,430	3,433	6·72	7·16	6·90	71·39
Toodyay	2,149	1,567	2,716	7·21	7·84	7·46	72·92
Victoria	3,244	2,063	5,307	10·88	10·33	10·66	63·59
Wellington	1,176	1,062	2,238	3·95	5·32	4·50	90·31
Williams	1,323	797	2,120	4·44	3·99	4·26	60·24
Yilgarn	318	62	380	1·07	0·31	0·76	19·50
York	2,102	1,488	3,590	7·05	7·45	7·21	70·79
Total Population of Colony...	29,807	19,975	49,782	100·00	100·00	100·00	67·01

No. 6.—*Ages of the Population, as recorded on the Schedules of the Census of 1891, showing percentage of Population in each Age Group, and the Number of Females to 100 Males.*

Age-groups.	Population.			Percentage of Population in each Age Group.			No. of Females to 100 Males.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	%	%	%	
Infants … … (under 1 year)	759	743	1,502	2·54	3·72	3·02	97·89
Children … … (1 to 4)	2,054	2,055	4,109	6·89	10·28	8·25	100·05
Boys and Girls … (4 to 16)	6,224	6,006	12,230	20·88	30·07	24·57	96·50
Youths and Maidens (16 to 21)	2,420	2,107	4,527	8·12	10·55	9·09	87·07
Young Men and Women (21 to 30)	6,494	3,569	10,063	21·79	17·87	20·22	54·96
Middle-aged Men and Women… … (30 to 50)	7,499	3,791	11,290	25·16	18·98	22·68	50·55
Old Men and Women (over 50)	4,202	1,664	5,866	14·10	8·33	11·78	39·60
Unspecified … … …	155	40	195	0·52	0·20	0·39	25·27
Total … … …	29,807	19,975	49,782	100·00	100·00	100·00	67·01

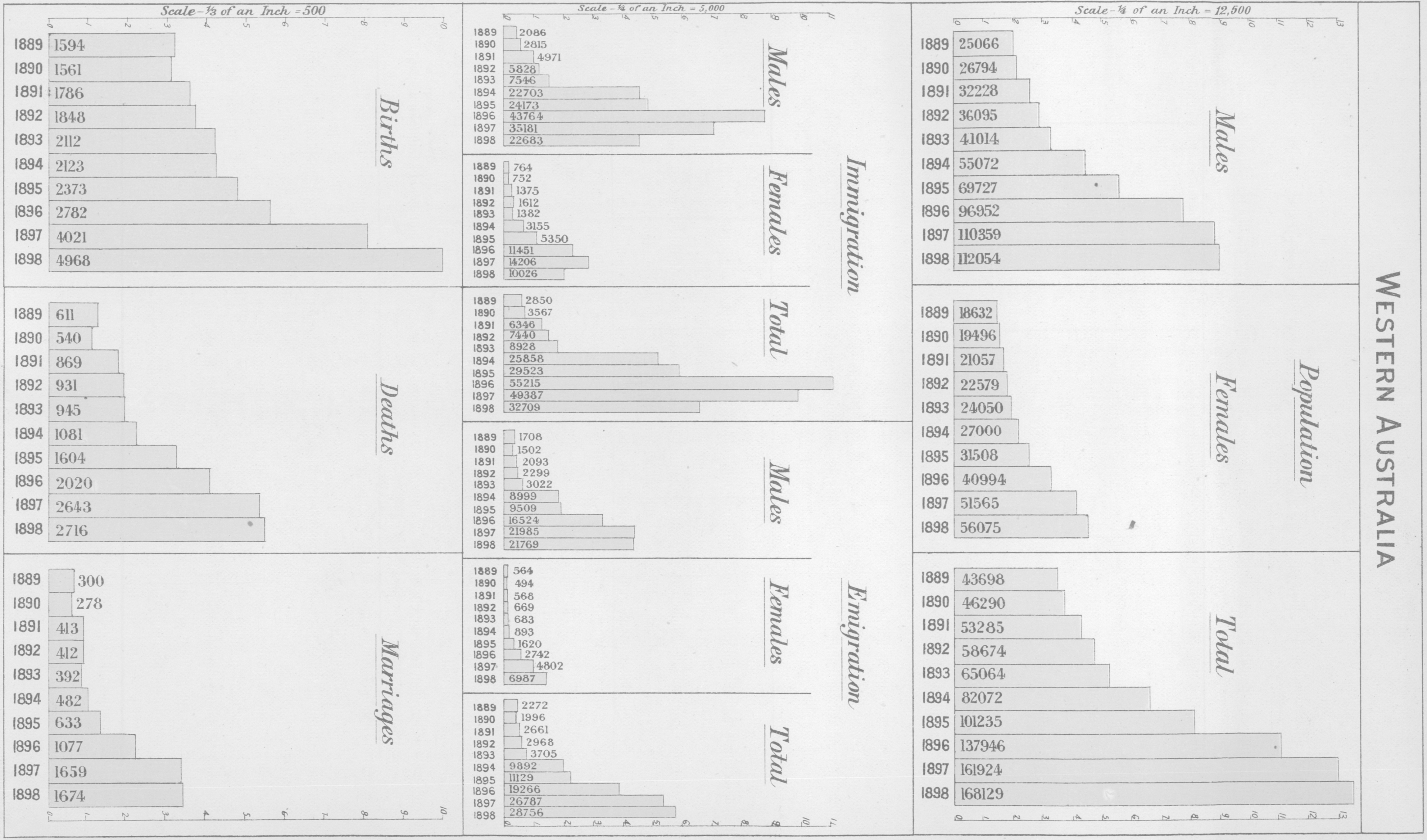
No. 7.—*Population of Western Australia at the date of each Census taken since the foundation of the Colony.*

Census taken.	Population.			On previous Census.		No. of Females to 100 Males.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical increase.	Increase per cent.	
1848 (October 10th) …	2,818	1,804	4,622	…	…	64·02
1854 (September 30th)	7,779	3,964	11,743	7,121	154·07	50·96
1959 (December 31st)	9,522	5,315	14,837	3,094	26·35	55·81
1870 (March 31st) …	15,375	9,410	24,785	9,948	67·05	61·20
1881 (April 3rd) …	17,062	12,646	29,708	4,923	19·86	74·12
1891 (April 5th) …	29,807	19,975	49,782	20,074	67·57	67·01

No. 8.—*Estimated Mean Population of Western Australia, for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

[The mean Population for the year is obtained by dividing the total of the quarterly means by four; each quarterly mean being arrived at by adding together the number of the Population at the beginning and at the end of the quarter and dividing the sum so obtained by two.]

Year.	Mean Population.			No. of Females to 100 Males.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1889 …	24,673	18,184	42,857	73·70
1890 …	25,801	18,991	44,792	73·61
1891 …	29,841	20,289	50,130	67·99
1892 …	34,157	21,699	55,856	63·53
1893 …	38,411	23,299	61,710	60·66
1894 …	49,788	25,306	75,094	50·83
1895 …	61,253	28,968	90,221	47·29
1896 …	86,797	36,012	122,809	41·49
1897 …	108,735	47,014	155,749	43·24
1898 …	114,637	54,634	169,271	47·66



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PART I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 9.—*Estimate of the Number of Chinese residing in the Colony on the 31st December, 1898.*

Particulars.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
							No.	No.	No.
Estimated Number of Chinese residing in the Colony of Western Australia on the 31st December, 1897							1,916	21	1,937
BIRTHS AND DEATHS.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			
Births registered during 1898 ...	...	...	...						
Deaths „ „ „ ...	17	...	17						
Decrease in 1898 by excess of Deaths over Births ...				17	...	17			
IMMIGRATION AND EMIGRATION.									
Arrivals by sea during 1898 ...	82	1	83						
Departures „ „ ...	114	13	127						
Decrease in 1898 by excess of Departures over Arrivals ...				32	12	44			
Net Decrease of the Number of Chinese during 1898							49	12	61
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CHINESE RESIDING IN THE COLONY ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1898							**1,867**	**9**	**1,876**
Decrease per cent. during the year 1898							2·56 %	57·14 %	3·15 %
Percentage of Chinese to Total Population							1·67 %	0·02 %	1·12 %

No. 10.—*Estimate of the Number of Chinese residing in the Colony at the end of each Year from the Census of the 5th of April, 1891.*

Date.	Estimated Number of Chinese.			Increase or Decrease on preceding Estimate.				Number of Females to 100 Males.
				Numerical.		Per cent.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	
5th April, 1891 (Census) ...	912	5	917	...	...	...	...	0·55
31st December, 1891	1,090	5	1,095	178	...	19·41	...	0·46
31st December, 1892	1,283	7	1,290	195	...	17·81	...	0·55
31st December, 1893	1,362	7	1,369	79	...	6·12	...	0·51
31st December, 1894	1,313	7	1,320	...	49	...	3·58	0·53
31st December, 1895	1,321	10	1,331	11	...	0·83	...	0·76
31st December, 1896	1,540	13	1,553	222	...	16·68	...	0·84
31st December, 1897	1,916	21	1,937	384	...	24·73	...	1·10
31st December, 1898	1,867	9	1,876	...	61	...	3·15	0·48

No. 11.—*Immigration and Emigration.—Number of Arrivals in and Departures from all the Ports of the Colony for each Month of the Years 1897 and 1898; distinguishing between Adults and Children and Males and Females, and showing Excess of Arrivals over Departures, and Percentages of Adults and Children (Males and Females) to Grand Totals.*

MONTH.	IMMIGRATION.							EMIGRATION.							EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION.						
	ADULTS (12 YEARS AND UPWARDS).		CHILDREN UNDER 12 YEARS.		GRAND TOTAL.			ADULTS (12 YEARS AND UPWARDS).		CHILDREN UNDER 12 YEARS.		GRAND TOTAL.			ADULTS (12 YEARS AND UPWARDS).		CHILDREN UNDER 12 YEARS.		GRAND TOTAL.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1897.																					
January ...	5,326	871	304	203	5,630	1,074	6,704	1,270	336	89	36	1,359	372	1,731	4,056	535	215	167	4,271	702	4,973
February ...	6,171	1,194	514	271	6,685	1,465	8,150	1,723	285	77	41	1,800	326	2,126	4,448	909	437	230	4,885	1,139	6,024
March ...	3,940	1,378	368	298	4,308	1,676	5,984	1,866	301	98	42	1,964	343	2,307	2,074	1,077	270	256	2,344	1,333	3,677
April ...	2,251	1,112	443	328	2,694	1,440	4,134	1,539	303	67	33	1,606	336	1,942	712	809	376	295	1,088	1,104	2,192
May ...	2,148	1,018	325	268	2,473	1,286	3,759	1,721	309	72	139	1,793	448	2,241	427	709	253	129	680	838	1,518
June ...	1,625	844	242	191	1,867	1,035	2,902	1,437	244	66	36	1,503	280	1,783	188	600	176	155	364	755	1,119
July ...	2,067	868	295	270	2,362	1,138	3,500	1,550	158	49	50	1,599	208	1,807	517	710	246	220	763	930	1,693
August ...	1,621	763	255	192	1,876	955	2,831	1,512	276	58	49	1,570	325	1,895	109	487	197	143	306	630	936
September	1,586	902	286	191	1,872	1,093	2,965	1,151	333	80	62	1,231	395	1,626	435	569	206	129	641	698	1,339
October ...	1,488	803	316	239	1,804	1,042	2,846	1,498	403	83	65	1,581	468	2,049	*10	400	233	174	223	574	797
November	1,464	730	303	216	1,767	946	2,713	2,646	519	144	116	2,790	635	3,425	*1,182	211	159	100	*1,023	311	*712
December...	1,517	792	326	264	1,843	1,056	2,899	3,096	578	93	88	3,189	666	3,855	*1,579	214	233	176	*1,346	390	*956
Total ...	31,204	11,275	3,977	2,931	35,181	14,206	49,387	21,009	4,045	976	757	21,985	4,802	26,787	10,195	7,230	3,001	2,174	13,196	9,404	22,600
Percentages to Grand Totals	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
	63·18	22·83	8·05	5·94	71·23	28·77	100·00	78·43	15·10	3·64	2·83	82·07	17·93	100·00	45·11	31·99	13·28	9·62	58·39	41·61	100·00
1898.																					
January ...	3,537	989	210	270	3,747	1,259	5,006	1,389	273	137	103	1,526	376	1,902	2,148	716	73	167	2,221	883	3,104
February ...	2,891	255	262	210	3,153	465	3,618	1,454	418	117	81	1,571	499	2,070	1,437	*163	145	129	1,582	*34	1,548
March ...	2,584	1,147	355	295	2,939	1,442	4,381	2,043	592	192	143	2,235	735	2,970	541	555	163	152	704	707	1,411
April ...	2,114	1,185	337	274	2,451	1,459	3,910	1,851	540	142	88	1,993	628	2,621	263	645	195	186	458	831	1,289
May ...	1,947	155	282	203	2,229	358	2,587	1,539	416	82	62	1,621	478	2,099	408	*261	200	141	608	*120	488
June ...	1,333	795	249	199	1,582	994	2,576	1,588	326	95	90	1,683	416	2,099	*255	469	154	109	*101	578	477
July ...	1,398	970	198	141	1,596	1,111	2,707	714	345	80	74	794	419	1,213	684	625	118	67	802	692	1,494
August ...	1,176	569	176	128	1,352	697	2,049	1,040	443	107	57	1,147	500	1,647	136	126	69	71	205	197	402
September	781	493	125	125	906	618	1,524	1,726	529	116	120	1,842	649	2,491	*945	*36	9	5	*936	*31	*967
October ...	810	512	156	72	966	584	1,550	1,935	623	133	118	2,068	741	2,809	*1,125	*111	23	*46	*1,102	*157	*1,259
November	724	308	118	111	842	419	1,261	1,736	538	121	90	1,857	628	2,485	*1,012	*230	*3	21	*1,015	*209	*1,224
December...	790	518	130	102	920	620	1,540	3,272	774	160	144	3,432	918	4,350	*2,482	*256	*30	*42	*2,512	*298	*2,810
Total ...	20,085	7,896	2,598	2,130	22,683	10,026	32,709	20,287	5,817	1,482	1,170	21,769	6,987	28,756	*202	2,079	1,116	960	914	3,039	3,953
Percentages to. Grand Totals	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
	61·41	24·14	7·94	6·51	69·35	30·65	100·00	70·55	20·23	5·15	4·07	75·70	24·30	100·00	*5·11	52·59	28·23	24·29	23·12	76·88	100·00

*Excess of Emigration over Immigration.

No. 12.—*Immigration.—Number of Arrivals in all Ports of Western Australia for each Quarter of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

YEAR.	NUMBER OF ARRIVALS RECORDED IN THE QUARTER ENDED ON THE LAST DAY OF												Number of Arrivals recorded during Year.		
	March.			June.			September.			December.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889 ...	515	145	660	406	138	544	715	249	964	450	232	682	2,086	764	2,850
1890 ...	426	135	561	823	190	1,013	511	164	675	1,055	263	1,318	2,815	752	3,567
1891 ...	1,233	310	1,543	1,229	409	1,638	1,085	278	1,363	1,424	378	1,802	4,971	1,375	6,346
1892 ...	1,445	330	1,775	1,587	424	2,011	1,488	383	1,871	1,308	475	1,783	5,828	1,612	7,440
1893 ...	1,468	378	1,846	1,541	270	1,811	2,970	401	3,371	1,567	333	1,900	7,546	1,382	8,928
1894 ...	6,429	523	6,952	6,659	752	7,411	4,513	794	5,307	5,102	1,086	6,188	22,703	3,155	25,858
1895 ...	4,671	1,008	5,679	5,180	1,339	6,519	5,337	1,088	6,425	8,985	1,915	10,900	24,173	5,350	29,523
1896 ...	16,059	2,657	18,716	6,400	2,637	9,037	9,872	2,728	12,600	11,433	3,429	14,862	43,764	11,451	55,215
1897 ...	16,623	4,215	20,838	7,034	3,761	10,795	6,110	3,186	9,296	5,414	3,044	8,458	35,181	14,206	49,387
1898 ...	9,839	3,166	13,005	6,262	2,811	9,073	3,854	2,426	6,280	2,728	1,623	4,351	22,683	10,026	32,709

No. 13.—*Emigration.—Number of Departures from all the Ports of Western Australia for each Quarter of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

YEAR.	NUMBER OF DEPARTURES RECORDED IN THE QUARTER ENDED ON THE LAST DAY OF												Number of Departures recorded during Year.		
	March.			June.			September.			December.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889 ...	454	166	620	292	129	421	534	132	666	428	137	565	1,708	564	2,272
1890 ...	305	122	427	360	187	547	261	87	348	576	98	674	1,502	494	1,996
1891 ...	484	126	610	383	126	509	495	151	646	731	165	896	2,093	568	2,661
1892 ...	625	205	830	539	140	679	577	170	747	558	154	712	2,299	669	2,968
1893 ...	847	207	1,054	502	135	637	728	173	901	945	168	1,113	3,022	683	3,705
1894 ...	823	203	1,026	2,715	220	2,935	1,700	198	1,898	3,761	272	4,033	8,999	893	9,892
1895 ...	2,098	426	2,524	2,024	355	2,379	1,676	275	1,951	3,711	564	4,275	9,509	1,620	11,129
1896 ...	2,160	680	2,840	3,344	542	3,886	2,850	536	3,386	8,170	984	9,154	16,524	2,742	19,266
1897 ...	5,123	1,041	6,164	4,902	1,064	5,966	4,400	928	5,328	7,560	1,769	9,329	21,985	4,802	26,787
1898 ...	5,332	1,610	6,942	5,297	1,522	6,819	3,783	1,568	5,351	7,357	2,287	9,644	21,769	6,987	28,756

No. 14.—*Total Immigration into and Emigration from Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

YEAR.	Immigration.			Emigration.			Excess of Immigration over Emigration.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	2,086	764	2,850	1,708	564	2,272	378	200	578
1890	2,815	752	3,567	1,502	494	1,996	1,313	258	1,571
1891	4,971	1,375	6,346	2,093	568	2,661	2,878	807	3,685
1892	5,828	1,612	7,440	2,299	669	2,968	3,529	943	4,472
1893	7,546	1,382	8,928	3,022	683	3,705	4,524	699	5,223
1894	22,703	3,155	25,858	8,999	893	9,892	13,704	2,262	15,966
1895	24,173	5,350	29,523	9,509	1,620	11,129	14,664	3,730	18,394
1896	43,764	11,451	55,215	16,524	2,742	19,266	27,240	8,709	35,949
1897	35,181	14,206	49,387	21,985	4,802	26,787	13,196	9,404	22,600
1898	22,683	10,026	32,709	21,769	6,987	28,756	914	3,039	3,953
Total	171,750	50,073	221,823	89,410	20,022	109,432	...	...	...
Net Excess of Immigration over Emigration during the Ten Years 1889–1898							82,340	30,051	112,391

No. 15.—*Immigration and Emigration.—Arrivals of Chinese at and Departures from all Ports of Western Australia during the Years 1897 and 1898.*

Month.	Year 1897.						Year 1898.					
	Arrivals.			Departures.			Arrivals.			Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
January	28	...	28	2	...	2	20	...	20	15	4	19
February	40	...	40	11	...	11	1	...	1	36	2	38
March	34	...	34	9	...	9	2	...	2	2	...	2
April	57	...	57	5	...	5	7	...	7	3	5	8
May	57	16	73	23	8	31	7	...	7	3	...	3
June	32	1	33	9	4	13	4	...	4	5	1	6
July	35	1	36	13	...	13	9	...	9	3	...	3
August	36	...	36	5	...	5	8	...	8	5	...	5
September ...	56	1	57	...	...	...	6	...	6	8	...	8
October	47	...	47	3	...	3	6	...	6	7	1	8
November ...	40	...	40	9	...	9	...	...	...	13	...	13
December	27	...	27	12	...	12	12	1	13	14	...	14
Total ...	489	19	508	101	12	113	82	1	83	114	13	127

No. 16.—*Assisted Immigration.—Number of Free and Nominated Immigrants introduced into the Colony during the Year 1898; distinguishing between Males and Females, and Adults and Children.*

Date.	Ship.	Adults. (12 years and upwards.)			Children under 12 years of Age.			Grand Total.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
1898.										
January	"Woolloomooloo" ...	...	50	50	...	...	...	...	50	50
January	"Cuzco"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
February	"Ormuz"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
March	"Austral"	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
March	"Ophir"	2	1	3	...	1	1	2	2	4
April	"Orotava"	1	3	4	...	1	1	1	4	5
April	"Orizaba"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
May	"Oroya"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
May	"Cuzco"	2	1	3	...	...	...	2	1	3
June	"Oruba"	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3
June	"Ormuz"	2	1	3	...	...	...	2	1	3
July	"Austral"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
July	"Orient"	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	4	4
July	"Ophir"	4	2	6	...	1	1	4	3	7
September ...	"Oroya"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
October	"Ormuz"	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
November ...	"Orient"	6	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	6
November ...	"Ophir"	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Total	29	63	92	...	5	5	29	68	97

No. 17.—*Assisted Immigration.—Number of Free and Nominated Immigrants introduced into the Colony during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898; distinguishing between Males and Females, and Adults and Children.*

YEAR.	Adults. (12 years and upwards.)			Children under 12 years of Age.			Grand Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	161
1890	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82
1891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	134
1892	...	...	...	...	...	...	168	149	317
1893	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	132	186
1894	11	169	180	6	13	19	17	182	199
1895	23	110	133	5	6	11	28	116	144
1896	9	117	126	3	7	10	12	124	136
1897	25	129	154	15	11	26	40	140	180
1898	29	63	92	...	5	5	29	68	97

Part I.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

(II.) VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 18.—*Births registered in Western Australia during each Quarter of the Year 1898.*

Quarter ended last day of—	Number of Births registered during 1898.			Analysis of Births.														* Still births registered.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Birth Rate. Number of births per 1,000 of the mean population.	Illegitimate births registered.				Births in Public Institutions.			Twins registered.			Triplets registered.			Males.	Females.	Total.
					Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of total births.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cases.	Sexes.		Cases.	Sexes.				
													Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
March	590	561	1151	6·97	36	23	59	5·13	...	...	...	20	†20	19	...	...	...	12	16	28
June	617	540	1157	6·82	26	23	49	4·24	...	...	...	20	18	‡21	...	...	...	21	11	32
September	712	680	1392	8·10	34	25	59	4·24	2	3	5	12	§ 9	13	...	...	...	18	17	35
December	655	613	1268	7·44	41	40	81	6·39	4	7	11	16	‖20	11	...	...	...	23	10	33
Total	2574	2394	4968	29·35	137	111	248	4·99	6	10	16	68	67	64	...	...	...	74	54	128

* Not included in the total number of births recorded. † Also 1 male stillborn. ‡ Also 1 female stillborn. § Also 2 males stillborn. ‖ Also 1 male stillborn.

No. 19.—*Deaths registered in Western Australia during each Quarter of the Year 1898.*

Quarter ended last day of—	Number of Deaths registered during 1898.			Analysis of Deaths.												
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Death Rate. Number of deaths per 1,000 of the mean population.	Deaths under one year registered.					Deaths under five years registered.				Deaths in Public Institutions.		
					Males.	Females.	Total.	Infantile Mortality. Percentage of deaths under one year to total births.	Percentage of deaths under one year to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of deaths under five years to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.
March ...	524	266	790	4·78	140	123	263	22·85	33·29	182	154	336	42·53	176	36	212
June	522	266	788	4·64	124	93	217	18·76	27·54	173	141	314	39·85	176	38	214
September ...	357	196	553	3·22	61	76	137	9·84	24·77	94	97	191	34·54	124	21	145
December ...	390	195	585	3·43	118	90	208	16·40	35·56	153	120	273	46·67	98	21	119
Total ...	1793	923	2716	16·05	443	382	825	16·61	30·38	602	512	1114	41·02	574	116	690

No. 20.—*Marriages registered in Western Australia during each Quarter of the Year 1898.*

Quarter ended last day of—	Number of Marriages registered during 1898.			Analysis of Marriages.											
	Marriages celebrated by Ministers of Religion.	Marriages celebrated by District Registrars.	Total.	Marriage Rate. Number of marriages per 1,000 of the mean population.	Percentage of marriages performed by District Registrars to total marriages.	Marriages of Minors.				Mark Signatures of Contracting Parties.					
						Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Minors married to total number of persons married.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Mark Signatures to total number married.		
													Males.	Females.	Persons.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	%	%
March	283	43	326	1·97	13·19	3	51	54	8·28	2	3	5	0·61	0·92	0·77
June	431	47	478	2·82	9·83	5	95	100	10·46	3	13	16	0·63	2·72	1·67
September	415	31	446	2·60	6·95	3	82	85	9·53	2	1	3	0·45	0·22	0·34
December	381	43	424	2·49	10·14	4	73	77	9·08	3	7	10	0·71	1·65	1·18
Total	1510	164	1674	9·89	9·80	15	301	316	9·44	10	24	34	0·60	1·43	1·02

No. 21.—*Births registered in Western Australia during 1897 and 1898.*

Year.	Number of Births Registered.			ANALYSIS OF BIRTHS.														* Still births registered.		
					Illegitimate births registered.				Births in Public Institutions.			Twins registered.			Triplets registered.					
													SEXES.			SEXES.				
	Males.	Females.	Total.	BIRTH RATE. Number of births per 1,000 of the mean population.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of total births.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cases.	Males.	Females.	Cases.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1897 ...	2,036	1,985	4,021	25·82	114	98	212	5·27	2	1	3	46	†50	†38	...	...	...	55	41	96
1898 ...	2,574	2,394	4,968	29·35	137	111	248	4·99	6	10	16	68	‡67	‡64	..	...	...	74	54	128
Total ...	4,610	4,379	8,989	27·66	251	209	460	5·12	8	11	19	114	117	102	...	...	...	129	95	224

* Not included in the total number of births recorded. † Also 1 male and 3 females stillborn. ‡ Also 4 males and 1 female stillborn.

No. 22.—*Deaths registered in Western Australia during 1897 and 1898.*

Year.	Number of Deaths Registered.			ANALYSIS OF DEATHS.												
					Deaths under one year registered.					Deaths under five years registered.				Deaths in Public Institutions.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	DEATH RATE. Number of deaths per 1,000 of the mean population.	Males.	Females.	Total.	INFANTILE MORTALITY. Percentage of deaths under one year to total births.	Percentage of deaths under one year to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of deaths under five years to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.
1897 ...	1,825	818	2,643	16·97	393	345	738	18·35	27·92	505	440	945	35·75	598	71	669
1898 ...	1,793	923	2,716	16·05	443	382	825	16·61	30·38	602	512	1,114	41·02	574	116	690
Total...	3,618	1,741	5,359	16·49	836	727	1,563	17·39	29·17	1,107	952	2,059	38·42	1,172	187	1,359

No. 23.—*Marriages registered in Western Australia during 1897 and 1898.*

Year.	Number of Marriages registered.			ANALYSIS OF MARRIAGES.											
						Marriages of Minors.				Mark Signatures of Contracting Parties.			Percentage of Mark Signatures to total number persons married.		
	Marriages celebrated by Ministers of Religion.	Marriages celebrated by District Registrars.	Total.	MARRIAGE RATE. Number of Marriages per 1,000 of the mean population.	Percentage of Marriages performed by District Registrars to total marriages.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Minors married to total number of persons married.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	%	%
1897 ...	1,503	156	1,659	10·65	9·40	15	258	273	8·23	14	21	35	0·84	1·27	1·05
1898 ...	1,510	164	1,674	9·89	9·80	15	301	316	9·44	10	24	34	0·60	1·43	1·02
Total...	3,013	320	3,333	10·25	9·60	30	559	589	8·84	24	45	69	0·72	1·35	1·04

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN PERTH AND SUBURBS DURING THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

No. 24.—*Births registered in Perth and Suburbs during 1898.*

Number of Births registered during 1898.			Analysis of Births.														* Still-births registered.		
				Illegitimate Births registered.				Births in Public Institutions.			Twins registered.			Triplets registered.					
												Sexes.			Sexes.				
Males.	Females.	Total.	Birth Rate. Number of births per 1,000 of the mean population for 1898.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of total births.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cases.	Males.	Females.	Cases.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Tetal.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
692	647	1339	33·64	62	52 *	114	8·51	5	9	14	25	26	24	...	...	...	14	12	26

* Not included in the number of births recorded.

No. 25.—*Deaths registered in Perth and Suburbs during 1898.*

Number of Deaths registered during 1898.			Analysis of Deaths.												
				Deaths under one year registered.					Deaths under five years registered.				Deaths in Public Institutions.		
Males.	Females.	Total.	Death Rate. Number of deaths per 1,000 of the mean population for 1898.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Infantile Mortality. Percentage of deaths under one year to total births.	Percentage of deaths under one year to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of deaths under five years to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.
462	277	739	18·57	137	120	257	19·19	34·78	191	160	351	47·50	154	37	191

No. 26.—*Marriages registered in Perth and Suburbs during 1898.*

Number of Marriages registered during 1898.			Analysis of Marriages.											
					Marriages of Minors.				Mark Signatures of Contracting Parties.					
												Percentage of Mark Signatures to total number of persons married.		
Marriages celebrated by Ministers of Religion.	Marriages celebrated by District Registrars.	Total.	Marriage Rate. Number of Marriages per 1,000 of the mean population for 1898.	Percentage of Marriages performed by District Registrars to total marriages.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Minors married to total number of persons married.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	%	%
532	56	588	14·77	9·52	3	87	90	7·65	1	8	9	0·17	1·36	0·77

No. 27.—*Estimated Mean Population of Perth and Suburbs for the Year ended 31st December, 1898.*

Males.	Females.	Total.
25,700	14,100	39,800

No. 28.—*Number of Births registered in the Colony in each Year from 1889 to 1898; distinguishing the number registered in each Quarter, and showing the Excess of Births over Deaths in each Year.*

YEAR.	NUMBER OF BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE QUARTER ENDED ON THE LAST DAY OF—												Number of Births registered during Year.			Number of Deaths.	Excess of Births over Deaths.
	March.			June.			September.			December.							
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
1889 ...	172	165	337	247	219	466	214	212	426	192	173	365	825	769	1,594	611	983
1890 ...	168	204	372	179	197	376	216	193	409	198	206	404	761	800	1,561	540	1,021
1891 ...	182	158	340	224	198	422	263	254	517	269	238	507	938	848	1,786	869	917
1892 ...	139	117	256	237	246	483	276	255	531	307	271	578	959	889	1,848	931	917
1893 ...	244	231	475	256	298	554	293	288	581	249	253	502	1,042	1,070	2,112	945	1,167
1894 ...	236	223	459	286	247	533	306	268	574	281	276	557	1,109	1,014	2,123	1,081	1,042
1895 ...	256	241	497	280	321	601	354	327	681	302	292	594	1,192	1,181	2,373	1,604	769
1896 ...	304	267	571	355	340	695	385	376	761	391	364	755	1,435	1,347	2,782	2,020	762
1897 ...	429	425	854	505	514	1,019	575	542	1,117	527	504	1,031	2,036	1,985	4,021	2,643	1,378
1898 ...	590	561	1,151	617	540	1,157	712	680	1,392	655	613	1,268	2,574	2,394	4,968	2,716	2,252

No. 29.—*Number of Deaths registered in the Colony in each Year from 1889 to 1898; distinguishing the number registered in each Quarter, and showing the Excess of Births over Deaths in each Year.*

YEAR.	NUMBER OF DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE QUARTER ENDED ON THE LAST DAY OF—												Number of Deaths registered during Year.			Number of Births.	Excess of Births over Deaths.
	March.			June.			September.			December.							
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
1889 ...	79	50	129	140	59	199	102	45	147	91	45	136	412	199	611	1,594	983
1890 ...	91	65	156	94	38	132	78	43	121	83	48	131	346	194	540	1,561	1,021
1891 ...	116	58	174	122	66	188	116	61	177	226	104	330	580	289	869	1,786	917
1892 ...	103	61	164	192	91	283	156	79	235	170	79	249	621	310	931	1,848	917
1893 ...	150	73	223	158	78	236	147	68	215	192	79	271	647	298	945	2,112	1,167
1894 ...	143	80	223	217	99	316	174	63	237	221	84	305	755	326	1,081	2,123	1,042
1895 ...	327	89	416	377	122	499	242	90	332	255	102	357	1,201	403	1,604	2,373	769
1896 ...	338	165	503	457	150	607	256	97	353	399	158	557	1,450	570	2,020	2,782	762
1897 ...	441	193	634	621	248	869	352	149	501	411	228	639	1,825	818	2,643	4,021	1,378
1898 ...	524	266	790	522	266	788	357	196	553	390	195	585	1,793	923	2,716	4,968	2,252

No. 30.—*Number of Marriages registered in the Colony in each of the ten Years, 1889 to 1898; distinguishing the number of Marriages celebrated by Ministers of various Religious Denominations, and by District Registrars.*

YEAR.	Church of England.	Roman Catholic.	Wesleyan Methodist.	Presbyterian.	Congregational.	Salvation Army.	Baptist.	Church of Christ.	Hebrew.	Seventh Day Adventists.	District Registrars.	TOTAL.
1889	137	78	32	12	21	...	...	...	...	...	20	300
1890	125	70	33	6	22	...	...	...	...	...	22	278
1891	171	105	50	17	39	...	...	3	...	...	28	413
1892	178	80	60	26	30	...	...	1	...	...	37	412
1893	151	82	75	22	24	...	...	...	...	...	38	392
1894	168	98	82	36	27	3	...	3	...	...	65	482
1895	236	124	111	52	40	3	3	4	...	...	60	633
1896	340	187	225*	109	70	4	3	...	3	...	136	1,077
1897	511	314	377†	160	105	7	16	3	9	1	156	1,659
1898	512	321	355	150	107	12	25	17	10	1	164	1,674

* Including 5 Primitive Methodists and 9 Bible Christians.

† Including 6 Primitive Methodists and 5 Bible Christians.

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No. 31.—*Number of Births and Deaths registered in the Colony during each Quarter of 1897 and 1898, showing Excess of Births over Deaths.*

Quarter ended Last Day of—	Births.			Deaths.			Excess of Births over Deaths.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1897.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
March	429	425	854	441	193	634	12*	232	220
June	505	514	1,019	621	248	869	116*	266	150
September	575	542	1,117	352	149	501	223	393	616
December	527	504	1,031	411	228	639	116	276	392
Total for the year 1897 ...	2,036	1,985	4,021	1,825	818	2,643	211	1,167	1,378
Increase per cent. of population during the year by Excess of Births over Deaths ...							% 0·22	% 2·85	% 1·00
1898.									
March	590	561	1,151	524	266	790	66	295	361
June	617	540	1,157	522	266	788	95	274	369
September	712	680	1,392	357	196	553	355	484	839
December	655	613	1,268	390	195	585	265	418	683
Total for the year 1898 ...	2,574	2,394	4,968	1,793	923	2,716	781	1,471	2,252
Increase per cent. of population during the year by Excess of Births over Deaths ...							% 0·71	% 2·85	% 1·39

* Excess of Deaths over Births.

No. 32.—*Birth, Death, and Marriage Rates of the Colony of Western Australia in each of the Ten years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Estimated mean Population.	Number per 1,000 of the mean Population.		
		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
1889	42,857	37·19	14·26	7·00
1890	44,792	34·85	12·06	6·21
1891	50,130	35·63	17·33	8·24
1892	55,856	33·09	16·67	7·38
1893	61,710	34·22	15·31	6·35
1894	75,094	28·27	14·40	6·42
1895	90,221	26·30	17·78	7·02
1896	122,809	22·65	16·45	8·77
1897	155,749	25·82	16·97	10·65
1898	169,271	29·35	16·05	9·89
Mean for 10 years	86,849	28·98	16·07	8·43

No. 33.—*Number of Births (exclusive of Stillbirths) registered in each Registration District of the Colony during each month of the Year 1898.*

REGISTRATION DISTRICT.	January.		February.		March.		April.		May.		June.		July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.		Total for the year.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Beverley	...	2	2	1	4	1	...	2	1	...	2	1	4	3	...	...	3	4	...	2	2	1	2	...	20	17	37
Blackwood	2	1	2	1	...	1	...	4	1	1	...	1	3	1	1	4	3	5	1	2	3	...	3	5	19	26	45
Broad Arrow	3	1	1	1	3	3	...	2	2	1	...	2	...	1	1	1	1	2	2	...	3	2	1	1	17	17	34
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	8
Canning	1	2	2	2	2	4	1	1	...	3	...	1	2	1	3	3	3	2	2	1	2	4	5	1	23	25	48
Claremont	4	2	6	5	2	4	3	7	5	2	8	2	7	8	9	11	8	4	9	12	7	5	4	5	72	67	139
Coolgardie	13	10	13	17	15	8	10	12	13	8	6	8	8	13	16	13	15	8	7	9	14	9	5	4	135	119	254
Coolgardie, East	23	13	8	15	14	8	16	7	11	19	19	7	22	13	20	18	24	12	25	17	23	18	14	14	219	161	380
Coolgardie, North	1	...	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	4	2	3	...	1	2	4	3	25	15	40
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	2	4	2	2	2	3	2	4	...	2	4	1	2	4	2	5	1	28	18	46
Dandaraga	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	9	5	14
Dundas	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	1	1	9	10	19
Esperance	3	1	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	4	1	2	...	1	...	...	2	...	4	2	1	1	1	17	12	29
Eucla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
Fremantle	29	29	31	34	39	38	33	36	26	28	32	28	33	36	45	43	40	32	32	31	27	35	37	27	404	397	801
Gascoyne	...	4	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	1	3	2	...	...	6	17	23
Geraldton	4	8	2	3	8	5	9	4	6	8	7	5	8	6	4	3	12	8	3	3	6	3	4	2	73	58	131
Gingin...	1	1	...	2	3	4	...	1	...	...	2	...	2	...	5	1	...	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	18	9	27
Greenough	2	3	1	...	1	3	1	...	2	2	1	...	3	1	2	2	3	3	2	1	2	1	1	...	21	16	37
Irwin	1	...	...	1	2	1	1	...	1	1	4	2	...	2	2	1	3	3	...	1	...	...	...	2	14	14	28
Jarrahdale	2	...	1	1	2	1	4	3	3	2	3	1	2	4	4	2	4	4	...	2	1	3	3	1	29	24	53
Katanning	1	1	2	4	3	2	3	3	2	2	3	1	2	...	2	2	2	3	2	1	4	2	5	1	31	22	53
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	2	3
Kimberley Goldfields	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Leederville	3	3	6	6	5	5	5	1	3	2	2	4	3	5	11	4	6	6	10	8	7	...	6	9	67	53	120
Mount Margaret	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	3	7
Murchison	1	2	4	1	4	5	4	2	2	5	2	2	1	2	5	6	6	5	4	4	3	2	4	3	40	39	79
Murchison, East	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	4	6
Murray	3	3	2	1	2	2	3	2	1	2	1	...	3	3	2	1	1	3	1	4	...	3	1	1	20	25	45
Northam	7	7	5	4	10	10	9	6	5	5	8	11	11	10	7	15	9	1	12	4	6	7	4	6	93	86	179
Northampton...	2	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	...	...	3	4	2	2	...	1	1	1	...	2	3	...	13	14	27
Peak Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Perth	43	27	47	49	50	39	44	34	48	50	55	47	53	43	46	41	48	43	51	54	53	60	36	41	574	528	1102
Pilbarra	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4
Plantagenet	8	10	4	8	7	5	8	9	5	7	7	11	11	7	5	7	7	14	4	11	8	4	11	13	85	106	191
Roebourne	...	2	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	2	2	4	...	2	1	1	2	3	1	1	11	18	29
Subiaco	3	5	7	3	5	5	3	6	4	5	9	9	3	5	3	5	3	10	4	8	5	3	2	2	51	66	117
Sussex...	4	...	2	4	...	2	2	...	3	1	5	2	4	3	4	...	4	2	3	3	6	6	2	1	39	24	63
Swan	5	13	9	10	7	6	10	10	8	7	11	10	9	8	5	12	13	12	12	6	9	10	9	15	107	119	226
Toodyay	2	1	2	3	2	2	1	1	6	1	1	2	3	3	5	4	5	2	1	1	2	4	2	2	32	26	58
Victoria Plains	...	1	1	2	...	1	1	2	...	...	1	...	3	2	1	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	2	1	12	11	23
Wellington	14	10	8	8	11	7	13	10	17	11	6	5	12	13	10	14	7	11	20	6	8	4	15	22	141	121	262
Williams	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	3	2	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	...	2	1	13	14	27
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	5	7	12
Yilgarn	2	3	4	2	1	3	2	1	4	1	2	2	...	2	1	2	1	3	1	2	5	1	5	1	28	23	51
York	4	4	6	5	1	4	1	...	4	5	4	2	1	6	5	3	5	6	5	5	1	3	1	2	38	45	83
Total number	195	174	184	197	211	190	198	175	197	188	222	177	229	218	235	234	248	228	226	214	226	207	203	192	2574	2394	4968

No. 34—*Number of Deaths registered in each Registration District of the Colony during each month of the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	January.		February.		March.		April.		May.		June.		July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.		Total for the Year.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Grand Total.
Ashburton	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	7	2	9
Beverley	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	2	6	7	13
Blackwood	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	..	...	...	...	1	3	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	6	7	13
Broad Arrow	...	...	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	2	1	2	...	1	...	2	1	18	7	25
Broome	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	3	...	5	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	21	2	23
Canning	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
Claremont	3	2	2	...	1	1	5	1	3	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	1	4	...	...	3	24	14	38
Coolgardie	25	14	19	10	7	10	14	8	9	9	4	5	5	2	8	3	11	8	9	4	4	6	14	5	129	84	213
Coolgardie, East	23	13	26	8	23	11	24	5	34	8	20	4	13	4	15	8	21	12	12	9	19	11	17	7	247	100	349
Coolgardie, North	1	...	...	...	2	3	5	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	..	3	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	16	7	23
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	..	3	1	5	1	3	2	10	...	5	...	8	1	7	2	1	1	7	...	5	...	54	8	62
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Dundas	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	.	1	...	...	...	2	...	7	1	8
Esperance	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	9	3	12
Eucla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	27	12	17	13	18	11	16	17	38	20	22	17	9	9	18	14	12	6	15	3	25	12	19	9	236	143	379
Gascoyne	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	9	2	11
Geraldton	1	2	3	2	8	1	4	1	4	1	1	3	2	2	3	...	5	1	5	2	4	...	4	2	44	17	61
Gingin	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	1	5
Greenough	..	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	5	3	8
Irwin ...	...	...	1	2	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	7	8	15
Jarrahdale	1	...	...	...	1	1	5	2	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	10	7	17
Katanning	1	2	3	1	..	...	...	3	3	1	2	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	15	9	24
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Kimberley, West	1	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	11	1	12
Kimberley Goldfields	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	1	4
Leederville	7	5	3	3	1	3	1	3	4	4	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	4	7	2	1	27	28	55
Mount Margaret	1	...	4	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	17	3	20
Murchison	7	1	10	...	7	2	3	2	6	1	4	2	4	...	5	1	2	3	4	3	2	...	3	2	57	17	74
Murchison, East	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	4
Murray	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	9	4	13
Northam	3	1	4	1	2	1	4	2	4	1	5	...	2	...	2	3	1	2	1	...	6	2	7	2	41	15	56
Northampton	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	4	6
Peak Hill	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	6	1	7
Perth ...	42	12	43	19	38	21	42	27	34	22	47	23	38	21	31	16	14	16	25	15	28	14	24	23	406	229	635
Pilbarra	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	8
Plantagenet ...	3	3	4	2	10	2	5	1	7	5	2	4	3	1	3	5	1	1	2	1	9	1	3	3	52	29	81
Roebourne	5	...	4	1	4	...	4	...	2	...	2	2	...	1	2	1	3	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	29	7	36
Subiaco	5	1	2	...	4	5	4	...	1	...	3	3	2	3	1	1	...	2	1	1	4	1	2	3	29	20	49
Sussex	3	3	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	3	...	1	1	17	9	26
Swan ...	7	5	4	3	6	11	5	1	7	4	6	5	4	2	4	4	2	...	2	...	4	1	7	4	58	40	98
Toodyay	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	10	6	16
Victoria Plains	2	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	9	5	14
Wellington	4	3	3	1	7	4	8	4	10	2	2	2	7	3	1	4	3	2	3	3	4	2	6	5	58	35	93
Williams	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	7	3	10
Yalgoo	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	11	1	12
Yilgarn	...	3	2	1	3	2	3	2	...	1	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	15	12	27
York ...	7	8	3	...	3	1	1	1	3	2	2	3	2	1	2	1	...	...	1	1	3	...	3	...	30	18	48
Total number	187	95	168	75	169	96	169	87	196	95	157	84	124	60	123	69	110	67	105	52	146	66	139	77	1793	923	2716

No. 35.—*Number of Marriages registered in each Registration District of the Colony during each month of the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total for the Year.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beverley	...	...	1	2	2	1	...	3	1	...	...	1	11
Blackwood	...	1	...	3	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	8
Broad Arrow	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3
Broome	...	1	1	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	9
Canning	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5
Claremont	2	2	1	...	3	8	3	1	1	8	3	3	35
Coolgardie	17	8	11	4	3	13	1	20	6	6	7	11	107
Coolgardie, East	14	6	10	6	16	19	17	10	20	13	10	24	165
Coolgardie, North ...	1	...	...	...	...	5	3	3	5	1	1	3	22
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	3	1	1	3	4	16
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	3	2	12
Esperance	...	...	4	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	11
Eucla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	10	24	15	20	40	33	13	28	23	24	18	27	275
Gascoyne	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Geraldton	5	4	...	5	5	2	5	4	2	2	1	4	39
Gingin	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Greenough	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	3	1	...	1	...	7
Irwin	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	1	2	...	1	8
Jarrahdale	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3	2	9
Katanning	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	8
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, West ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3
Kimberley Goldfields ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leederville	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	5	...	1	12
Mount Margaret ...	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	5
Murchison	...	1	...	4	1	1	3	1	3	...	2	3	19
Murchison, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2
Murray	1	...	2	4	2	1	...	1	2	...	...	1	14
Northam	...	7	3	2	5	2	3	2	8	2	3	5	42
Northampton	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	6
Peak Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Perth	22	36	36	75	56	38	59	43	60	57	28	44	554
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet	9	3	5	7	2	6	5	...	11	3	...	11	62
Roebourne	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	4
Subiaco	3	1	1	...	3	1	1	1	3	3	...	5	22
Sussex	...	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	10
Swan	...	7	5	2	3	7	3	1	4	2	4	12	50
Toodyay	2	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	...	1	1	...	9
Victoria Plains	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	8
Wellington	2	5	7	4	8	6	6	2	1	5	8	3	57
Williams	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	5
Yalgoo	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Yilgarn	1	2	2	1	...	2	1	3	3	...	2	...	17
York	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	5	4	3	1	17
Total number ...	97	118	111	151	168	159	133	141	172	142	107	175	1,674

No. 36.—*Comparative Statement, showing the Months of the Year 1898, arranged in the order of the number of Births, Deaths, and Marriages registered in each.*

BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		MARRIAGES.	
Month.	No.	Month.	No.	Month.	No.
September … …	476	May … …	291	December …	175
August … …	469	January … …	282	September …	172
July … … …	447	March …	265	May … …	168
October … …	440	April … …	256	June … …	159
November … …	433	February … …	243	April … …	151
March … …	401	June … …	241	October … …	142
June … … …	399	December… …	216	August … …	141
December … …	395	November …	212	July … …	133
May … … …	385	August … …	192	February … …	118
February … …	381	July … …	184	March … …	111
April … … …	373	September …	177	November …	107
January … …	369	October … …	157	January … …	97
Total …	4,968	Total …	2,716	Total …	1,674

No. 37.—*Number of Deaths of Infants under one year during 1898, showing percentage of Number in each specified Age Group to Total Births and Deaths.*

Quarter ended last day of	Under 1 month.			1 month and under 3.			3 months and under 6.			6 months and under 9.			9 months and under 12.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
March … …	33	30	63	17	16	33	40	38	78	33	23	57	17	16	32	140	123	263
June … …	36	27	63	22	20	42	20	20	40	25	12	37	21	14	35	124	93	217
September … …	20	23	43	11	14	25	19	17	36	8	14	22	3	8	11	61	76	137
December … …	22	17	39	25	20	45	34	32	66	28	9	36	9	12	22	118	90	208
Total …	111	97	208	75	70	145	113	107	220	94	58	152	50	50	100	443	382	825
Percentage of total number of Births	°/o 4·19			°/o 2·92			°/o 4·43			°/o 3·06			°/o 2·01			°/o 16·61		
Percentage of total number of Deaths	7·66			5·34			8·10			5·60			3·68			30·38		

No. 38.—*Number of Deaths of Children between the ages of one year and five years during 1898, showing percentage of Number in each specified Age Group to Total Deaths.*

Quarter ended last day of	1 year and under 2.			2 years and under 3.			3 years and under 4.			4 years and under 5.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
March … … … …	26	19	45	7	4	11	6	5	11	3	3	6	42	31	73
June … … … …	33	34	67	4	5	9	8	5	13	4	4	8	49	48	97
September … … …	18	12	30	10	5	15	2	…	2	3	4	7	33	21	54
December … … …	24	18	42	5	7	12	5	2	7	1	3	4	35	30	65
Total … … …	101	83	184	26	21	47	21	12	33	11	14	25	159	130	289
Percentage of total number of deaths … … …	6·77°/o			1·73°/o			1·22°/o			0·92°/o			10·64°/o		

No. 39.—*Return of Illegitimate Births registered in each Registration District during the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	Number of Illegitimate Births.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
Ashburton	...	...	...
Beverley	...	1	1
Blackwood	...	...	...
Broad Arrow	...	...	...
Broome	2	1	3
Canning	...	...	...
Claremont	5	2	7
Coolgardie	11	4	15
Do. East	8	6	14
Do. North	...	...	...
Do. North-East	1	...	1
Dandaraga	...	...	...
Dundas	...	...	...
Esperance	...	...	...
Eucla	...	...	...
Fremantle	21	16	37
Gascoyne	...	1	1
Geraldton	2	2	4
Gingin	...	...	...
Greenough	1	...	1
Irwin	2	2	4
Jarrahdale	...	2	2
Katanning	2	...	2
Kimberley, East	...	...	...
Do. West	...	1	1
Do. Goldfields	...	...	...
Leederville	2	5	7
Mount Margaret	...	...	...
Murchison	2	...	2
Do. East	...	...	...
Murray	...	1	1
Northam	4	2	6
Northampton	1	...	1
Peak Hill	...	...	...
Perth	57	44	101
Pilbarra	1	...	1
Plantagenet	2	5	7
Roebourne	...	1	1
Subiaco	3	3	6
Sussex	1	1	2
Swan	4	1	5
Toodyay	1	2	3
Victoria Plains	...	...	...
Wellington	1	5	6
Williams	1	...	1
Yalgoo	...	1	1
Yilgarn	2	...	2
York	...	2	2
Total	137	111	248
Percentage of Illegitimate to Total Births during 1898	% 5·32	% 4·64	% 4·99

No. 40.—*Ages of the Fathers and Mothers of Children whose Births were registered in Western Australia during 1898.*

	Ages.	Ages of Mothers.												
		16 and under 17.	17 and under 18.	18 and under 19.	19 and under 20.	20 and under 21.	21 and under 25.	25 and under 30.	30 and under 35.	35 and under 40.	40 and under 45.	45 and under 50.	Age not stated.	Total Fathers.
Ages of Fathers.	18 and under 19	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	19 ,, ,, 20	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	20 ,, ,, 21	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
	21 ,, ,, 25	3	3	8	23	21	150	62	8	1	...	...	...	279
	25 ,, ,, 30	...	3	14	34	39	458	602	100	8	...	...	1	1,259
	30 ,, ,, 35	1	3	7	9	20	244	596	437	68	5	...	...	1,390
	35 ,, ,, 40	...	2	3	...	1	78	252	393	238	23	...	...	990
	40 ,, ,, 45	...	...	...	1	...	23	57	126	185	55	2	...	449
	45 ,, ,, 50	...	...	...	...	...	8	13	39	68	43	4	...	175
	50 ,, ,, 55	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10	19	19	3	...	58
	55 ,, ,, 60	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	8	8	5	1	...	26
	60 ,, ,, 65	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	3	7	...	...	15
	65 ,, ,, 70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	4
	Age not stated	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	3	...	...	...	2	10
Mothers of Legitimate Children		5	12	34	68	83	964	1,597	1,127	600	158	10	3	4,661
Mothers of Illegitimate Children		10	12	10	13	26	67	62	28	10	5	1	...	244
Total Mothers		15	24	44	81	109	1,031	1,659	1,155	610	163	11	3	4,905

No. 41.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes registered during each Month of the Year ended 31st December, 1898, distinguishing Ages at Death.*

Age Groups.	January.		February.		March.		April.		May.		June.		July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.		Total for the year.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 1 month … … …	14	11	10	6	9	13	18	8	7	9	11	10	7	11	4	8	9	4	8	1	5	4	9	12	111	97	208
1 month and under 3 months …	8	3	2	9	7	4	7	7	5	8	10	5	4	5	5	3	2	6	7	7	7	7	11	6	75	70	145
3 months and under 6 … …	14	16	13	12	13	10	7	6	9	9	4	5	4	5	6	6	9	6	8	8	14	13	12	11	113	107	220
6 months and under 12 … …	15	13	16	8	19	18	17	8	19	13	10	5	4	7	1	7	6	8	7	8	14	5	16	8	144	108	252
Total under 12 months …	51	43	41	35	48	45	49	29	40	39	35	25	19	28	16	24	26	24	30	24	40	29	48	37	443	382	825
1 year and under 2 years … …	8	9	12	4	6	6	11	8	13	17	9	9	3	3	8	2	7	7	8	4	14	7	2	7	101	83	184
2 years and under 3 … … …	2	…	1	1	4	3	3	5	1	…	…	…	3	2	5	2	2	1	2	…	2	1	1	6	26	21	47
3 years and under 4 … … …	3	1	…	1	3	3	4	1	2	4	2	…	1	…	1	…	…	…	2	…	1	…	2	2	21	12	33
4 years and under 5 … … …	2	1	…	…	1	2	3	2	…	1	1	1	2	…	…	3	1	1	1	1	…	…	…	2	11	14	25
Total 1 year and under 5 years	15	11	13	6	14	14	21	16	16	22	12	10	9	5	14	7	10	9	13	5	17	8	5	17	159	130	289
5 years and under 10 years … …	1	2	3	4	1	2	5	7	6	3	3	5	4	3	3	3	1	4	3	2	4	…	1	2	35	37	72
10 years and under 15 … …	5	2	3	1	…	4	2	2	2	4	3	4	…	1	1	…	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	…	23	22	45
15 years and under 20 … …	5	2	1	2	6	4	1	2	2	2	3	2	6	2	2	1	…	…	…	1	1	2	3	…	30	20	50
20 years and under 25 … …	10	4	13	7	20	4	14	5	16	6	8	11	5	4	6	6	10	5	1	2	11	4	8	4	122	62	184
25 years and under 30 … …	17	6	14	1	11	6	11	7	21	3	13	6	8	5	6	4	8	7	4	2	6	7	8	1	127	55	182
30 years and under 35 … …	14	7	17	2	14	5	10	5	16	3	8	6	9	2	12	6	7	4	6	1	7	1	10	4	130	46	176
35 years and under 40 … …	11	…	12	3	9	5	15	4	14	5	8	2	12	1	9	2	12	4	9	2	7	3	16	2	134	33	167
40 years and under 45 … …	7	2	9	4	14	1	4	2	10	1	11	1	7	2	13	3	5	1	5	3	6	2	9	…	100	22	122
45 years and under 50 … …	12	2	11	4	3	…	5	1	11	…	6	…	9	…	6	…	5	1	3	1	6	1	6	2	83	12	95
50 years and under 55 … …	7	5	7	2	6	…	4	…	6	3	9	1	6	2	5	2	2	1	5	1	7	1	2	1	66	19	85
55 years and under 60 … …	5	1	8	…	3	1	5	3	8	2	9	1	2	2	8	5	5	1	3	1	3	1	3	3	62	21	83
60 years and under 65 … …	5	1	4	1	5	1	1	1	5	…	10	3	8	1	6	…	7	…	3	1	8	2	3	2	65	13	78
65 years and under 70 … …	13	2	1	1	8	2	6	1	5	…	8	2	4	…	9	1	4	2	8	2	10	…	3	1	79	14	93
70 years and under 75 … …	4	3	1	1	3	…	4	1	11	1	4	2	4	1	2	…	2	…	4	…	5	1	5	1	49	11	60
75 years and under 80 … …	…	1	4	1	2	1	5	1	4	…	6	3	7	1	3	3	2	…	6	…	3	2	3	…	45	13	58
80 years and under 85 … …	1	…	1	…	…	1	1	…	1	1	…	…	3	…	1	1	1	1	…	1	3	1	2	…	14	6	20
85 years and under 90 … …	1	…	…	…	…	…	2	…	1	…	…	…	1	…	…	1	…	1	…	2	…	…	1	…	6	4	10
90 years and under 95 … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	1	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	1	…	1
Age not stated … … …	3	1	5	…	2	…	3	…	1	…	1	…	1	…	1	…	…	…	1	…	1	…	1	…	20	1	21
Total 5 years and over … …	121	41	114	34	107	37	99	42	140	34	110	49	96	27	93	38	74	34	62	23	89	29	86	23	1,191	411	1,602
Total all ages Male and Female	187	95	168	75	169	96	169	87	196	95	157	84	124	60	123	69	110	67	105	52	146	66	139	77	1,793	923	2,716
Grand Total … …	282		243		265		256		291		241		184		192		177		157		212		216		2,716		
Percentage of total number of deaths	per cent. 10·38		per cent. 8·95		per cent. 9·76		per cent. 9·43		per cent. 10·71		per cent. 8·87		per cent. 6·77		per cent. 7·07		per cent. 6·52		per cent. 5·78		per cent. 7·81		per cent. 7·95		per cent. 100·00		

No. 42.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes registered during the years 1897 and 1898; distinguishing Ages at Death and showing Proportion of Deaths in each Age Group to Total Deaths.*

Age Groups.	1897.				1898.			
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Deaths in each Age Group to Total Deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Deaths in each Age Group to Total Deaths.
	No.	No.	No.	per cent.	No.	No.	No.	per cent.
Under 1 month	120	77	197	7·45	111	97	208	7·66
1 month and under 3 months	80	70	150	5·68	75	70	145	5·34
3 months and under 6	94	86	180	6·81	113	107	220	8·10
6 months and under 12	99	112	211	7·98	144	108	252	9·28
Total under 12 months	393	345	738	27·92	443	382	825	30·38
1 year and under 2 years	88	58	146	5·52	101	83	184	6·77
2 years and under 3	10	21	31	1·17	26	21	47	1·73
3 years and under 4	9	7	16	0·61	21	12	33	1·22
4 years and under 5	5	9	14	0·53	11	14	25	0·92
Total 1 year and under 5 years ...	112	95	207	7·83	159	130	289	10·64
5 years and under 10 years	28	32	60	2·27	35	37	72	2·65
10 years and under 15	19	17	36	1·36	23	22	45	1·66
15 years and under 20	43	21	64	2·42	30	20	50	1·84
20 years and under 25	162	46	208	7·87	122	62	184	6·77
25 years and under 30	198	62	260	9·84	127	55	182	6·70
30 years and under 35	155	41	196	7·42	130	46	176	6·48
35 years and under 40	125	39	164	6·21	134	33	167	6·15
40 years and under 45	88	21	109	4·13	100	22	122	4·49
45 years and under 50	76	11	87	3·29	83	12	95	3·50
50 years and under 55	65	12	77	2·91	66	19	85	3·13
55 years and under 60	53	16	69	2·61	62	21	83	3·06
60 years and under 65	83	11	94	3·56	65	13	78	2·87
65 years and under 70	65	9	74	2·80	79	14	93	3·42
70 years and under 75	46	18	64	2·42	49	11	60	2·21
75 years and under 80	37	4	41	1·55	45	13	58	2·13
80 years and under 85	19	2	21	0·79	14	6	20	0·74
85 years and under 90	6	3	9	0·34	6	4	10	0·37
90 years and under 95	1	2	3	0·11	1	...	1	0·04
95 years and under 100	1	1	2	0·08	...	...	...	...
Age not stated	50	10	60	2·27	20	1	21	0·77
Total 5 years and over	1,320	378	1,698	64·25	1,191	411	1,602	58·98
Total all ages	1,825	818	2,643	100·00	1,793	923	2,716	100·00

No. 43.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes registered during the Year ended 31st December, 1898, distinguishing Ages at Death and classes of the various Diseases from which Death occurred.*

Age Groups.	CLASS I. Specific Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases.		CLASS II. Parasitic Diseases.		CLASS III. Dietetic Diseases.		CLASS IV. Constitutional Diseases.		CLASS V. Developmental Diseases.		CLASS VI. Local Diseases.		CLASS VII. Violence.		CLASS VIII. Ill-defined and not specified causes.		Total Deaths (all causes).		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 1 month	5	2	...	...	1	2	...	...	48	46	34	21	3	5	20	21	111	97	208
1 month and under 3 months	14	16	...	...	3	3	2	2	5	5	34	22	..	...	17	22	75	70	145
3 months and under 6 ...	23	15	...	1	6	3	...	1	...	...	62	63	...	2	22	22	113	107	220
6 months and under 12 ...	33	20	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	88	68	2	...	19	17	144	108	252
Total under 12 months ...	75	53	...	1	10	9	3	4	54	52	218	174	5	7	78	82	443	382	825
1 year and under 2 years ...	25	19	...	...	1	...	4	3	2	...	55	54	4	1	10	6	101	83	184
2 years and under 3	10	7	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	13	10	...	2	...	1	26	21	47
3 years and under 4	6	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	12	7	1	2	...	...	21	12	33
4 years and under 5	5	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	1	2	1	...	11	14	25
Total 1 year and under 5 years	46	36	...	...	1	...	9	4	2	...	84	76	6	7	11	7	159	130	289
5 years and under 10 years	18	18	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	10	14	4	3	...	...	35	37	72
10 years and under 15 ...	9	11	...	...	...	..	...	4	...	...	7	6	7	1	...	...	23	22	45
15 years and under 20 ...	14	11	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	7	4	5	1	...	...	30	20	50
20 years and under 25 ...	67	27	...	...	1	1	9	13	...	...	27	14	15	6	3	1	122	62	184
25 years and under 30 ...	69	17	...	1	4	...	10	11	...	...	21	23	21	2	2	1	127	55	182
30 years and undes 35 ...	42	14	2	...	5	...	18	9	...	...	40	21	21	2	2	...	130	46	176
35 years and under 40 ...	45	6	...	...	7	1	18	4	...	...	34	15	27	5	3	2	134	33	167
40 years and under 45 ...	19	7	...	...	1	...	11	5	...	...	46	10	21	...	2	...	100	22	122
45 years and under 50 ...	12	3	...	...	...	...	7	4	...	...	43	4	16	1	5	...	83	12	95
50 years and under 55 ...	9	2	...	...	4	...	12	4	...	...	27	9	12	3	2	1	66	19	85
55 years and under 60 ...	8	3	...	...	3	1	6	3	...	...	36	13	7	1	2	...	62	21	83
60 years and under 65 ...	11	1	...	...	1	..	13	2	1	...	32	8	5	1	2	1	65	13	78
65 years and under 70 ...	11	...	...	...	4	...	8	1	4	4	46	9	3	...	3	...	79	14	93
70 years and under 75 ...	5	2	...	...	...	...	5	1	12	1	24	5	2	1	1	1	49	11	60
75 years and under 80 ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	12	3	26	10	1	...	1	...	45	13	58
80 years and under 85 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	6	4	...	...	...	1	14	6	20
85 years and under 90 ...	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	4	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	10
90 years and under 95 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
95 years and under 100 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Age not stated	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	11	...	3	...	20	1	21
Total 5 years and over ...	344	122	2	1	30	3	127	67	42	13	437	170	178	27	31	8	1,191	411	1,602
Total all ages, M. and F.	465	211	2	2	41	12	139	75	98	65	739	420	189	41	120	97	1,793	923	2,716
Grand Total	676		4		53		214		163		1,159		230		217		2,716		
Percentage of total number of deaths	per cent. 24·89		per cent. 0·15		per cent. 1·95		per cent. 7·88		per cent. 6·00		per cent. 42·67		per cent. 8·47		per cent. 7·99		per cent. 100·00		

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No. 44.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease, as registered during each quarter of the Year 1898.*

Class.	Cause of Death.	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Year 1898.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
I.	SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.															
	Sub-Class 1.—*Miasmatic Diseases.*															
	1. Small-pox (a.) Vaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
	(b.) Unvaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(c.) Not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Chicken-pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Measles	1	...	1	1	...	1	13	7	20	6	6	12	21	13	34
	4. Epidemic Rose Rash	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Typhus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Relapsing Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Influenza	3	...	3	1	...	1	4	1	5	2	...	2	10	1	11
	9. Whooping Cough	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	4	4	2	6	8
	10. Mumps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Diphtheria	4	6	10	9	8	17	3	3	6	...	1	1	16	18	34
	12. Cerebro-spinal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Simple continued Fever	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	14. Typhoid, Enteric Fever	92	25	117	87	33	120	24	9	33	18	8	26	221	75	296
	15. Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 2.—*Diarrhœal Diseases.*															
	1. Cholera, Sporadic, Simple	3	3	6	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	8
	1a. Cholera, Epidemic (Asiatic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diarrhœa	18	17	35	20	13	33	13	5	18	14	10	24	65	45	110
	3. Dysentery	21	5	26	31	16	47	16	3	19	20	5	25	88	29	117
	Sub-Class 3.—*Malarial Diseases.*															
	1. Remittent Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
	2. Intermittent Fever (Ague)	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	3
	3. Others	5	1	6	6	...	6	5	...	5	...	...	...	16	1	17
	Sub-Class 4.—*Zoogenous Diseases.*															
	1. Hydrophobia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Glanders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Splenic Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Cow-pox and other effects of Vaccination	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 5.—*Venereal Diseases.*															
	1. Syphilis	3	1	4	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	2	2	5	4	9
	2. Gonorœrha, Stricture of Urethra	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Sub-Class 6.—*Septic Diseases.*															
	1. Phagedæna	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
	2. Erysipelas	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	3. Pyæmia, Septicæmia	2	2	4	2	...	2	...	...	...	4	1	5	8	3	11
	4. Puerperal Fever	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	4	4	...	3	3	...	11	11
	Total Class I.	157	63	220	160	75	235	84	33	117	64	40	104	465	211	676
II.	PARASITIC DISEASES.															
	1. Thrush	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
	2. Other Diseases from Vegetable Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Hydatid Diseases	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
	4. Other Diseases from Animal Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	Total Class II.	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	2	4
III.	DIETETIC DISEASES.															
	1. Starvation, Want of Breast Milk	9	2	11	9	3	12	6	3	9	2	1	3	26	9	35
	2. Scurvy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Intemperance (a.) Chronic Alcoholism	4	1	5	1	1	2	...	...	...	3	1	4	8	3	11
	(b.) Delirium Tremens	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	3	6	...	6
	4. Chronic Opium or Morphia Poisoning	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Total Class III.	16	3	19	10	4	14	7	3	10	8	2	10	41	12	53

No. 44.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease, as registered during each Quarter of the Year 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Year 1898.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
IV.	CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.															
	1. Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism of Heart	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	2	4
	2. Rheumatism	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Gout	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2
	4. Rickets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Cancer, Malignant Disease ...	8	3	11	11	3	14	9	6	15	11	4	15	39	16	55
	6. Tabes Mesenterica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	2	2
	7. Tubercular Meningitis (Acute Hydrocephalus)	1	2	3	1	1	2	1	...	1	2	...	2	5	3	8
	8. Phthisis	20	10	30	14	9	23	20	12	32	17	11	28	71	42	113
	9. Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, etc.	5	1	6	3	1	4	3	2	5	5	...	5	16	4	20
	10. Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	2
	11. Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	2	2	1	4	5
	12. Diabetes Mellitus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	13. Other Constitutional Diseases ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Total Class IV. ...	36	17	53	31	16	47	34	24	58	38	18	56	139	75	214
V.	DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.															
	1. Premature Birth	10	11	21	16	11	27	11	12	23	12	13	25	49	47	96
	2. Atelectasis	1	...	1	...	...	...	3	2	5	1	...	1	5	2	7
	3. Cyanosis	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	3
	4. Spina Bifida...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	5. Imperforate Anus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Cleft Palate, Harelip	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Congenital Defects ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
	8. Old Age	6	5	11	16	1	17	9	3	12	11	4	15	42	13	55
	Total Class V. ...	17	16	33	33	14	47	24	18	42	24	17	41	98	65	163
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES.															
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Diseases of the Nervous System.*															
	1. Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes	12	4	16	10	...	10	4	3	7	8	1	9	34	8	42
	2. Apoplexy	3	2	5	6	1	7	...	1	1	3	1	4	12	5	17
	3. Softening of Brain	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	4. Hemiplegia, Brain Paralysis ...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	3
	5. Paralysis (undefined)	1	...	1	...	4	4	1	...	1	3	2	5	5	6	11
	6. Insanity (General Paralysis of Insane)	...	1	1	2	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	2	6	1	7
	7. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Epilepsy	1	...	1	2	1	3	...	2	2	...	...	...	3	3	6
	9. Convulsions	10	10	20	2	4	6	6	5	11	14	7	21	32	26	58
	10. Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Idiopathic Tetanus	1	...	1	4	...	4	2	1	3	...	...	...	7	1	8
	12. Paraplegia, Disease of Spinal Cord	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	13. Other Diseases of Nervous System	1	2	3	6	2	8	3	2	5	4	3	7	14	9	23
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.*															
	1. Otitis, Otorrhœa, and Diseases of Ear	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	2	1	3
	2. Epistaxis and Diseases of Nose ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Ophthalmia and Diseases of Eye	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Diseases of the Circulatory System.*															
	1. Endocarditis, Valvular Disease ...	7	1	8	5	4	9	4	...	4	4	1	5	20	6	26
	2. Pericarditis	2	2	4	3	1	4	1	...	1	1	...	1	7	3	10
	3. Hypertrophy of Heart	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	4. Angina Pectoris	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
	5. Syncope	2	...	2	...	1	1	3	1	4	1	...	1	6	2	8
	6. Aneurism	2	...	2	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3	8	...	8
	7. Senile Gangrene	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Embolism, Thrombosis	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	2	1	3
	9. Phlebitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	10. Varicose Veins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	11. Heart Disease, undefined	18	4	22	18	10	28	14	10	24	16	4	20	66	28	94

No. 44.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes, from each kind of Disease, as registered during each Quarter of the Year 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Year 1898.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES—*continued.*															
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Diseases of the Respiratory System.*															
	1. Laryngitis	3	...	3	2	1	3	2	...	2	...	...	...	7	1	8
	2. Croup	2	...	2	2	1	3	...	1	1	...	1	1	4	3	7
	2*a*. Croup (Diptheritis)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Other Diseases of Larynx and Trachea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Asthma, Emphysema	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	5. Bronchitis	4	3	7	14	9	23	18	8	26	12	6	18	48	26	74
	6. Pneumonia	19	12	31	41	14	55	29	15	44	24	15	39	113	56	169
	6*a*. Congestion of Lungs	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	...	...	...	4	3	7
	7. Pleurisy	3	1	4	2	...	2	4	1	5	2	...	2	11	2	13
	8. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	2
	SUB-CLASS 5.—*Diseases of the Digestive System.*															
	1. Stomatitis	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	2. Dentition	10	5	15	5	6	11	2	5	7	5	3	8	22	19	41
	3. Sore Throat, Quinsy	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	4. Dyspepsia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Hæmatemesis	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
	6. Melæna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	2
	7. Diseases of Stomach	6	8	14	11	10	21	3	3	6	8	3	11	28	24	52
	8. Enteritis	43	33	76	38	32	70	15	18	33	37	29	66	133	112	245
	9. Ulceration of Intestine	...	1	1	4	1	5	2	...	2	1	...	1	7	2	9
	10. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine ...	3	3	6	...	2	2	1	1	2	...	1	1	4	7	11
	11. Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	12. Intussusception of Intestine ...	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	4	2	6
	13. Hernia	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	1	4	1	1	2	4	3	7
	14. Fistula	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	15. Peritonitis	5	2	7	1	5	6	2	...	2	1	1	2	9	8	17
	16. Ascites	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	17. Gallstones	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18. Cirrhosis of Liver	5	1	6	2	2	4	1	...	1	1	...	1	9	3	12
	19. Other Diseases of Liver	5	1	6	7	1	8	3	1	4	6	1	7	21	4	25
	20. Other Diseases of Digestive System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	1	2	3
	SUB-CLASS 6.—*Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.*															
	1. Diseases of Lymphatic System ...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	3
	2. Diseases of Spleen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Bronchocele	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Addison's Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 7.—*Diseases of the Urinary System.*															
	1. Nephritis	4	1	5	2	1	3	3	...	3	2	...	2	11	2	13
	2. Bright's Disease (Nephria) ...	10	6	16	10	1	11	5	2	7	2	3	5	27	12	39
	3. Uræmia	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	2
	4. Suppression of Urine	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	5. Calculus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Hæmaturia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	7. Diseases of Bladder, Prostate, etc.	1	...	1	2	...	2	2	...	2	4	...	4	9	...	9
	8. Other Diseases of Urinary System	2	...	2	3	2	5	1	1	2	2	...	2	8	3	11
	SUB-CLASS 8.—*Diseases of the Organs of Generation.*															
	1. Ovarian Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diseases of Uterus and Vagina ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	4	4
	3. Disorders of Menstruation ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Pelvic Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	5. Perineal Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
	6. Diseases of the testes, penis, scrotum, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 9.—*Diseases of Parturition.*															
	1. Abortion, Miscarriage	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	3	3
	2. Puerperal Mania	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	3. Puerperal Convulsions	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	4. Placenta Prævia (Flooding) ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	5. Phlegmasia Dolens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Other Accidents of Child-birth ...	...	2	2	...	3	3	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	9	9

No. 44.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes, from each kind of Disease, as registered during each Quarter of the Year 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Year 1898.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES—*continued.*															
	SUB-CLASS 10.—*Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion.*															
	1. Caries, Necrosis	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	3	...	3
	2. Arthritis, Ostitis, Periostitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	3. Other Diseases of Organs of Locomotion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 11.—*Diseases of the Integumentary System.*															
	1. Carbuncle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Phlegmon, Cellulitis	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	3. Lupus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Ulcer, Bedsore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Eczema	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
	6. Pemphigus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Diseases of Integumentary System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Class VI.	195	110	305	221	127	348	143	91	234	180	92	272	739	420	1,159
VII.	VIOLENCE.															
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Accident or Negligence.*															
	1. Fractures, Contusions	28	4	32	17	...	17	23	...	23	25	...	25	93	4	97
	2. Gunshot Wounds	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2	3	...	3
	3. Cuts, etc.	2	1	3	4	2	6	1	1	2	2	...	2	9	4	13
	4. Burn, Scald	1	3	4	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	1	4	7	6	13
	4*a*. Sunstroke	9	6	15	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6	16
	4*b*. Lightning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Poison	...	1	1	3	2	5	1	1	2	3	...	3	7	4	11
	5*a*. Bite of Snake or Insect	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	6. Drowning	5	2	7	4	...	4	6	2	8	6	2	8	21	6	27
	7. Suffocation	2	...	2	1	1	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	5	1	6
	8. Otherwise	3	1	4	3	...	3	...	...	...	1	1	2	7	2	9
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Homicide.*															
	1. Murder and Manslaughter	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	4	4
	2. Justifiable Homicide	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Suicide.*															
	1. Gunshot Wounds	1	...	1	3	...	3	5	...	5	3	...	3	12	...	12
	2. Cut, Stab	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3	3	...	3	9	...	9
	3. Poison	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	4. Drowning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	2
	5. Hanging	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	1	2	1	3
	6. Otherwise	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	3
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Execution.*															
	1. Hanging	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Class VII.	54	19	73	41	7	48	44	9	53	50	6	56	189	41	230
VIII.	ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.															
	1. Dropsy	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2
	2. Debility, Atrophy, Inanition	37	35	72	18	21	39	13	13	26	21	19	40	89	88	177
	3. Mortification	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Tumor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Abscess	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2
	6. Hæmorrhage	2	...	2	1	1	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	5	1	6
	7. Sudden Death (cause unascertained)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Not specified or ill-defined	9	1	10	6	1	7	7	3	10	3	...	3	25	5	30
	Total Class VIII.	49	37	86	25	23	48	21	17	38	25	20	45	120	97	217
	Grand Total	524	266	790	522	266	788	357	196	553	390	195	585	1,793	923	2,716

No. 45.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease*

Class.	Cause of Death.	Under 12 Months.										1 Year and under 5 Years.										5 Years							
		Under 1 Month.		1 month and under 3.		3 months and under 6.		6 months and under 12.		Total.		1 Year and under 2.		2 years and under 3.		3 years and under 4.		4 years and under 5.		Total.		5 years and under 10.		10 years and under 15.		15 years and under 20		20 years and under 25.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
I.	SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																												
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Miasmatic Diseases.*																												
	1. Small-pox (*a.*) Vaccinated ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*b.*) Unvaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(*c.*) Not stated ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Chicken-pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Measles	...	1	...	...	3	2	1	2	4	5	8	3	4	2	...	...	...	...	12	5	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	4. Epidemic Rose Rash	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Scarlet fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Typhus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Relapsing Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Influenza	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	9. Whooping Cough	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10. Mumps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Diphtheria	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	2	2	...	1	4	2	3	4	9	9	4	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12. Cerebro-spinal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Simple continued Fever ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	14. Typhoid, Enteric Fever ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	1	...	2	5	3	4	7	9	11	11	55	18
	15. Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 2—*Diarrhœal Diseases.*																												
	1. Cholera, Sporadic, Simple ...	...	...	...	2	...	1	2	1	2	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1*a*. Cholera, Epidemic (Asiatic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diarrhœa	2	...	12	10	17	11	18	11	49	32	7	8	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	9	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Dysentery	...	...	2	2	2	...	8	4	12	6	5	2	5	...	1	1	1	2	12	5	8	3	1	1	...	...	5	2
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Malarial Diseases.*																												
	1. Remittent Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Intermittent Fever (Ague) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	1
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Zoogenous Diseases.*																												
	1. Hydrophobia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Glanders...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Splenic Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Cow-pox and other effects of Vaccination	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 5.—*Venereal Diseases.*																												
	1. Syphilis	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 6.—*Septic Diseases.*																												
	1. Phagedæna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Pyæmia, Septicæmia	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	4. Puerperal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
	Total Class I. ...	5	2	14	16	23	15	33	20	75	53	25	19	10	7	6	3	5	7	46	36	18	18	9	11	14	11	67	27
II.	PARASITIC DISEASES.																												
	1. Thrush	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Other Diseases from Vegetable Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Hydatid Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Other Diseases from Animal Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Class II. ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
III.	DIETETIC DISEASES.																												
	1. Starvation, Want of Breast Milk	1	2	3	3	6	3	...	1	10	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	2. Scurvy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Intemperance (*a.*) Chronic Alcholism ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	(*b.*) Delirium Tremens ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Chronic Opium or Morphia Poisoning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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IV.	CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.																												
	1. Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism of Heart...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	2. Rheumatism	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Gout	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Rickets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Cancer, Malignant Disease...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Tabes Mesenterica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Tubercular Meningitis (Acute Hydrocephalus)	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
	8. Phthisis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	1	4	4	8	12
	9. Other Forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, etc.	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	2	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...

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at different periods of life, as registered during the Year 1898.

and Over.																																				
25 years and under 30.		30 years and under 35		35 years and under 40.		40 years and under 45.		45 years and under 50.		50 years and under 55.		55 years and under 60.		60 years and under 65.		65 years and under 70.		70 years and under 75.		75 years and under 80.		80 years and under 85.		85 years and under 90.		90 years and under 95.		95 years and under 100.		Age not stated		Total.		All ages.		
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69	17	42	14	45	6	19	7	12	3	9	2	8	3	11	1	11	...	5	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	344	122	465	211	676
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No. 45.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease*

Class.	Cause of Death.	Under 12 Months.										1 Year and under 5 Years.										5 Years							
		Under 1 month.		1 month and under 3.		3 months and under 6.		6 months and under 12.		Total.		1 year and under 2.		2 years and under 3.		3 years and under 4.		4 years and under 5.		Total.		5 years and under 10.		10 years and under 15.		15 years and under 20.		20 years and under 25	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
IV.	CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES—*continued.*																												
	10. Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	12. Diabetes Mellitus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	13. Other Constitutional Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Class IV. ..	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	1	3	4	4	3	3	1	2	...	...	...	9	4	3	2	...	4	4	4	9	13
V.	DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.																												
	1. Premature Birth	43	42	5	4	...	...	1	1	49	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Atelectasis	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Cyanosis	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Spina Bifida	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Imperforate Anus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Cleft Palate, Harelip... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Congenital Defects ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Old Age	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Class V. ...	48	46	5	5	...	...	1	1	54	52	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES.																												
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Diseases of the Nervous System.*																												
	1. Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes	2	...	3	1	2	1	7	2	14	4	6	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	6	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
	2. Apoplexy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	3. Softening of Brain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	4. Hemiplegia, Brain Paralysis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Paralysis (undefined) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	6. Insanity (General Paralysis of Insane)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Epilepsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	9. Convulsions	10	6	3	4	7	9	3	4	23	23	7	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	8	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10. Laryngismus Stridulus ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Idiopathic Tetanus	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	5	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12. Paraplegia, Diseases of Spinal Cord	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Other Diseases of Nervous System	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.*																												
	1. Otitis, Otorrhœa, and Diseases of Ear	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	2. Epistaxis and Diseases of Nose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Ophthalmia and Diseases of Eye	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Diseases of the Circulatory System.*																												
	1. Endocarditis, Valvular Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	1
	2. Pericarditis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
	3. Hypertrophy of Heart ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Syncope	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Aneurism	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Senile Gangrene	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Embolism, Thrombosis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	9. Phlebitis...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10. Varicose Veins...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Heart Disease (undefined) ...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	2	...	5	1
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Diseases of the Respiratory System.*																												
	1. Laryngitis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	5	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Croup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	1	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2*a*. Croup (Diphtheritis) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Other Diseases of Larynx and Trachea...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Asthma, Emphysema ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Bronchitis	1	...	3	...	3	4	4	3	11	7	4	5	1	2	1	...	...	1	6	8	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
	6. Pneumonia	...	2	3	2	1	3	9	11	13	18	11	6	3	3	3	2	2	...	19	11	4	7	3	1	1	1	4	3
	6*a*. Congestion of Lungs... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Pleurisy	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	8. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 5.—*Diseases of the Digestive System.*																												
	1. Stomatitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Dentition	...	...	...	...	1	3	14	6	15	9	7	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Sore Throat, Quinsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Dyspepsia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Hæmatemesis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Melæna	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

at different periods of life, as registered during the Year 1898—continued,

and Over.

25 years and under 30.		30 years and under 35.		35 years and under 40.		40 years and under 45.		45 years and under 50.		50 years and under 55.		55 years and under 60.		60 years and under 65.		65 years and under 70.		70 years and under 75.		75 years and under 80.		80 years and under 85.		85 years and under 90.		90 years and under 95.		95 years and under 100.		Age not stated.		Total.		All ages.		
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11	4	12	3	8	...	6	2	7	2	4	1	3	2	4	...	8	...	2	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	27	113	56	169
...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	4	3	7
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No. 45.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease*

Class.	Cause of Death.	Under 12 Months.										1 Year and under 5 Years.										5 Years							
		Under 1 month.		1 month and under 3.		3 months and under 6.		6 months and under 12.		Total.		1 year and under 2.		2 years and under 3.		3 years and under 4.		4 years and under 5.		Total.		5 years and under 10.		10 years and under 15.		15 years and under 20.		20 years and under 25.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
VI.	Local Diseases—*continued.*																												
	Sub-Class 5.—*Diseases of the Digestive System*—continued.																												
	7. Diseases of Stomach	1	2	3	2	7	5	9	9	20	18	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Enteritis	3	4	17	12	38	34	38	30	96	80	12	20	2	3	2	1	1	...	17	24	...	1	1	...	...	...	4	...
	9. Ulceration of Intestine	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	10. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	11. Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12. Intussusception of Intestine	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Hernia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	14. Fistula	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	15. Peritonitis	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...
	16. Ascites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17. Gallstones	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	19. Other Diseases of Liver	3	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	20. Other Diseases of Digestive System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 6.—*Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.*																												
	1. Diseases of Lymphatic System	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diseases of Spleen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Bronchocele	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Addison's Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 7.—*Diseases of the Urinary System.*																												
	1. Nephritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	2. Bright's Disease (Nephria)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	3. Uræmia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Suppression of Urine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Calculus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Hæmaturia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Diseases of Bladder, Prostate, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	8. Other Diseases of Urinary System	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	Sub-Class 8.—*Diseases of the Organs of Generation.*																												
	1. Ovarian Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	3. Disorders of Menstruation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Pelvic Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Perineal Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Diseases of the testes, penis, Scrotum, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 9.—*Diseases of Parturition.*																												
	1. Abortion, Miscarriage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Puerperal Mania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Puerperal Convulsions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	4. Placenta Prævia, Flooding	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Phlegmasia Dolens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Other Accidents of Childbirth	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	Sub-Class 10.—*Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion.*																												
	1. Caries, Necrosis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Arthritis, Ostitis, Periostitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	3. Other Diseases of Organs of Locomotion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 11.—*Diseases of the Integumentary System.*																												
	1. Carbuncle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Phlegmon, Cellulitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Lupus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Ulcer, Bedsore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Eczema	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Pemphigus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Diseases of Integumentary System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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VII.	VIOLENCE.																												
	Sub-Class 1.—*Accident or Negligence.*																												
	1. Fractures, Contusions	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	4	1	...	...	3	...	3	1	11	...
	2. Gunshot Wounds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Cuts, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	4. Burn, Scald	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	2	3	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
	4*a*. Sunstroke	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4*b*. Lightning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Poison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
	5*a*. Bite of Snake or Insect	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Drowning	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	2	...	1	...	2	...
	7. Suffocation	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
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at different periods of life, as registered during the Year 1898—continued.

and Over.																																		All ages.		
25 years and under 30.		30 years and under 35.		35 years and under 40.		40 years and under 45.		45 years and under 50.		50 years and under 55.		55 years and under 60.		60 years and under 65.		65 years and under 70.		70 years and under 75.		75 years and under 80.		80 years and under 85		85 years and under 90.		90 years and under 95.		95 years and under 100.		Age not stated.		Total.				
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No. 45.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease*

Class.	Cause of Death.	Under 12 Months.										1 Year and under 5 Years.										5 Years							
		Under 1 Month.		1 month and under 3		3 months and under 6.		6 months and under 12.		Total.		1 year and under 2.		2 years and under 3.		3 years and under 4.		4 years and under 5.		Total.		5 years and under 10.		10 years and under 15.		15 years and under 20.		20 years and under 25.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
VII.	VIOLENCE—*continued.*																												
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Homicide.*																												
	1. Murder and Manslaughter ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	2. Justifiable Homicide	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Suicide.*																												
	1. Gunshot Wounds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
	2. Cut, Stab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Poison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Drowning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Hanging	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Otherwise	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Execution.*																												
	1. Hanging	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Class VII. ...	3	5	.	...	...	2	2	...	5	7	4	1	...	2	1	2	1	2	6	7	4	3	7	1	5	1	15	6
VIII.	ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.																												
	1. Dropsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Debility, Atrophy, Inanition	20	20	17	21	22	22	16	16	75	79	10	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	10	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Mortification	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Tumor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Abscess	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Hæmorrhage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	7· Sudden death (cause unascertained)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Not Specified or Ill-defined ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1
	Total Class VIII.	20	21	17	22	22	22	19	17	78	82	10	6	...	1	...	...	1	...	11	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1
	Grand Total ...	111	97	75	70	113	107	144	108	443	382	101	83	26	21	21	12	11	14	159	130	35	37	23	22	30	20	122	62

No. 46.—*Principal Causes of Death, in order of Fatality, for the Year 1898.*

Cause of Death.	Deaths registered.		Cause of Death.	Deaths registered.	
	No.	Percentage to Total Deaths.		No.	Percentage to Total Deaths.
1. Typhoid, Enteric Fever ...	296	10·90	23. Endocarditis, Valvular Disease	26	0·96
2. Enteritis	245	9·02	24. Diseases of Liver (undefined)...	25	0·92
3. Accidental Death	196	7·22	25. Diseases of Nervous System (undefined)	23	0·85
4. Debility, Atrophy, Inanition ...	177	6·52	26. Forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, etc. (undefined)	20	0·74
5. Pneumonia	169	6·22	27. Forms of Malarial Diseases (undefined)	17	0·63
6. Dysentery	117	4·31	28. Apoplexy	17	0·63
7. Phthisis	113	4·16	29. Peritonitis	17	0·63
8. Diarrhœa	110	4·05	30. Pleurisy	13	0·48
9. Premature Birth	96	3·53	31. Nephritis	13	0·48
10. Heart Disease (undefined) ...	94	3·46	32. Cirrhosis of Liver	12	0·44
11. Bronchitis	74	2·72	33. Influenza...	11	0·41
12. Convulsions	58	2·14	34. Pyæmia, Septicæmia	11	0·41
13. Cancer, Malignant Disease ...	55	2·03	35. Puerperal Fever	11	0·41
14. Old Age	55	2·03	36. Chronic Alcoholism	11	0·41
15. Diseases of Stomach (undefined)	52	1·91	37. Paralysis (undefined)	11	0·41
16. Inflammation of the Brain or its Membranes	42	1·55	38. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine	11	0·41
17. Dentition	41	1·51	39. Diseases of Urinary System (undefined)	11	0·41
18. Bright's Disease (Nephria) ...	39	1·44	40. Pericarditis	10	0·37
19. Starvation, Want of Breast Milk	35	1·29			
20. Measles	34	1·25			
21. Diphtheria	34	1·25			
22. Suicide	30	1·10			

at different periods of life, as registered during the Year 1898—continued.

and Over.																																				
25 years and under 30.		30 years and under 35.		35 years and under 40.		40 years and under 45.		45 years and under 50.		50 years and under 55.		55 years and under 60.		60 years and under 65.		65 years and under 70.		70 years and under 75.		75 years and under 80.		80 years and under 85.		85 years and under 90.		90 years and under 95.		95 years and under 100.		Age not stated.		Total.		All ages.		
Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
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21	2	21	2	27	5	21	...	16	1	12	3	7	1	5	1	3	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	11	...	178	27	189	41	230
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2	1	2	...	3	2	2	...	5	...	2	1	2	...	2	1	3	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	31	8	120	97	217
127	55	130	46	134	33	100	22	83	12	66	19	62	21	65	13	79	14	49	11	45	13	14	6	6	4	1	...	...	...	20	1	1191	411	1793	923	2716

No. 47.—*Summary of Causes of Death of Persons of both Sexes, as registered during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Class.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.		
										Males.	Females.	Total.
I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES ...	87	48	140	178	146	168	503	586	678	465	211	676
II.—PARASITIC DISEASES	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	8	2	2	4
III.—DIETETIC DISEASES	14	6	6	...	10	16	30	31	47	41	12	53
IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES	64	70	82	90	75	89	115	145	188	139	75	214
V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES	69	50	91	80	66	93	100	125	171	98	65	163
VI.—LOCAL DISEASES	233	238	375	353	429	467	574	750	1,069	739	420	1,159
VII.—VIOLENCE	44	41	61	92	102	109	123	155	255	189	41	230
VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES ...	100	84	114	137	116	139	159	228	227	120	97	217
Total	611	540	869	931	945	1,081	1,604	2,020	2,643	1,793	923	2,716

No. 48.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes, from each kind of Disease, as registered during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Class.	Cause of Death.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.		
											Males.	Females.	Total.
I.	SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												
	SUB-CLASS I.—*Miasmatic Diseases.*												
	1. Small-pox (a.) Vaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1. Small-pox (b.) Unvaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1. Small-pox (c.) Not stated	...	...	...	...	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Chicken-pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	3. Measles	...	...	...	...	21	6	...	...	1	21	13	34
	4. Epidemic Rose Rash	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	5. Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...
	6. Typhus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Relapsing Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Influenza	8	5	43	17	21	4	11	8	23	10	1	11
	9. Whooping Cough	...	...	19	13	...	4	21	9	3	2	6	8
	10. Mumps	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Diphtheria	4	3	3	7	8	8	12	9	26	16	18	34
	12. Cerebro-spinal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Simple-continued Fever	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	...	1	1	...	1
	14. Typhoid, Enteric Fever	13	3	19	55	28	73	325	400	407	221	75	296
	15. Others	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Diarrhœal Diseases.*												
	1. Cholera, Sporadic, Simple	2	1	3	4	...	...	3	...	14	4	4	8
	1*a*. Cholera, Epidemic (Asiatic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diarrhœa	22	15	18	48	34	40	56	65	78	65	45	110
	3. Dysentery	23	10	17	19	14	22	45	64	72	88	29	117
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Malarial Diseases.*												
	1. Remittent Fever	12	6	13	4	...	...	2	1	1	1	...	1
	2. Intermittent Fever (Ague)	...	2	...	...	3	...	4	3	3	3	...	3
	3. Others	...	...	...	9	4	2	8	9	19	16	1	17
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Zoogenous Diseases.*												
	1. Hydrophobia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Glanders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
	3. Splenic Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Cow-pox and other effects of Vaccination	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 5.—*Venereal Diseases.*												
	1. Syphilis	1	1	...	2	4	2	1	2	9	5	4	9
	2. Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	2	...	2
	SUB-CLASS 6.—*Septic Diseases.*												
	1. Phagedæna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
	2. Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	5	3	1	...	1
	3. Pyæmia, Septicæmia	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	5	8	3	11
	4. Puerperal Fever	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	9	6	...	11	11
	Total Class I.	87	48	140	178	146	168	503	586	678	465	211	676
II.	PARASITIC DISEASES.												
	1. Thrush	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	1
	2. Other Diseases from Vegetable Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Hydatid Disease	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	1	1	2
	4. Other Diseases from Animal Parasites	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Total Class II.	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	8	2	2	4
III.	DIETETIC DISEASES.												
	1. Starvation, Want of Breast Milk	1	1	1	...	3	9	11	17	25	26	9	35
	2. Scurvy	6	2	4	...	3	2	2	2	1	...	...	...
	3. Intemperance (a.) Chronic Alcoholism	...	3	1	...	2	3	11	9	15	8	3	11
	3. Intemperance (b.) Delirium Tremens	6	...	...	...	2	2	6	2	2	6	...	6
	4. Chronic Opium or Morphia Poisoning	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	...	1
	Total Class III.	14	6	6	...	10	16	30	31	47	41	12	53

No. 48.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes, from each kind of Disease, as registered during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.		
											Males.	Females	Total.
IV.	CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.												
	1. Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism of Heart	...	...	...	...	1	3	12	4	2	2	2	4
	2. Rheumatism	2	2	1	3	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
	3. Gout	...	1	...	...	1	2	1	...	1	2	...	2
	4. Rickets	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	5. Cancer, Malignant Disease... ...	20	15	20	16	19	22	25	30	51	39	16	55
	6. Tabes Mesenterica	1	1	1	2	3	5	5	6	4	...	2	2
	7. Tubercular Meningitis (Acute Hydrocephalus)	1	4	9	19	...	1	1	10	11	5	3	8
	8. Phthisis	39	43	49	47	44	53	57	83	87	71	42	113
	9. Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, etc.	...	2	...	...	4	1	9	10	17	16	4	20
	10. Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	1	1	2
	11. Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	5	1	4	5
	12. Diabetes Mellitus	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	3	...	1	1
	13. Other Constitutional Diseases ...	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	2
	Total Class IV.	64	70	82	90	75	89	115	145	188	139	75	214
V.	DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.												
	1. Premature Birth	11	10	21	19	22	36	42	45	87	49	47	96
	2. Atelectasis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	5	2	7
	3. Cyanosis	...	...	1	3	1	1	...	...	3	2	1	3
	4. Spina Bifida	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	6	...	1	1
	5. Imperforate Anus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Cleft Palate, Harelip	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Congenital Defects	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	3	...	1	1
	8. Old Age	57	39	68	55	43	55	58	78	70	42	13	55
	Total Class V.	69	50	91	80	66	93	100	125	171	98	65	163
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES.												
	Sub-Class 1.—*Diseases of the Nervous System.*												
	1. Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes	2	...	1	3	27	24	14	27	47	34	8	42
	2. Apoplexy	7	6	13	12	15	16	12	12	15	12	5	17
	3. Softening of Brain	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	5	2	...	2
	4. Hemiplegia, Brain Paralysis ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	4	3	2	3	...	3
	5. Paralysis (undefined)	15	10	22	14	15	14	15	10	18	5	6	11
	6. Insanity (General Paralysis of Insane)	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	4	8	6	1	7
	7. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Epilepsy	3	9	3	3	2	6	5	6	7	3	3	6
	9. Convulsions	38	30	37	39	54	49	43	45	57	32	26	58
	10. Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Idiopathic Tetanus	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3	5	7	1	8
	12. Paraplegia, Disease of Spinal Cord	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	5	4	2	...	2
	13. Other Diseases of Nervous System	13	15	12	5	6	3	2	4	19	14	9	23
	Sub-Class 2.—*Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.*												
	1. Otitis, Otorrhœa, and Diseases of Ear	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
	2. Epistaxis and Diseases of Nose ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	3. Ophthalmia and Diseases of Eye ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 3.—*Diseases of the Circulatory System.*												
	1. Endocarditis, Valvular Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	24	20	6	26
	2. Pericarditis	1	2	4	3	3	2	2	14	22	7	3	10
	3. Hypertrophy of Heart	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	2
	4. Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Syncope	...	...	...	2	6	9	7	8	12	6	2	8
	6. Aneurism	1	..	2	1	1	6	6	4	10	8	...	8
	7. Senile Gangrene	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...
	8. Embolism, Thrombosis	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	4	2	1	1
	9. Phlebitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1
	10. Varicose Veins	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
	11. Heart Disease (undefined)	39	39	54	61	72	64	93	109	89	66	28	94

No. 48.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes, from each kind of Disease, as registered during each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.		
											Males.	Females.	Total.
VI.	Local Diseases—*continued.*												
	Sub-Class 4.—*Diseases of the Respiratory System.*												
	1. Laryngitis	1	...	1	1	1	4	3	6	3	7	1	8
	2. Croup	11	11	14	21	13	11	5	5	9	4	3	7
	2*a*. Croup (Diphtheritis)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
	3. Other Diseases of Larynx and Trachea	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...
	4. Asthma, Emphysema	1	...	4	6	16	7	19	12	4	1	...	1
	5. Bronchitis	11	25	41	30	63	43	49	36	59	48	26	74
	6. Pneumonia	12	15	36	34	42	57	82	90	140	113	56	169
	6*a*. Congestion of Lungs	8	14	20	18	3	17	26	14	8	4	3	7
	7. Pleurisy	2	3	3	3	2	5	4	10	14	11	2	13
	8. Other diseases of Respiratory System	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	3	1	1	1	2
	Sub-Class 5.—*Diseases of the Digestive System.*												
	1. Stomatitis	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	1	...	1
	2. Dentition	3	3	6	16	7	17	11	28	32	22	19	41
	3. Sore Throat, Quinsy	3	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	3	2	...	2
	4. Dyspepsia	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3	3	...	...	...
	5. Hæmatemesis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	2
	6. Melæna	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	1	1	2
	7. Diseases of Stomach	7	3	10	8	12	10	20	33	48	28	24	52
	8. Enteritis	15	16	24	16	11	28	55	115	217	133	112	245
	9. Ulceration of Intestine	4	...	1	1	2	...	7	13	8	7	2	9
	10. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine	1	1	9	2	3	6	8	12	6	4	7	11
	11. Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine	2	3	3	1	1	2	1	3	3	1	...	1
	12. Intussuception of Intestine	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	3	4	4	2	6
	13. Hernia	1	...	...	...	2	1	3	2	1	4	3	7
	14. Fistula	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	15. Peritonitis	1	9	9	8	8	8	17	21	30	9	8	17
	16. Ascites	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1
	17. Gallstones	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
	18. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	4	9	4	5	9	7	9	3	12
	19. Other Diseases of Liver	11	12	22	13	8	13	12	18	21	21	4	25
	20. Other Diseases of Digestive System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	2	3
	Sub-Class 6.—*Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.*												
	1. Diseases of the Lymphatic System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	3
	2. Diseases of Spleen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Bronchocele	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Addison's Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 7.—*Diseases of the Urinary System.*												
	1. Nephritis	2	2	3	1	2	5	5	5	15	11	2	13
	2. Bright's Disease (Nephria)	3	2	5	8	4	6	4	14	24	27	12	39
	3. Uræmia	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	3	3	1	1	2
	4. Suppression of the Urine	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	5. Calculus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Hæmaturia	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1
	7. Diseases of Bladder, Prostate, etc.	4	2	2	...	...	3	1	4	3	9	...	9
	8. Other Diseases of Urinary System	5	2	5	...	...	1	2	5	10	8	3	11
	Sub-Class 8.—*Diseases of the Organs of Generation.*												
	1. Ovarian Disease	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	2. Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	3	...	4	4
	3. Disorders of Menstruation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Pelvic Abscess	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	1	1
	5. Perineal Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
	6. Diseases of the testes, penis, scrotum, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sub-Class 9.—*Diseases of Parturition.*												
	1. Abortion, Miscarriage	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	3	3
	2. Puerperal Mania	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1
	3. Puerperal Convulsions	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	4. Placenta Prævia (Flooding)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	...	1	1
	5. Phlegmasia Dolens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Other Accidents of Child-birth	4	2	4	3	3	7	4	1	12	...	9	9

No. 48.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from each kind of Disease, as registered during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.		
											Males.	Females.	Total.
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES—*continued.*												
	SUB-CLASS 10.—*Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion.*												
	1. Caries, Necrosis	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	3	...	3
	2. Arthritis, Ostitis, Periostitis ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1
	3. Other Diseases of Organs of Locomotion	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 11.—*Diseases of the Integumentary System.*												
	1. Carbuncle	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...
	2. Phlegmon, Cellulitis...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1
	3. Lupus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Ulcer, Bedsore	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
	5. Eczema	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1
	6. Pemphigus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Diseases of Integumentary System	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	Total Class VI.	233	238	375	353	429	467	574	750	1,069	739	420	1,159
VII.	VIOLENCE.												
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Accident or Negligence.*												
	1. Fractures, Contusions	9	10	22	17	33	23	38	31	90	93	4	97
	2. Gunshot Wounds	3	3	2	3	5	4	2	3	11	3	...	3
	3. Cuts, etc.	1	1	2	...	1	...	1	1	2	9	4	13
	4. Burn, Scald	7	2	5	4	7	8	14	6	32	7	6	13
	4*a*. Sunstroke	2	2	7	2	1	2	3	22	15	10	6	16
	4*b*. Lightning	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...
	5. Poison...	1	...	1	2	12	1	2	2	6	7	4	11
	5*a*. Bite of Snake or Insect	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	6. Drowning	5	13	13	20	27	41	31	30	27	21	6	27
	7. Suffocation	2	3	...	3	3	6	3	7	14	5	1	6
	8. Otherwise	1	1	2	23	...	3	1	23	13	7	2	9
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Homicide.*												
	1. Murder and Manslaughter	6	...	...	3	...	4	2	1	8	...	4	4
	2. Justifiable Homicide	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLAUSE 3.—*Suicide.*												
	1. Gunshot Wounds	1	...	...	1	4	5	8	11	9	12	...	12
	2. Cut, Stab	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	3	8	9	...	9
	3. Poison	...	1	1	4	4	2	7	4	5	1	...	1
	4. Drowning	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	4	2	1	1	2
	5. Hanging	...	1	1	3	1	2	3	1	5	2	1	3
	6. Otherwise	2	2	4	3	3	6	4	2	6	2	1	3
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Execution.*												
	1. Hanging	1	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
	Total Class VII.	44	41	61	92	102	109	123	155	255	189	41	230
VIII.	ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.												
	1. Dropsy	8	10	23	5	5	6	4	10	3	1	1	2
	2. Debility, Atrophy, Inanition ...	54	37	44	52	45	57	73	141	162	89	88	177
	3. Mortification	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Tumor	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	2	2	...	...	...
	5. Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	3	4	...	2	2
	6. Hæmorrhage...	...	...	...	...	5	7	15	11	6	5	1	6
	7. Sudden death (cause unascertained)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Not Specified or Ill-defined... ...	37	37	47	80	59	61	54	61	50	25	5	30
	Total Class VIII. ...	100	84	114	137	116	139	159	228	227	120	97	217
	Grand Total	611	540	869	931	945	1,081	1,604	2,020	2,643	1,793	923	2,716

No. 49.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from Typhoid (Enteric Fever), at different*

Registration District.	Under 12 Months.										1 Year and under 5 Years.									
	Under 1 Month.		1 month and under 3.		3 months and under 6.		6 months and under 12.		Total.		1 year and under 2.		2 years and under 3.		3 years and under 4.		4 years and under 5		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blackwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Broad Arrow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Claremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eucla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Irwin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jarradale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Katanning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley Goldfields	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leederville	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Mount Margaret	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Subiaco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Sussex	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Swan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Victoria Plains	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Males and Females	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	1	...	2	5
Grand Total	2		...		...		1		3		2		3		1		1		7	

No. 50.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from Typhoid (Enteric Fever) at different*

MONTH.																				
January	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
February	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
March	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1
April	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
May	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
June	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
July	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
August	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
September	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
October	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
November	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
December	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total—Males and Females	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	1	...	2	5
Grand Total	2		...		...		1		3		2		3		1		1		7	

periods of life, as registered in each Registration District during 1898.

5 Years and Over.																														All ages.		
5 years and under 10.		10 years and under 15.		15 years and under 20.		20 years and under 25.		25 years and under 30.		30 years and under 35.		35 years and under 40.		40 years and under 45.		45 years and under 50.		50 years and under 55.		55 years and under 60.		60 years and under 65.		65 years and under 70.		Age not stated.		Total.				
Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
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...	...	2	...	1	2	8	4	12	1	3	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	32	10	33	11	44
...	...	...	4	...	1	16	3	14	1	13	4	9	...	3	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	61	14	61	14	75
...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	5	3	8
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periods of life as registered in each month of 1898.

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3	4	7	9	11	11	55	18	58	8	28	10	26	2	11	3	6	2	4	1	1	1	5	...	1	...	1	...	217	69	221	75	296
7		16		22		73		66		38		28		14		8		5		2		5		1		1		286		296		

No. 51.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from Typhoid (Enteric Fever) distinguishing the number registered in each District during each Quarter of the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	Typhoid (Enteric Fever).														
	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Total for the Year.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blackwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Broad Arrow	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
Broome	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Claremont	2	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	1	4
Coolgardie	15	6	21	9	2	11	6	2	8	3	1	4	33	11	44
Do. East	19	4	23	29	4	33	4	4	8	9	2	11	61	14	75
Do. North	2	2	4	2	1	3	1	...	1	...	...	..	5	3	8
Do. North-East	1	...	1	4	1	5	5	...	5	2	...	2	12	1	13
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eucla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	12	5	17	4	6	10	2	...	2	1	1	2	19	12	31
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Irwin	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jarrahdale	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Katanning	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. Goldfields	...	...	...	1	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Leederville	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Mount Margaret	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	3
Murchison	4	...	4	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	5	1	6
Murchison, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northam	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Northampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Perth	25	3	28	21	11	32	3	2	5	1	3	4	50	19	69
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
Subiaco	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Sussex	1	2	3	2	2	4	...	1	1	...	...	...	3	5	8
Swan	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	3
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Victoria Plains	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington	2	1	3	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	8
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yilgarn	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	92	25	117	87	33	120	24	9	33	18	8	26	221	75	296
Percentage of deaths from Typhoid to total deaths for period.	14·81°/ₒ			15·23°/ₒ			5·97°/ₒ			4·44°/ₒ			10·90°/ₒ		

No. 52.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from Diphtheria, distinguishing the Number Registered in each District during each Quarter of the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	Diphtheria.														
	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Total for the Year.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beverley	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Blackwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Broad Arrow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canning	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Claremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. East	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Do. North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. North-East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eucla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	1	...	1	1	2	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	3	5
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Geraldton	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Irwin	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Jarrahdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Katanning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. Goldfields	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leederville	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Mount Margaret	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth	2	3	5	4	2	6	3	1	4	...	1	1	9	7	16
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Subiaco	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Sussex	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Swan	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Victoria Plains	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
York	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total	4	6	10	9	8	17	3	3	6	...	1	1	16	18	34
Percentage of Deaths from Diphtheria to Total Deaths for period.	1·27°/o			2·16/o			1·08°/o			0·17°/o			1·25°/o		

No. 53.—*Number of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes from Diarrhœal Diseases, distinguishing the Number Registered in each District during each Quarter of the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	Diarrhœal Diseases.														
	March Quarter.			June Quarter.			September Quarter.			December Quarter.			Total for the Year.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Blackwood	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Broad Arrow	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	2
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Claremont	...	1	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
Coolgardie	5	5	10	...	1	1	4	...	4	4	2	6	13	8	21
Do. East	10	3	13	11	2	13	6	4	10	7	3	10	34	12	46
Do. North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. North-East ...	...	...	...	3	1	4	1	...	1	1	...	1	5	1	6
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Esperance	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eucla...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	3	1	4	7	8	15	3	...	3	2	1	3	15	10	25
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Geraldton	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	2	3
Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Irwin...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jarrahdale	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Katanning	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	..	1
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Do. Goldfields ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leederville	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	4	4
Mount Margaret	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Murchison	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	3
Murchison, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murray	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Northam	1	...	1	2	1	3	...	...	...	4	...	4	7	1	8
Northampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth...	8	5	13	12	7	19	9	3	12	9	4	13	38	19	57
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet...	5	1	6	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	2	2	6	5	11
Roebourne	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	3
Subiaco	1	...	1	4	...	4	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	1	7
Sussex	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Swan...	2	1	3	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	3	6
Toodyay	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	3
Victoria Plains	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	3
Wellington	2	...	2	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	6
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
York	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Total ...	42	25	67	52	30	82	29	8	37	34	15	49	157	78	235
Percentage of Deaths from Diarrhœal Diseases to Total Deaths for period	8·48°/₀			10·41°/₀			6·69°/₀			8·38°/₀			8·65°/₀		

No. 54.—*Number of Marriages performed by Ministers of various Denominations and by District Registrars, as registered in each Registration District, during the Year 1898.*

Registration District.	Church of England.	Roman Catholic.	Wesleyan Methodist.	Presbyterian.	Congregational.	Salvation Army.	Baptist.	Hebrew.	Church of Christ.	Seventh Day Adventists.	District Registrars.	Total.
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beverley	7	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Blackwood	7	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Broad Arrow	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Broome	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9
Canning	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Claremont	11	...	4	7	8	...	1	...	...	...	4	35
Coolgardie	34	21	28	17	...	2	...	...	...	...	5	107
Do. East	38	40	58	21	...	...	1	...	...	...	7	165
Do. North ...	8	7	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	22
Do. North East ...	3	3	8	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	16
Dandaraga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas	3	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
Esperance	4	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11
Eucla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	68	36	44	25	32	1	3	3	4	...	59	275
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Geraldton	10	15	10	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	39
Gingin	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Greenough	3	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Irwin	4	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Jarrahdale	3	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9
Katanning	1	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	8
Kimberley, East... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. West... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Do. Goldfields ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leederville	...	...	...	...	5	1	1	...	...	...	5	12
Mount Margaret ...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5
Murchison	6	5	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	19
Do. East	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Murray	11	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
Northam	17	10	8	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	46
Northampton	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Peak Hill...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
Perth	170	114	77	58	45	4	16	7	13	1	49	554
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet	26	9	14	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	62
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2
Subiaco	9	2	6	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	24
Sussex	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
Swan	22	4	19	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	50
Toodyay	6	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
Victoria Plains	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Wellington	17	11	14	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	3	58
Williams	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Yalgoo	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Yilgarn	5	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	17
York	4	4	8	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	17
Total	512	321	355	150	107	12	25	10	17	1	164	1,674

No. 55.—*Conjugal Condition of all Persons Married in Western Australia during the Years 1897 and 1898.*

Year.	Bachelors.	Spinsters.	Widowers.	Widows.	Divorced Men.	Divorced Women.	Total.
1897	1,569	1,546	87	104	3	9	3,318
1898	1,563	1,549	109	123	2	2	3,348
Total	3,132	3,095	196	227	5	11	6,666

	1897.	1898.	Total
Marriages between—			
Bachelors and Spinsters	1,480	1,467	2,947
Bachelors and Widows	82	94	176
Bachelors and Divorced	7	2	9
Widowers and Spinsters	64	80	144
Widowers and Widows	21	29	50
Widowers and Divorced	2	—	2
Divorced and Spinsters	2	2	4
Divorced and Widows	1	—	1
Divorced and Divorced	—	—	—
Total	1,659	1,674	3,333

No. 56.—*Mean Ages at Marriage in Western Australia during the Year 1898.*

In Marriages of	Mean of the Recorded Ages at Marriage.	
	Husbands.	Wives.
	Years.	Years.
Bachelors with Spinster	27·91	24·04
Bachelors with Widows	33·32	33·40
Bachelors with Divorced	36·00	35·00
Widowers with Spinsters	37·13	27·69
Widowers with Widows	44·28	38·97
Widowers with Divorced	...	...
Divorced with Spinsters	41·50	25·50
Divorced with Widows	...	...
Divorced with Divorced	...	...
In all Marriages of Bachelors	28·25	24·61
In all Marriages of Widowers	39·03	30·69
In all Marriages of Divorced Men	41·50	25·50
In all Marriages of Spinsters	28·40	24·23
In all Marriages of Widows	35·90	34·72
In all Marriages of Divorced Women ...	36·00	35·00
In all Marriages	28·96	25·01

No. 57.—*Ages of Contracting Parties at the time of Marriage, in Western Australia, 1898.*

Ages.			Ages of Wives.																	Total Husbands.
			Wives under age.							Wives of full age.										
			14 and under 15.	15 and under 16.	16 and under 17.	17 and under 18.	18 and under 19.	19 and under 20.	20 and under 21.	21 and under 25.	25 and under 30.	30 and under 35.	35 and under 40.	40 and under 45.	45 and under 50.	50 and under 55.	55 and under 60.	60 and under 65.	Full age, age not stated.	
Ages of Husbands.	Hush'nds under full age.	15 and under 16 ...																		
		16 ,, ,, 17 ...																		
		17 ,, ,, 18 ...																		
		18 ,, ,, 19 ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
		19 ,, ,, 20 ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
		20 ,, ,, 21 ...	...	...	...	...	2	3	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
	Husbands of full age.	21 ,, ,, 25 ...	..	1	3	7	27	30	33	199	55	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	364
		25 ,, ,, 30 ...	1	...	10	11	31	31	47	261	244	34	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	678
		30 ,, ,, 35 ...	...	...	1	5	11	16	15	99	137	60	17	5	1	...	...	...	...	367
		35 ,, ,, 40 ...	...	...	...	1	...	5	3	30	61	37	24	8	...	...	...	...	1	170
		40 ,, ,, 45 ...	...	...	1	...	. .	...	...	5	8	13	11	6	2	...	...	...	...	46
		45 ,, ,, 50 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	5	7	...	1	1	...	...	...	17
		50 ,, ,, 55 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	4
		55 ,, ,, 60 ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	3
		60 ,, ,, 65 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3
		65 ,, ,, 70 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	4
		70 ,, ,, 75 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2
		Full age, age not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total Wives ...			1	1	15	24	71	87	102	600	510	159	70	19	7	2	2	3	1	1674

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No. 58.—*Number of Certificates of Naturalisation issued under "The Naturalisation Act, 1871" (35 Vict., No. 2), the nationality of the recipients being distinguished.*

Year.	Asia Minor.	Austria-Hungary.	Belgium.	Brazil.	China.	Denmark.	Finland.	France.	Germany.	Greece.	Holland.	Italy.	Norway.	Palestine.	Penang Island.	Philippine Islands.	Roumania.	Russia.	Spain.	Sweden.	Switzerland.	Timor.	Turkey.	U.S.A.	Total for Year.
1871	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3
1872	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
1873	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
1874	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3
1875	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	5
1876	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3
1877	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1878	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
1879	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1880	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1881	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
1882	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
1883	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
1884	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1885	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
1886	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
1887	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
1888	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	7
1889	...	...	...	...	6	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	3	...	...	...	...	16
1890	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	15
1891	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	8
1892	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	7
1893	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	4
1894	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	11
1895	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	6	45	...	...	...	...	...	55
1896	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	9	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	22
1897	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	1	24	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	4	4	...	...	...	2	44
1898	...	3	1	...	...	1	2	4	9	2	1	5	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	9	...	...	2	1	45
Total	1	11	3	1	22	9	3	8	67	2	4	12	6	1	1	1	1	26	61	25	3	1	3	6	278

No. 59.—*Meteorological Information furnished by the Government Astronomer, from Observations recorded at the Perth Observatory, 1898.*

The highest Temperature in the Shade was 107·0° on 6th February; and the lowest 37·1° on 14th June.

The greatest range of Temperature took place on the

	Max.	Min.	Range.
22nd December	94·6°	56·5°	38·1°

The following shows mean of Barometer, mean shade Temperature, maximum and minimum in Shade, mean Humidity, Rainfall, and prevailing winds:—

Months.	Mean of Barometer.	Mean shade Temperature.	Maximum on any one day in Shade.	Minimum on any one day in Shade.	Mean Humidity.		Rainfall.		Resultant direction of Wind.	
					9 a.m.	3 p.m.	Inches.	Days.	9 a.m.	3 p.m.
January	29·923	74·0	104·2	54·7	56	50	0·47	2	E.S.E.	S.W.
February	29·859	76·6	107·0	54·0	52	42	0·21	3	E.	S.S.W.
March	29·970	73·2	98·0	51·1	48	40	0·10	2	E.	S.W.
April	30·200	66·3	89·0	50·8	62	46	0·41	3	E.	S.S.W.
May	30·120	61·8	79·6	47·6	69	51	3·56	10	E.N.E.	S.
June	30·079	54·0	66·2	37·1	79	62	6·23	16	E.N.E.	S.
July	30·120	56·8	72·2	39·7	78	61	5·41	15	N.E.	W.
August	30·018	57·5	78·4	43·1	75	59	8·66	17	N.E.	N.W.
September	30·086	60·2	82·2	45·9	69	59	2·19	18	N.	W.
October	29·975	61·5	86·8	42·4	64	58	3·60	22	W.N.W.	W.
November	29·908	65·2	90·3	48·4	57	54	0·79	8	S.S.E.	S.W.
December	29·950	71·0	101·6	54·3	51	49	0·13	2	S.E.	S.S.W.
Mean	30·017	64·8	...	...	63	53				
Sum	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·76	118		
Extreme ...	...	...	107·0	37·1						

The average readings of the Barometer, the Temperature, and Rainfall at the Perth Botanical Gardens for the 22 years ended 1897 are

Barometer	30·056
Temperature	64·9°
Rainfall	33·01 inches.

(III.) AUSTRALASIAN POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 60.—*Estimate of the Population of each of the Australasian Capitals, 31st December, 1898.*

Capital (including suburbs).	Males.	Females.	Total.
Perth...	25,100	14,500	39,600
Sydney	215,250	211,700	426,950
Melbourne	*	*	469,680
Brisbane (within five mile radius of General Post Office)	54,211	53,629	107,840
Adelaide	71,688	75,928	147,616
Wellington	*	*	47,207
Hobart	19,700	20,750	40,450†

* Males and females not distinguished. † Supposed to be over-estimated owing to departures for mining districts.

No. 61.—*Estimate of the Population of each of the Australasian Colonies on 31st December, 1897 and 1898.*

Colony.	Area in Square Miles.	Population on the 31st December.*			Number of	
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Females to 100 Males.	Persons to the square mile.
1897.						
Western Australia	975,920	110,359	51,565	161,924	46·72	0·17
New South Wales	310,700	709,360	614,100	1,323,460	86·57	4·26
Victoria	87,884	595,402	580,836	1,176,238	97·55	13·38
Queensland	668,497	271,372	213,328	484,700	78·61	0·73
South Australia (Province)	380,070	183,920	174,304	358,224	94·77	0·94
Northern Territory	523,620	4,418	402	4,820	9·10	0·01
Total	2,946,691	1,874,831	1,634,535	3,509,366	87·18	1·19
New Zealand	104,471	384,703	344,353	729,056	89·51	6·98
Tasmania	26,215	91,610	80,109	171,719	87·45	6·55
Total Australasia ...	3,077,377	2,351,144	2,058,997	4,410,141	87·57	1·43
1898.						
Western Australia	975,920	112,054	56,075	168,129	50·04	0·17
New South Wales	310,700	721,335	624,905	1,346,240	86·63	4·33
Victoria	87,884	593,424	582,036	1,175,460	98·08	13·38
Queensland	668,497	279,670	218,853	498,523	78·25	0·75
South Australia (Province)	380,070	187,251	175,646	362,897	93·80	0·95
Northern Territory	523,620	4,494	409	4,903	9·10	0·01
Total	2,946,691	1,898,228	1,657,924	3,556,152	87·34	1·21
New Zealand	104,471	392,124	351,339	743,463	89·60	7·12
Tasmania	26,215	95,633	81,707	177,340	85·44	6·76
Total Australasia ...	3,077,377	2,385,985	2,090,970	4,476,955	87·64	1·45

* Exclusive of Aboriginals, except in the case of Victoria and New South Wales. In the former Colony 565, and in the latter 8,280 were enumerated at the Census of 1891. The Maories of New Zealand, who numbered 39,854, 21,673 males and 18,181 females, at the Census in 1896, are also excluded.

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No. 62.—*Estimated Mean Population of each of the Australasian Colonies, for the Years 1897 and 1898.*

Colony.	Mean Population for the Year.			Number of Females to 100 Males.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1897.				
Western Australia … …	108,735	47,014	155,749	43·24
New South Wales … …	702,255	608,295	1,310,550	86·62
Victoria … … … …	593,180	579,610	1,172,790	97·71
Queensland … … …	267,993	210,447	478,440	78·53
South Australia (province) …	180,664	172,854	353,518	95·68
Northern Territory … …	4,513	414	4,927	9·17
Total … … …	1,857,340	1,618,634	3,475,974	87·15
New Zealand … … …	380,845	340,764	721,609	89·48
Tasmania … … …	89,953	78,963	168,916	87·78
Mean Total for Australasia	2,328,138	2,038,361	4,366,499	87·55
1898.				
Western Australia … …	114,637	54,634	169,271	47·66
New South Wales … …	715,348	619,502	1,334,850	86·60
Victoria … … … …	592,028	580,924	1,172,952	98·12
Queensland … … …	276,108	216,494	492,602	78·41
South Australia (province) …	183,936	174,099	358,035	94·65
Northern Territory … …	4,490	414	4,904	9·22
Total … … …	1,886,547	1,646,067	3,532,614	87·25
New Zealand … … …	388,414	347,846	736,260	89·56
Tasmania … … …	93,622	80,908	174,530	86·42
Mean Total for Australasia	2,368,583	2,074,821	4,443,404	87·60

No. 63.—*Births registered in each of the Australasian Colonies, during 1897 and 1898.*

Colony.	Mean Population.	Total Births.			BIRTH RATE. Number of births per 1000 of the mean population for the Year.	Illegitimate births registered.			
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of total births.
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%
1897.									
Western Australia … … … …	155,749	2,036	1,985	4,021	25·82	114	98	212	5·27
New South Wales … … …	1,310,550	18,989	18,258	37,247	28·42	1,258	1,194	2,452	6·58
Victoria … … … … …	1,172,790	16,013	15,297	31,310	26·69	*	*	1,696	5·42
Queensland … … … … …	478,440	7,277	7,036	14,313	29·92	441	421	862	6·02
South Australia (province) …	353,518	4,881	4,654	9,535	26·97	171	166	337	3·53
Northern Territory… … …	4,927	16	11	27	5·48	…	…	…	…
New Zealand … … …	721,609	9,600	9,137	18,737	25·97	408	418	826	4·41
Tasmania … … … … …	168,916	2,485	2,199	4,684	27·73	156	123	279	5·96
Total for 1897 … …	4,366,499	61,297	58,577	119,874	27·45	…	…	6,664	5·56
1898.									
Western Australia … … … …	169,271	2,574	2,394	4,968	29·35	137	111	248	4·99
New South Wales … … …	1,334,850	18,723	17,499	36,222	27·14	1,280	1,231	2,511	6·93
Victoria … … … … …	1,172,952	15,435	14,737	30,172	25·72	*	*	1,595	5·29
Queensland … … … … …	492,602	7,083	6,850	13,933	28·28	442	399	841	6·04
South Australia (province) …	358,035	4,568	4,377	8,945	24·98	166	158	324	3·62
Northern Territory… … …	4,904	12	13	25	5·10	…	1	1	4·00
New Zealand … … …	736,260	9,615	9,340	18,955	25·74	375	426	801	4·23
Tasmania … … … … …	174,530	2,409	2,171	4,580	26·25	112	121	233	5·09
Total for 1898 … …	4,443,404	60,419	57,381	117,800	26·51	…	…	6,554	5·56

* Victoria does not distinguish sex of illegitimate births.

No. 64.—*Deaths registered in each of the Australasian Colonies during 1897 and 1898.*

Colony.	Mean Population.	Total Deaths.			DEATH RATE.	Deaths under one year registered.					Deaths under five years registered.			
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Number of deaths per 1,000 of the mean population for the year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	INFANTILE MORTALITY. Percentage of deaths under one year to total births.	Percentage of deaths under one year to total deaths.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of deaths under five years to total deaths.
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%	%	No.	No.	No.	%
1897.														
Western Australia	155,749	1,825	818	2,643	16·97	393	345	738	18·35	27·92	505	440	945	35·75
New South Wales	1,310,550	8,314	5,950	14,264	10·88	2,081	1,720	3,801	10·20	26·65	2,706	2,234	4,940	34·63
Victoria	1,172,790	8,534	6,592	15,126	12·90	1,753	1,482	3,235	10·33	21·39	2,371	2,024	4,395	29·06
Queensland	478,440	3,483	1,940	5,423	11·33	764	590	1,354	9·46	24·97	1,013	821	1,834	33·82
South Australia (province)	353,518	2,192	1,781	3,973	11·24	586	454	1,040	10·91	26·18	724	596	1,320	33·22
Northern Territory	4,927	64	7	71	14·41	1	4	5	18·52	7·04	1	4	5	7·04
New Zealand	721,609	3,787	2,808	6,595	9·14	757	597	1,354	7·23	20·53	956	776	1,732	26·26
Tasmania	168,916	1,115	832	1,947	11·53	234	177	411	8·77	21·11	314	231	545	27·99
Total for 1897	4,366,499	29,314	20,728	50,042	11·46	6,569	5,369	11,938	9·96	23·86	8,590	7,126	15,716	31·41
1898.														
Western Australia	169,271	1,793	923	2,716	16·05	443	382	825	16·61	30·38	602	512	1,114	41·02
New South Wales	1,334,850	9,636	7,025	16,661	12·48	2,431	1,987	4,418	12·20	26·52	3,391	2,897	6,288	37·74
Victoria	1,172,952	10,533	8,162	18,695	15·94	2,228	1,819	4,047	13·41	21·65	3,283	2,805	6,088	32·56
Queensland	492,602	3,771	2,472	6,243	12·67	804	736	1,540	11·05	24·67	1,177	1,104	2,281	36·54
South Australia (province)	358,035	2,584	2,091	4,675	13·06	726	525	1,251	13·99	26·76	951	736	1,687	36·09
Northern Territory	4,904	51	6	57	11·62	4	2	6	24·00	10·53	4	2	6	10·53
New Zealand	736,260	4,280	2,964	7,244	9·84	860	650	1,510	7·97	20·84	1,098	822	1,920	26·50
Tasmania	174,530	1,318	1,041	2,359	13·52	312	219	531	11·59	22·51	418	312	730	30·95
Total for 1898	4,443,404	33,966	24,684	58,650	13·20	7,808	6,320	14,128	11·99	24·09	10,924	9,190	20,114	34·29

No. 65.—*Marriages Registered in each of the Australasian Colonies during 1897 and 1898.*

Colony.	Mean Population.	Marriages celebrated by Ministers of Religion.	Marriages celebrated by District Registrars.	Total.	MARRIAGE RATE. Number of Marriages per 1,000 of the mean population for the Year.	Percentage of Marriages performed by District Registrars to total marriages.	Marriages of Minors.				Mark Signatures of Contracting Parties					
							Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Minors married to total number of persons married.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Percentage of Mark Signatures to total number married.		
		No.	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	No.	Males. %	Females. %	Persons. %
1897.																
Western Australia	155,749	1,503	156	1,659	10·65	9·40	15	258	273	8·23	14	21	35	0·84	1·27	1·05
New South Wales	1,310,550	8,501	312	8,813	6·72	3·54	274	2,156	2,430	13·79	140	125	265	1·59	1·42	1·50
Victoria	1,172,790	7,320	248	7,568	6·45	3·28	139	1,186	1,325	8·75	64	56	120	0·85	0·74	0·79
Queensland	478,440	2,695	199	2,894	6·05	6·88	76	765	841	14·53	44	70	114	1·52	2·42	1·97
South Australia (province) ...	353,518	1,846	103	1,949	5·51	5·28	62	414	476	12·21	21	20	41	1·08	1·03	1·05
Northern Territory	4,927	4	...	4	0·81	...	...	1	1	12·50						
New Zealand	721,609	4,043	885	4,928	6·83	17·96	80	919	999	10·14	25	39	64	0·51	0·79	0·65
Tasmania	168,916	1,035	17	1,052	6·23	1·62	39	324	363	17·25	50	40	90	4·75	3·80	4·28
Total for 1897	4,366,499	26,947	1,920	28,867	6·61	6·65	685	6,023	6,708	11·62	358	371	729	1·24	1·29	1·26
1898.																
Western Australia	169,271	1,510	164	1,674	9·89	9·80	15	301	316	9·44	10	24	34	0·60	1·43	1·02
New South Wales	1,334,850	8,647	241	8,888	6·66	2·71	242	2,110	2,352	13·23	156	151	307	1·76	1·70	1·73
Victoria	1,172,952	7,401	219	7,620	6·50	2·87	124	1,154	1,278	8·39	56	47	103	0·74	0·62	0·68
Queensland	492,602	2,727	245	2,972	6·03	8·24	75	754	829	13·95	89	97	186	2·99	3·26	3·13
South Australia (province) ...	358,035	2,130	84	2,214	6·18	3·79	66	451	517	11·68	45	35	80	2·03	1·58	1·81
Northern Territory	4,904	5	2	7	1·43	28·57	...	2	2	14·29	1	1	2	14·29	14·29	14·29
New Zealand	736,260	4,225	866	5,091	6·91	17·01	80	923	1,003	9·85	37	39	76	0·73	0·77	0·75
Tasmania...	174,530	1,090	7	1,097	6·29	0·64	28	262	290	13·22	61	69	130	5·56	6·29	5·93
Total for 1898	4,443,404	27,735	1,828	29,563	6·65	6·18	630	5,957	6,587	11·14	455	463	918	1·54	1·57	1·55

No. 66.—*Birth Rates in the Australasian Colonies, 1889-1898.*

Year.	Number of Births per 1,000 of Mean Population.							
	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	* South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.	Total for Australasia.
1889 ...	37·19	34·97	33·35	36·27	33·49	30·07	33·92	33·69
1890 ...	34·85	35·36	33·60	37·15	33·27	29·44	33·49	33·80
1891 ...	35·63	34·50	33·57	36·35	33·92	29·01	33·37	33·40
1892 ...	33·09	33·89	32·54	35·84	32·41	27·83	32·47	32·49
1893 ...	34·22	33·33	31·23	33·73	31·76	27·50	33·92	31·67
1894 ..	28·27	31·48	29·16	31·86	30·49	27·28	31·11	29·98
1895 ...	26·30	30·66	28·56	32·85	30·23	26·78	30·09	29·49
1896 ...	22·65	28·43	27·28	30·06	28·46	26·33	28·16	27·74
1897 ...	25·82	28·42	26·69	29·92	26·97	25·97	27·73	27·45
1898 ...	29·35	27·14	25·72	28·28	24·98	25·74	26·25	26·51
Mean for 10 years	28·98	31·62	30·13	33·03	30·46	27·52	30·89	30·46

* Exclusive of the Northern Territory, the Birth Rate of which in 1898 was 5·10.

No. 67.—*Order of Australasian Colonies in reference to Birth Rates.*

FOR THE YEAR 1898.		DECENNIAL PERIOD, 1889 TO 1898.	
Colony.	Number of Births per 1,000 of the Mean Population.	Colony.	Number of Births per 1,000 of the Mean Population.
1. Western Australia (Highest)	29·35	1. Queensland (Highest)	33·03
2. Queensland	28·28	2. New South Wales	31·62
3. New South Wales	27·14	3. Tasmania	30·89
4. Tasmania	26·25	4. South Australia*	30·46
5. New Zealand	25·74	5. Victoria	30·13
6. Victoria	25·72	6. Western Australia	28·98
7. South Australia* (Lowest)	24·98	7. New Zealand (Lowest)	27·52

* Exclusive of the Northern Territory.

No. 68.—*Death Rates in the Australasian Colonies, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Number of Deaths per 1,000 of Mean Population.							
	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.*	New Zealand.	Tasmania.	Total for Australasia.
1889 ...	14·26	13·87	17·79	15·44	11·36	9·44	14·96	14·30
1890 ...	12·06	12·90	16·10	13·59	12·59	9·66	14·74	13·43
1891 ...	17·33	14·24	16·24	12·77	13·30	10·35	15·00	14·03
1892 ...	16·67	12·20	13·63	12·66	11·41	10·06	13·53	12·36
1893 ...	15·31	13·24	14·11	13·34	13·44	10·23	13·47	13·06
1894 ...	14·40	12·26	13·14	12·08	11·64	10·19	12·42	12·14
1895 ...	17·78	11·79	13·25	11·38	11·25	9·91	11·38	11·91
1896 ...	16·45	12·43	13·34	12·10	11·48	9·10	11·63	12·06
1897 ...	16·97	10·88	12·90	11·33	11·24	9·14	11·53	11·46
1898 ...	16·05	12·48	15·94	12·67	13·06	9·84	13·52	13·20
Mean for 10 years	16·07	12·57	14·61	12·68	12·07	9·78	13·16	12·76

* Exclusive of the Northern Territory, the Death Rate of which in 1898 was 11·62.

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No. 69.—*Order of Australasian Colonies in reference to Death Rates.*

For the Year 1898.		Decennial Period, 1889 to 1898.	
Colony.	Number of Deaths per 1,000 of the Mean Population.	Colony.	Number of Deaths per 1,000 of the Mean Population.
1. New Zealand (Lowest)	9·84	1. New Zealand (Lowest)	9·78
2. New South Wales	12·48	2. South Australia*...	12·07
3. Queensland	12·67	3. New South Wales	12·57
4. South Australia*...	13·06	4. Queensland	12·68
5. Tasmania	13·52	5. Tasmania	13·16
6. Victoria	15·91	6. Victoria	14·61
7. Western Australia (Highest)	16·05	7. Western Australia (Highest)	16·07

* Exclusive of the Northern Territory.

No. 70.—*Marriage Rates in the Australasian Colonies, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Number of Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Population.							
	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	*South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.	Total for Australasia.
1889 ...	7·00	7·06	8·43	7·87	6·69	5·94	6·89	7·33
1890 ...	6·21	7·15	8·21	7·70	7·17	6·12	6·64	7·33
1891 ...	8·24	7·40	7·66	7·15	7·31	6·04	6·63	7·19
1892 ...	7·38	6·79	6·64	6·67	6·51	6·23	6·51	6·61
1893 ...	6·35	6·40	5·98	5·91	6·27	6·22	5·51	6·15
1894 ...	6·42	6·20	5·98	5·70	6·09	6·15	5·42	6·04
1895 ...	7·02	6·35	6·08	6·23	5·88	5·94	5·31	6·12
1896 ...	8·77	6·59	6·48	6·05	6·20	6·85	5·89	6·54
1897 ...	10·65	6·72	6·45	6·05	5·51	6·83	6·23	6·61
1898 ...	9·89	6·66	6·50	6·03	6·18	6·91	6·29	6·66
Mean for 10 years	8·43	6·72	6·82	6·50	6·36	6·34	6·12	6·64

* Exclusive of the Northern Territory, the Marriage Rate of which in 1898 was 1·43.

No. 71.—*Order of Australasian Colonies in reference to Marriage Rates.*

For the Year 1898.		Decennial Period, 1889 to 1898.	
Colony.	Number of Marriages per 1,000 of the Mean Population.	Colony.	Number of Marriages per 1,000 of the Mean Population.
1. Western Australia (Highest)	9·89	1. Western Australia (Highest)	8·43
2. New Zealand	6·91	2. Victoria	6·82
3. New South Wales	6·66	3. New South Wales	6·72
4. Victoria	6·50	4. Queensland	6·50
5. Tasmania	6·29	5. South Australia*...	6·36
6. South Australia*...	6·18	6. New Zealand	6·34
7. Queensland (Lowest)	6·03	7. Tasmania (Lowest)	6·12

* Exclusive of the Northern Territory.

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No.

BALANCE SHEET of WESTERN

Dr.

				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To General Loan Fund							277,572	1	7
To Treasury Bills, 1893 Issue							3,530	0	0
To Sinking Fund:—									
Debenture Sinking Fund Account				117,027	7	11			
Inscribed Stock Sinking Fund Account				138,756	14	2			
							255,784	2	1
To Trust and Deposit Accounts:—									
Agricultural Bank, Profit and Loss Account				2,594	10	1			
Agricultural Land Purchase Act Trust Account				50	6	8			
Albany Fortification, Construction—Suspense Account				853	0	3			
Assurance Fund				8,133	14	4			
Australian Mutual Provident Society, Deposit Account				20,000	0	0			
Bondholders—Interest due				89,248	6	1			
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited, Deposit Account				12,719	15	4			
Collie Coalfields, Revenue in Suspense				24	16	0			
Colonial Mutual Fire Insurance Company				10,000	0	0			
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited, Deposit Account				10,597	7	0			
Contractors' Deposit Account				30,047	7	5			
Curator Intestate Estates, No. 1 Account				1,442	10	11			
Do. do. No. 2 Account				14,325	10	0			
Customs Deposit Account				1,283	3	6			
Director of Public Works, Old Advance Account				321	3	0			
Do. do. Field Orders, No. 2				32	18	0			
Electoral Act, 1889, Deposits				25	0	0			
Equitable Life Assurance Society, Deposit Account				20,000	0	0			
Government of South Australia				12,532	10	6			
Impounded Stock Sales Account				155	11	9			
Intestate Estates Account				3,322	12	3			
Land Revenue in Suspense				8,815	16	4			
London and Westminster Bank				365,000	0	0			
Lunatics' Estate Account				161	19	1			
Mining Revenue in Suspense				4,452	19	6			
Mortgage Moneys under Transfer of Land Act				107	9	0			
Mutual Life Association of Australasia				10,000	0	0			
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York				10,180	0	0			
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited, Deposit Account				20,000	0	0			
Ocean Accident Guarantee Corporation				10,000	0	0			
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy				6,462	9	7			
Outstanding Claims, entered as Consolidated Revenue and Loan Expenditure, but not yet paid				109,134	8	10			
Police Benefit Fund				5,957	4	5			
Police Reward Fund				132	5	9			
Post Office Receipts in Suspense				42,395	17	0			
Post Office Savings Bank:									
Deposit Account	£1,042,800	19	1						
Profit and Loss Account	29,789	12	5						
				1,072,590	11	6			
Public Works Wages in Suspense				100	13	0			
Railway Wages in Suspense				781	15	2			
Registrar, Supreme Court, General Account				12,879	4	11			
Revenue in Suspense				1,375	6	5			
Roads Boards' Current Accounts				30,733	9	3			
Schools' Fees Fund				818	9	6			
Siding and other Works Deposits				5,339	13	1			
Sinking Fund, Municipal Loans, Albany				2,143	14	2			
Do. do. Fremantle				2,531	4	3			
Do. do. Geraldton				2,070	7	2			
Do. do. Perth				11,585	13	9			
Sundry Creditors				270	14	11			
West Australian Trustee, Executor, and Agency Co., Limited				5,000	0	0			
							1,978,731	9	8
						£	2,515,617	13	4

AND TRUST FUNDS.

1.

AUSTRALIA on 30th JUNE, 1898.

Cr.

				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Consolidated Revenue Fund							186,803	8	3
By Advances (to be recovered):—									
Debentures Conversion Account				128	2	6			
Director Public Works, Field Orders, Account No. 1 ...				207	10	11			
Do. do. do. Account No. 3 ...				367	14	5			
Government of New South Wales				1,310	14	1			
Government of Orange Free State				35	18	0			
Government of Queensland				478	12	3			
Government of Victoria				632	10	8			
Heads of Departments				8,315	0	0			
Imperial Convict Department Account				1,320	2	8			
Imperial Pensions Account				1,766	18	3			
Midland Railway Revenue Account (overdrawn by payment of Interest)				14,815	18	9			
Paymaster, Railways				3,329	11	7			
Public Works Advance				3,313	17	0			
Railway Orders Accounts				7,307	0	0			
Sundry Persons				4,755	1	4			
Treasury Paymaster's Advance Accounts				28,612	13	3			
							76,697	5	8
By Investments:—									
Securities in hands of Trustees Sinking Fund				255,784	2	1			
Do. Municipalities Sinking Fund Investment Account				18,329	10	6			
Do. for Loans from P.O. Savings Bank Fund ..				844,957	15	8			
Do. under "The Life Assurance Companies Act, 1889"				128,497	2	4			
Do. under Assurance Fund Investments ...				7,235	14	9			
Do. Police Benefit Fund Investment Account ...				500	0	0			
Do. for Advances under Agricultural Bank Act ...				8,356	10	0			
							1,263,660	15	4
By Stores on hand *(to be charged to Departments when issued for consumption)*:—									
General Stores				59,323	0	10			
Railway Stores				430,210	8	8			
Stationery Stores				28,952	6	6			
							518,485	16	0
By Remittances *in transitu*							1,452	16	9
By Cash in hand:—									
At Treasury	3,172	13	2						
Sub-Collector's Receipts *in transitu*	50,071	0	10						
Post Office Savings Bank—Deposits and Interest to be paid into Bank ...	20,812	19	0						
				74,056	13	0			
At Local Banks—									
Current Accounts, generally	205,974	2	11						
Post Office Savings Bank Current Account	206,819	16	10						
				412,793	19	9			
Colonial Treasurer—Fixed Deposits	2,150	0	0						
Trust Account—Fixed Deposits	24,020	6	11						
				26,170	6	11			
In Colony				513,020	19	8			
In London—									
Balance in hands of Agent General on 31st May	6,539	15	9						
Balance in hands of Agent General—Midland Railway Interest Trust Deposit Account	10,000	0	0						
Balance in hands of Crown Agents on 31st May	134	14	2						
				16,674	9	11			
National Bank, Melbourne	26,076	1	1						
National Bank, Sydney	11,000	0	0						
				37,076	1	1			
				566,771	10	8			
Less Drafts *in transitu*				98,253	19	4			
							468,517	11	4
						£	2,515,617	13	4

No.

BALANCE SHEET OF WESTERN

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				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To General Loan Fund							1,187,201	3	8
To Sinking Fund:—									
Debenture Sinking Fund Account				117,959	4	11			
Inscribed Stock Sinking Fund Account				160,474	3	6			
							278,433	8	5
To Trust and Deposit Accounts:—									
Agricultural Bank, Profit and Loss				3,363	16	1			
Agricultural Land Purchase Act, Trust Fund				131	17	10			
Aborigines' Department...				4	14	10			
Albany Fortification Construction Suspense Account ...				853	0	3			
Assurance Fund				8,727	17	4			
Australian Mutual Provident Society Deposit Account ...				20,000	0	0			
Bondholders—Interest due				119,189	7	5			
Collie Coalfields, Revenue in Suspense				24	16	0			
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited, Deposit Account				12,719	15	4			
Contractors' Deposit Account				22,991	17	2			
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited, Deposit Account				10,597	7	0			
Colonial Mutual Fire Insurance Company				10,000	0	0			
Curator Intestate Estates, No. 1 Account				135	7	8			
Do. do. do. No. 2 Account				11,386	14	9			
Customs Deposits				1,357	5	9			
Equitable Life Assurance Society. Deposit Account				20,000	0	0			
Director of Public Works, Old Advance Account				371	14	4			
Do. do. Field Orders, No. 1 Account ...				153	4	11			
Government of South Australia				10,695	9	4			
Impounded Stock Sales Account				76	13	10			
Intestate Estates Account				2,343	8	2			
Lunatics' Estates Account				161	19	1			
Land Revenue in Suspense				5,021	19	9			
Mutual Life Association of Australasia				10,000	0	0			
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York				10,180	0	0			
Mining Revenue in Suspense				784	16	0			
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited, Deposit Account				20,000	0	0			
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy				5,893	0	6			
Ocean Accident Guarantee Corporation				10,000	0	0			
Outstanding Claims entered as Consolidated Revenue and Loan Expenditure, but not yet paid				30,722	1	1			
Police Benefit Fund				5,620	17	5			
Police Reward Fund				132	5	9			
Post Office Savings Bank:									
Deposit Account	£1,057,443	2	9						
Profit and Loss	2,832	10	0						
				1,060,275	12	9			
Post Office Receipts in Suspense				32,027	8	2			
Public Works, Wages in Suspense				143	12	4			
Registrar, Supreme Court, General Account				9,737	17	1			
Revenue in Suspense				6,810	7	1			
Railway Wages in Suspense				847	18	9			
Roads Boards' Current Accounts				9,600	0	6			
Schools' Fees Fund				2,059	0	9			
Sinking Fund, Municipal Loans, Albany				2,046	0	8			
Do. do. Fremantle				3,794	14	11			
Do. do. Geraldton				2,449	11	6			
Do. do. Perth				13,266	5	1			
Sundry Creditors				596	14	10			
Siding and other Works in Suspense				6,559	10	3			
West Australian Trustee, Executor, and Agency Company, Limited				5,000	0	0			
							1,508,856	2	3
							£2,974,490	14	4

2.

AUSTRALIA on 31st DECEMBER, 1898. *Cr.*

				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Consolidated Revenue Fund							324,147	11	4
By Advances (to be recovered):—									
Insurance Account				167	9	9			
Local Court, Perth				98	9	3			
Debentures Conversion Account				128	2	6			
Director Public Works, Field Orders, Account No. 3 ...				5,129	11	7			
Government New South Wales				645	11	4			
Do. Orange Free State				23	14	0			
Do. Queensland				236	8	7			
Do. Victoria				573	15	0			
Heads of Departments				6,990	0	0			
Imperial Pensions Account				1,836	9	11			
London Payments in Suspense				57,450	16	2			
Midland Railway Revenue Account (overdrawn by payment of Interest)				14,684	1	6			
Paymaster, Railways				20,433	2	7			
Post Office Savings Bank, Interest in Suspense				13,996	0	4			
Public Works Advance				1,670	0	0			
Railway Orders Accounts				454	14	6			
Sundry Persons				2,052	3	1			
Treasury Paymaster's Advance Accounts				19,390	12	5			
							145,961	2	6
By Investments:—									
Securities in hands of Trustees Sinking Fund				278,433	8	5			
Do. Municipalities Sinking Fund Investment Account				21,555	3	10			
Do. for Loans from P.O. Savings Bank Fund ...				864,032	15	8			
Do. under "The Life Assurance Companies Act, 1889"				128,497	2	4			
Do. Police Benefit Fund Investment Account ...				500	0	0			
Do. for Advances under Agricultural Bank Act ...				679	5	0			
Do. Assurance Fund Investments				7,443	9	9			
							1,301,141	5	0
By Stores on hand (*To be charged to Departments when issued for consumption*):—									
Government Stores							392,667	5	2
By Remittances *in transitu*							1,314	11	4
By Cash in hand:—									
At Treasury				2,039	15	4			
At Local Banks—									
Current Accounts, generally	£214,533	18	0						
Post Office Savings Bank Current Account	182,246	16	9						
Municipalities Sinking Fund Account	1	8	4						
				396,782	3	1			
Consolidated Revenue—Fixed Deposits	2,691	18	6						
Trust Accounts—Fixed Deposits ...	22,141	18	7						
				24,833	17	1			
In Colony				423,655	15	6			
In London—									
Balance in hands of Agent General on October 31st	£404,431	3	11						
Balance in hands of Agent General—Midland Railway Interest Deposit	10,000	0	0						
Balance in hands of Crown Agents on October 31st	166	6	4						
				414,597	10	3			
National Bank, Melbourne	3,122	9	6						
National Bank, Sydney	18,870	13	1						
				21,993	2	7			
				860,246	8	4			
Less Drafts *in transitu*				50,987	9	4			
							809,258	19	0
							£2,974,490	14	4

No. 3.

DR. **Summary of Balance Sheets of Western Australia for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.** CR.

DATE.	Consolidated Revenue Fund.	Loan Accounts.	Treasury Bills.	Sinking Funds.	Trust and Deposit Accounts.	Other Accounts.	Drafts *in transitu*.	Total Dr.	Advances.				Investments.	Stores on Hand.	Cash.				Total Cr.
									Consolidated Revenue Fund.	Loan Accounts.	Other Advances.	Total.			(a.) At Treasury and *in transitu*.	At Local Banks.	In London and in other Colonies.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
31st Dec., 1889 ...	33,023	30,526	...	71,537	129,915	...	29,126	294,127	...	...	25,892	25,892	97,470	30,525	22,234	59,688	58,318	140,240	294,127
31st Dec., 1890 ...	45,600	14,620	...	85,107	178,183	...	8,736	332,246	...	...	20,799	20,799	151,095	27,661	40,241	76,048	16,402	132,691	332,246
31st Dec., 1891 ...	107,647	184,793	...	99,325	219,376	...	9,292	620,433	...	...	25,452	25,452	184,506	74,555	10,010	280,401	45,509	335,920	620,433
31st Dec., 1892 ...	100,919	86,720	...	114,294	287,942	...	162,949	752,824	...	26,598	27,202	53,800	215,303	94,805	33,069	310,869	44,978	388,916	752,824
30th June, 1893 ...	63,132	254,357	20,000	114,294	313,016	(b) 20,000	11,405	796,204	...	68,927	15,676	84,603	244,074	216,718	37,575	208,737	4,497	250,809	796,204
31st Dec., 1893 ...	30,768	195,545	180,455	129,099	628,690	...	222,672	1,387,229	...	130,449	19,650	150,099	281,760	169,660	23,487	473,005	289,218	785,710	1,387,229
30th June, 1894 ...	88,020	263,911	185,085	138,531	520,371	(c) 25	25,884	1,221,827	...	314,718	20,220	334,938	292,948	100,909	26,088	370,909	96,035	493,032	1,221,827
31st Dec., 1894 ...	138,884	297,488	34,055	145,387	515,415	...	29,482	1,160,711	...	60,113	28,115	88,228	318,106	151,677	3,588	343,808	255,304	602,700	1,160,711
30th June, 1895 ...	277,232	123,346	14,435	154,785	583,677	...	22,870	1,176,345	...	2,411	58,385	60,796	325,312	139,255	28,081	455,826	167,075	650,982	1,176,345
31st Dec., 1895 ..	365,287	414,369	12,920	160,704	710,026	...	56,918	1,720,224	...	...	117,261	117,261	351,076	176,863	3,380	674,065	397,579	1,075,024	1,720,224
30th June, 1896 ...	312,064	298,792	12,820	175,033	1,111,627	...	121,259	2,031,595	...	...	119,369	119,369	396,843	275,199	50,936	1,011,839	177,409	1,240,184	2,031,595
31st Dec., 1896 ...	443,674	355,109	12,320	188,156	1,351,643	...	56,894	2,407,796	...	...	272,001	272,001	893,751	480,801	203,877	546,836	10,530	761,243	2,407,796
30th June, 1897 ...	315,362	518,218	492,320	205,637	1,451,540	...	271,058	3,254,135	...	765,501	121,456	886,957	1,031,188	700,307	98,948	328,298	208,437	635,683	3,254,135
31st Dec., 1897 ...	51,405	...	791,985	228,422	1,623,525	...	d461,577	3,156,914	...	671,164	283,716	954,880	1,199,749	683,577	2,551	265,115	51,042	318,708	3,156,914
30th June, 1898 ...	..	...	1,053,530	255,784	1,978,731	...	98,254	3,386,299	186,803	772,428	76,697	1,035,928	1,263,661	518,486	75,509	438,964	53,751	568,224	3,386,299
31st Dec., 1898 ...	...	...	1,550,000	278,433	1,508,856	...	50,987	3,388,276	324,148	362,799	145,961	832,908	1,301,141	392,667	3,354	421,616	436,590	861,560	3,388,276

(a.) Including Post Office Savings Bank deposits and interest to be paid into Bank. (b.) Overdraft, London and Westminster Bank. (c.) Crown Agents' account, overdrawn. (d.) Bills payable.

No. 4.

The Colonial Treasurer—Transactions for Year ended 30th June, 1898.

ACCOUNTS.	TRANSACTIONS.					
	Receipts.			Disbursements.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Advances, Heads of Departments	3,820	0	0	100	0	0
Advances under Agricultural Bank Act	41,236	0	0	27,292	10	0
Agricultural Bank, Profit and Loss Account	2,292	3	8	744	4	7
Agricultural Land Purchase Act Debentures	44,513	15	8			
Do. do. Trust Fund Account	47,206	1	2	47,155	14	6
Albany Fortifications—Construction—Suspense	824	7	10			
Assurance Fund	919	6	5	21	6	10
Do. Investment Account	...			7,235	14	9
Bills Receivable	3,388	13	7	6,881	14	6
Bondholders' Interest	387,676	4	11	366,778	13	1
Bonds for Sale	2,736,960	6	1	3,055,178	1	9
Citizens' Life Assurance Company	617	11	10			
Collie Coalfield, Revenue in Suspense	756	2	0	1,251	3	6
Colonial Mutual Fire Insurance Company	350	0	0	350	0	0
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society	270	10	0	270	10	0
Colonies' Joint Defence, Maintenance	4,470	11	0	4,470	11	0
Commissioner of Railways, Old Advance Account	2,645	9	11	2,645	9	11
Consolidated Expenditure in Suspense	218,085	17	6	218,085	17	6
Consolidated Revenue Fund Account:						
Revenue Account	2,754,746	16	7			
Expenditure Account	...			3,256,912	9	5
Contractors' Deposits	32,945	12	4	41,402	12	6
Curator Intestate Estates, No. 1	...			242	7	6
Do. do. No. 2	11,766	10	11	11,312	4	8
Customs Deposit Account	3,840	6	1	2,557	2	7
Debenture Accounts	...			4,300	0	0
Debentures Conversions	...			6	13	9
Do. Sinking Fund	10,860	13	4	3,853	19	6
Diamond Jubilee, W.A. Contingent	1,000	0	0	650	0	0
Director of Public Works, Field Orders, No. 1 Account	6,830	15	6	2,931	17	7
Do. do. No. 2 Account	64,493	6	6	57,581	10	8
Do. do. No. 3 do.	135,208	15	8	135,576	10	1
Do. do. Old Advance Account	1,836	6	9	116	6	8
Donnybrook-Bridgetown Railway, Advance	4,169	0	0	39,797	5	6
Electoral Act, 1889, Deposits	100	0	0	200	0	0
Equitable Life Assurance Society	699	19	3	699	19	3
Four-per-cent. Inscribed Stock	500	0	0			
General Advance	205,962	12	6	198,716	13	5
General Loan Fund	3,076,885	12	7	3,039,818	15	3
General Stores	55,693	19	9	66,214	8	10
Government of New South Wales	1,045	13	9	1,310	14	1
Do. Orange Free State	...			35	18	0
Do. Queensland	168	0	9	478	12	3
Do. South Australia	57,007	17	3	60,765	12	2
Do. Victoria	1,138	6	3	1,191	18	6
Imperial Convicts	2,119	10	5	3,479	3	7
Do. Pensions	7,180	4	7	7,153	11	0
Impounded Stock Sales	46	5	0	72	9	5
Income Duty in Suspense	512	0	0	512	0	0
Inscribed Stock Sinking Fund	43,972	1	0	831	15	7
Land Revenue in Suspense	95,920	7	3	87,104	10	11
Life Assurance Companies, Securities	...			14,381	18	4
Loan Advance Account	...			200,000	0	0
Loan Expenditure in Suspense	263,690	19	7	263,690	19	7
London and Westminster Bank	1,332,000	0	0	967,000	0	0
London Payments in Suspense	41,780	6	7	39,438	17	5
Lunatic Estates	2	17	9	2	6	0
Midland Railway, Revenue	270	10	9			
Midland Junction Workshops, Suspense Account	63	1	8	8,428	18	3
Mining Revenue in Suspense	19,327	11	0	15,391	10	5
Mortgage Bonds	41,000	0	0			
Mortgage Moneys under Transfer of Land Act, Clause 126	107	9	0			
Municipal Loans Sinking Funds Investments	1,415	5	1	3,176	9	0
Do. do. Albany	272	8	11	800	0	0
Do. do. Fremantle	592	19	6	561	5	1
Do. do. Geraldton	457	10	3	8	13	10
Do. do. Perth	1,606	14	0			
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	350	0	0	350	0	0
Mutual Life Insurance Company, New York	356	6	0	356	6	0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia	3,764	6	6			
Ocean Accident Guarantee Corporation	10,000	0	0			
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy	14,156	9	11	11,338	7	9
Outstanding Claims, Loans	2,017,466	12	11	2,017,336	1	10
Do. do. Revenue	3,529,562	1	11	3,524,856	18	9
Paymaster, Public Works	353,373	0	8	346,756	5	10
Do. Railways	1,057,381	7	7	1,048,200	19	1
Do. Railways and Works, Advance	3,620	5	8	467	5	10
Do. Treasury	330,941	0	2	333,712	7	11
Police Benefit Fund	1,942	14	0	1,010	7	8
Do. Reward Fund	250	0	0	177	0	0
Post Office Receipts in Suspense	868,950	17	11	906,003	13	0
Do. Savings Bank	1,238,964	0	11	1,024,107	11	10
Do. do. Loans	10,150	0	0	185,440	15	8
Do. do. Profit and Loss	42,970	14	9	33,006	12	11
Primage Account	2,691	18	10	2,691	18	10
Public Debt	3,800	0	0	1,085,513	15	8
Public Works, Advance Account	1,054,783	9	10	1,058,097	6	10
Do. Wages in Suspense	100	13	0			
Railway Orders	67,146	17	1	56,682	19	6

No. 4.

The Colonial Treasurer.—Transactions for Year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

ACCOUNTS.							TRANSACTIONS.					
							Receipts.			Disbursements.		
							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Railway Stores ...							1,032,310	17	6	835,320	19	1
Railway Wages in Suspense ...							834	1	4	52	6	2
Receipts and Payments, Adjustments							229,525	12	6	229,525	12	6
Registrar, Supreme Court							35,839	5	3	50,425	12	7
Revenue in Suspense ...							222,359	0	0	242,561	1	1
Roads Boards' Current Accounts							49,693	17	6	66,561	9	8
School Fees' Fund							5,195	18	6	5,054	10	1
Secretary Education, Advance							22,835	6	11	22,835	6	11
Sidings and other Works, Deposits ...							24,347	19	6	25,610	16	3
Southern Cross-Kalgoorlie Railway Trust Account							101	5	0	20,731	5	0
Stationery Stores							20,798	16	10	25,446	10	1
Sundry Creditors							3,268	7	11	4,476	18	11
Three-per-cent. Inscribed Stock							1,000,000	0	0			
Treasury Bills ...							1,055,000	0	0	493,790	0	0
Trustees' Sinking Funds							4,685	15	1	54,832	14	4
W.A. Trustee, Executor, and Agency Company ...							77	1	0	77	1	0
By Cash in hand—												
At Treasury	£7,658	18	1									
Post Office Savings Bank—												
Deposits and Interest to be paid into Bank	12,408	2	2									
Sub-Collectors' Receipts *in transitu*	78,484	13	5	98,551	13	8						
At Local Banks—												
Current Accounts, generally	58,243	19	3									
Municipalities Sinking Fund Account	202	19	0									
Post Office Savings Bank Current Account ...	174,099	15	3	232,546	13	6						
Colonial Treasurer—Fixed Deposits	53,894	5	8									
Trust Account—Fixed Deposits	41,856	13	5	95,750	19	1						
In the Colony...	... ...			426,849	6	3						
In London—												
Balance in hands of Agent General on 31st May, 1897	208,353	8	1									
Balance in hands of Crown Agents on 31st May, 1897	84	0	8	208,437	8	9						
				635,286	15	0						
Less Drafts *in transitu* ...	... ...			£271,058	4	9	364,228	10	3			
By Cash in hand—												
At Treasury	£3,172	13	2									
P.O.S. Bank Interest and Deposits to be paid into Bank	20,812	19	0									
Sub-Collectors' Receipts *in transitu*	50,071	0	10	74,056	13	0						
At Local Banks—												
Current Accounts, generally	205,974	2	11									
Post Office Savings Bank Current Account ...	206,819	16	10	412,793	19	9						
Colonial Treasurer—Fixed Deposits	2,150	0	0									
Trust Account—Fixed Deposits	24,020	6	11	26,170	6	11						
In Colony	... ...			513,020	19	8						
In London—												
Balance in hands of Agent General on 31st May, 1898	6,539	15	9									
Balance in hands of Agent General—Midland Railway Interest Trust Deposit Account	10,000	0	0									
Balance in hands of Crown Agents on 31st May, 1898	134	14	2	16,674	9	11						
National Bank, Melbourne ...	26,076	1	1									
Do. Sydney ...	11,000	0	0	37,076	1	1						
				566,771	10	8						
Less Drafts *in transitu* ...	... ...			98,253	19	4	...			468,517	11	4
Total ... ... £							26,459,096	2	5	26,459,096	2	5

No. 5.

Trust Funds at the close of each of the Financial Years, 1889 to 1897-8.

Account.	31st Dec., 1889.	31st Dec., 1890.	31st Dec., 1891.	31st Dec., 1892.	30th June, 1893.	30th June, 1894.	30th June, 1895.	30th June, 1896.	30th June, 1897.	30th June, 1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Accident Guarantee Company ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,000
Agricultural Bank, Profit and Loss Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	263	1,047	2,595
Agricultural Land Purchase Act Trust Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
Assurance Fund	3,321	3,378	3,369	4,073	4,557	4,959	5,285	5,893	7,236	8,134
Bondholders—Interest due	26,579	25,834	28,508	35,037	35,168	47,328	49,988	53,667	68,351	89,248
Contractors' Deposit Account ...	1,462	1,132	2,977	11,026	11,743	12,420	11,212	26,148	38,504	30,047
Curator Intestate Estates	...	...	...	...	4,160	4,891	7,690	14,077	15,556	15,768
Exemption Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 ,546		
Fire Insurance Company (Colonial Mutual)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,000	10,000
Goldfields Survey Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,387	35,014		
Governments of other Colonies ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,416	12,556	27,402	16,290	12,533
Intestate Estates Account	2,469	2,368	2,927	3,364	3,323	3,323	3,323	3,323	3,323	3,323
Life Assurance Companies' Deposit Accounts	...	40,000	57,890	62,552	62,824	68,510	73,758	86,954	99,115	103,497
London and Westminster Bank ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50,000	...	365,000
Lunatics' Estates Account	29	33	54	25	56	277	127	161	161	162
Midland Railway	11,576	12,155	12,763	13,273	13,937	152,854	28,510	9,293		
Mortgage Moneys under Transfer of Land Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	704	...	107
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy ...	...	...	...	...	444	1,253	2,087	2,962	3,644	6,462
Outstanding Claims entered as Consolidated Revenue and Loan Expenditure, but not yet paid ...	29,604	31,572	44,506	75,168	80,354	31,530	87,024	166,291	101,957	109,134
Perth Tramways Deposit Account...	...	650	683	710	745					
Police Benefit Fund	...	...	...	...	...	3,387	4,084	4,788	5,024	5,957
Police Reward Fund	...	...	...	...	...	69	76	40	59	132
Post Office Savings Bank :										
Deposit Account...	31,062	33,500	44,767	60,134	73,765	137,804	215,570	450,087	838,749	1,042,801
Profit and Loss Account ...	*1,543	*1,908	*2,467	*3,272	*1,838	*5,254	*6,715	*7,885	19,826	29,790
Registrar, Supreme Court, General Account	...	...	...	...	3,947	6,840	4,279	27,119	27,466	12,879
Roads Boards' Current Accounts ...	...	...	...	...	...	10,015	16,460	29,675	47,601	30,733
Schools' Fees Fund	...	...	...	...	...	601	994	1,032	677	818
Sidings and other Works Deposits	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,230	6,603	5,340
Sinking Funds—Municipal Loans...	4,633	6,388	8,091	9,897	10,130	12,285	13,814	14,528	16,771	18,331
Southern Cross-Kalgoorlie Railway Trust	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,000	20,630	
Suspense Accounts	10,193	11,513	9,489	9,106	5,846	9,516	26,089	69,061	96,113	58,801
W.A. Trustee, Executor, and Agency Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	5,020	5,020	5,020	5,000	5,000
Miscellaneous Accounts	7,444	7,752	885	305	179	819	629	1,464	1,837	2,089
Total	129,915	178,183	219,376	287,942	313,016	520,371	583,677	1,111,627	1,451,540	1,978,731

* Interest account.

Section II.—CONSOLIDATED

No.

General Abstract of Revenue and Expenditure

Dr. THE TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance due by Treasurer, 1st July, 1897				315,362	4	7
„ Revenue as shown by Estimates:						
Customs	1,017,723	18	11			
Harbour Dues	16,078	16	8			
Land Revenue	168,972	1	0			
Mining Revenue	87,401	4	3			
Licenses	25,818	14	0			
Postages and Commission on Money Orders	111,497	2	0			
Telephone Receipts	15,742	7	5			
Telegrams	93,672	13	0			
Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court	*42,870	18	11			
Fees of Public Offices	16,412	13	1			
Rottnest Establishment	537	7	8			
Reimbursements in Aid	14,733	1	0			
Railway Receipts	1,032,177	18	8			
Tramway Receipts	3,021	0	11			
Water Receipts	16,821	2	4			
Stamp Revenue	59,007	2	3			
Wharfage Dues	661	4	6			
Interest	3,113	8	8			
Miscellaneous Receipts	28,484	1	4			
Total Revenue				2,754,746	16	7
„ Balance due to Treasurer, 30th June, 1898				186,803	8	3
				£3,256,912	9	5

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* Including Probate Duty, £11,776 3s. 6d.

REVENUE FUND.

6.

for the Year ended 30th June, 1898.

Her Majesty's Colonial Government. *Cr.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Expenditure, exclusive of Estimates, provided for by Special Acts:						
Constitution Act	25,253	9	6			
Loan Acts	338,262	12	6			
High School	750	0	0			
Annuity to Lady Barlee	150	0	0			
Annuity to Lady Broome	150	0	0			
Royal Mint	4,470	3	9			
				369,036	5	9
By Expenditure, as shown by Estimates:						
His Excellency the Governor				1,132	10	7
Executive Council				303	2	1
Legislative Council				1,896	15	6
Legislative Assembly				4,669	1	3
Colonial Treasurer—						
Office of Colonial Secretary	5,279	18	0			
Medical	109,111	8	8			
Police	109,799	8	8			
Gaols	30,364	2	11			
Rottnest Establishment	3,925	3	8			
Printing	28,017	2	3			
Registry	5,669	6	0			
Charitable Institutions	18,381	3	0			
Government Gardens	1,267	6	4			
Defences	23,534	3	11			
Admiralty Survey	5,189	2	10			
Central Board of Health	284	0	9			
Treasury	10,562	15	8			
London Agency	4,253	12	3			
Customs	36,950	18	3			
Harbour and Light	27,361	6	10			
Government Stores	6,212	0	5			
Literary, Scientific, and Agricultural Grants	18,035	0	0			
Bureau of Agriculture	7,000	0	0			
Pensions	4,998	18	7			
Refunds	4,561	10	1			
Premier's Department	129	5	2			
Miscellaneous	130,704	7	3			
				591,592	1	6
Attorney General—						
Crown Law Officers	3,567	19	3			
Supreme Court	11,002	11	7			
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy, etc.	2,542	4	3			
Stipendiary Magistracy	27,878	7	5			
Land Titles	10,527	16	3			
				55,518	18	9
Commissioner of Railways—						
Railways and Tramways	852,647	17	2			
Public Works	405,558	16	6			
Public Buildings	441,680	16	8			
				1,699,887	10	4
Commissioner of Crown Lands—						
Lands and Surveys	75,262	11	5			
Fisheries	2,299	18	5			
Woods and Forests	3,954	16	1			
Stock	5,268	16	10			
Agricultural Bank	1,279	5	11			
				88,065	8	8
Minister of Mines—						
Mines	91,316	15	5			
Geological Surveys	6,417	4	3			
				97,733	19	8
Minister of Education—						
Educational	49,147	4	4			
Postal and Telegraph	289,474	10	2			
Audit	5,487	0	10			
Observatory	2,968	0	0			
				347,076	15	4
Total Expenditure			£	3,256,912	9	5

No.

GENERAL ABSTRACT of Revenue and

Dr. The Treasurer in Account with

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance due by Treasurer, 1st January, 1898				51,404	10	4
,, Revenue as shown by Estimates:						
Customs	924,883	1	0			
Harbour Dues	14,571	9	3			
Land Revenue	169,998	11	1			
Mining Revenue	78,427	17	1			
Licenses	30,213	13	6			
Postages and Commission on Money Orders	105,806	7	7			
Telephone Receipts	18,476	12	10			
Telegrams	79,754	2	1			
Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court	*36,338	6	7			
Fees of Public Offices	16,245	19	9			
Rottnest Establishment	499	14	0			
Reimbursements in Aid	12,779	15	4			
Railway Receipts	1,019,841	4	10			
Tramway Receipts	2,748	18	11			
Water Receipts	16,438	1	1			
Stamp Revenue	43,149	6	1			
Wharfage Dues	620	2	8			
Interest	1,014	2	3			
Miscellaneous Receipts	33,135	11	9			
Total Revenue				2,604,942	17	8
,, Balance due to Treasurer, 31st December, 1898...				324,147	11	4
				£2,980,494	19	4

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* Including Probate Duty, £14,796.

7.

Expenditure for the Year ended 31st December, 1898.

HER MAJESTY'S COLONIAL GOVERNMENT. *Cr.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Expenditure, exclusive of Estimates, provided for by Special Acts:						
Constitution Act ...	*16,066	18	10			
Loan Acts...	390,713	2	7			
High School	1,000	0	0			
Annuity to Lady Barlee ...	187	10	0			
Annuity to Lady Broome	225	0	0			
Royal Mint	8,014	9	11			
Aborigines	9,792	6	0			
				425,999	7	4
By Expenditure as shown by Estimates—						
His Excellency the Governor				1,147	1	11
Executive Council				290	17	2
Legislative Council				1,874	10	10
Legislative Assembly				5,301	9	6
Colonial Treasurer—						
Treasury	9,737	11	11			
London Agency	5,218	16	5			
Customs	33,171	8	5			
Harbour and Light ...	18,985	3	5			
Government Stores ...	5,544	7	0			
Literary, Scientific, and Agricultural Grants	7,725	11	6			
Pensions	5,270	7	11			
Refunds	2,718	18	0			
Premier's Department	387	18	8			
Police	107,515	3	3			
Defences	23,858	19	6			
Admiralty Surveys ...	1,470	12	0			
Miscellaneous Services	141,258	0	2			
				362,862	18	2
Commissioner of Railways—						
Railways and Tramways	853,529	1	11			
Public Works	231,826	16	1			
Public Buildings	347,810	7	0			
				1,433,166	5	0
Commissioner of Crown Lands—						
Lands and Surveys ...	74,303	18	3			
Fisheries	2,024	19	0			
Woods and Forests ...	3,356	5	7			
Stock	4,767	11	10			
Department of Agriculture	7,864	0	9			
Agricultural Bank ...	1,271	16	1			
				93,588	11	6
Minister of Mines—						
Mines	79,609	7	2			
Geological Surveys ...	5,340	7	1			
				84,949	14	3
Attorney General—						
Crown Law Officers...	3,241	5	5			
Supreme Court	12,714	14	4			
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy, etc.	2,800	2	9			
Stipendiary Magistracy	27,132	4	6			
Land Titles ...	10,115	15	7			
				56,004	2	7
Colonial Secretary—						
Office of Colonial Secretary	4,926	12	7			
Medical	103,328	17	7			
Gaols...	32,274	8	4			
Rottnest Establishment	3,417	13	4			
Printing	26,654	12	10			
Registry	†5,646	14	1			
Friendly Societies ...	‡398	5	11			
Charitable Institutions	20,566	8	0			
Government Gardens	1,280	14	11			
Central Board of Health	408	5	9			
Educational ...	40,426	2	3			
Post and Telegraph...	267,107	15	0			
Audit...	5,534	8	3			
Observatory ...	3,339	2	3			
				515,310	1	1
Total Expenditure ... ... £				2,980,494	19	4

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* Exclusive of Expenditure in connection with Aborigines. † Including "Friendly Societies" to 30th June. ‡ Expenditure from 30th June. First half-year's Expenditure included under Registry.

No. 8.

Decennial Return of the Revenue of Western Australia, showing the Details of Revenue for each of the Years ended 31st December, 1889 to 1898, and 30th June, 1893 to 1898.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	Year ended 30th June, 1893.	1893.	Year ended 30th June, 1894.	1894.	Year ended 30th June, 1895.	1895.	Year ended 30th June, 1896.	1896.	Year ended 30th June, 1897.	1897.	Year ended 30th June, 1898.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
TAXATION:																
Customs	171,990	182,546	237,686	276,554	265,182	259,495	331,298	415,083	513,508	621,825	780,901	996,812	1,087,257	1,076,330	1,017,724	924,883
Licenses	7,600	8,051	8,473	8,612	9,056	15,424	10,267	9,453	11,885	13,022	15,317	16,424	22,659	25,002	25,819	30,214
Probate Duty	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,776	14,796
Stamp Revenue	8,658	7,637	11,376	11,904	11,574	10,638	11,280	14,477	22,760	43,668	58,697	70,627	74,968	67,529	59,007	43,149
Duties on Horses exported	21	16	11	13	10	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
LAND REVENUE	80,102	104,384	99,446	73,274	91,823	69,663	78,058	78,961	89,841	153,876	151,574	160,001	185,126	161,162	168,972	169,999
MINING REVENUE	7,826	4,029	3,814	6,085	6,998	9,031	21,520	36,779	51,050	77,885	135,168	215,203	212,407	121,170	87,401	78,428
PUBLIC WORKS:																
Railways	41,152	45,814	63,002	92,243	107,305	118,983	133,545	198,554	293,486	348,741	472,035	680,483	934,325	1,043,704	1,032,178	1,019,841
Tramways	2,481	2,815	2,708	2,015	2,182	1,838	1,422	1,489	2,247	3,031	2,600	2,763	4,821	4,490	3,021	2,749
Water Supply	646	683	989	1,071	1,169	1,075	1,203	5,031	13,454	17,173	30,000	31,080	21,456	18,574	16,821	16,438
POSTAL REVENUE:																
Postages and Commission on Money Orders	13,331	15,459	17,573	20,575	22,786	22,847	26,415	32,419	38,429	47,305	63,803	84,247	100,434	110,969	111,497	105,806
Telegraphs	10,037	10,328	12,679	13,787	15,510	16,388	19,204	25,666	39,247	61,944	83,330	95,496	99,820	99,861	93,673	79,754
Telephones	1,090	807	1,084	1,210	1,662	1,907	2,061	2,552	3,080	3,837	5,187	6,398	8,086	11,886	15,742	18,477
OTHER SOURCES:																
Brand Revenue	73	64	82	93	100	104	116	118	108	101	99	110	130	69	*	*
Fees of Public Offices ...	2,958	3,507	5,806	5,712	5,743	5,207	5,050	5,311	6,037	7,251	9,765	13,527	15,208	16,139	16,413	16,246
Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court	3,696	3,940	3,728	4,974	5,974	6,848	6,449	7,415	8,430	9,225	12,521	17,873	21,779	30,117	§ 31,095	§ 21,542
Harbour Dues	6,002	6,172	6,520	7,690	7,466	7,780	8,162	8,009	8,913	9,957	11,729	14,344	15,977	16,202	16,079	14,571
Interest	...	1,458	3,132	6,408	8,256	4,463	2,980	4,328	5,169	3,015	5,032	6,670	6,933	7,193	3,114	1,014
Public Depositors' Relief Act	...	...	...	...	...	5,792	6,162	370	329	329	...	...	...	...	...	...
Refunds	183	861	304	449	484	920	1,051	453	260	1,092	1,314	952	1,271	557	*	*
Reimbursements in Aid ...	7,130	6,353	6,277	5,621	6,785	5,067	5,050	6,154	8,147	7,123	9,351	12,606	13,418	12,113	14,733	12,780
Rents (exclusive of Land)	203	174	306	487	519	1,112	1,293	815	459	264	828	2,369	2,698	1,020	*	*
Rottnest Establishment ...	549	680	683	781	684	498	600	489	388	478	667	613	544	645	537	500
Sale of Government Property	590	264	402	31	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Scab Act	808	923	1,208	775	625	579	707	687	861	809	575	584	142	125	*	*
Special Revenue, North District	1,883	1,459	1,681	1,773	1,748	1,556	1,484	1,152	1,090	475	113	121	118	12	*	*
Wharfage Dues	3,942	4,591	7,179	† 441	271	488	605	681	1,030	1,587	2,907	3,818	2,931	1,413	661	620
Miscellaneous	‡69,774	1,299	1,521	1,310	1,886	2,945	5,263	7,233	5,733	4,704	5,182	7,269	10,243	17,493	28,484	33,136
Total Revenue	442,725	414,314	497,670	543,888	575,822	570,651	681,246	863,679	1,125,941	1,438,717	1,858,695	2,440,390	2,842,751	2,843,775	2,754,747	2,604,943

* Included under "Miscellaneous." † In this and the following years mainly included under various other heads. ‡ Including £60,512 recouped from Loans. § Probate Duty shown separately under "Taxation."

No. 9.

Details of Revenue from Land; Licenses; Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court; and Fees of Public Offices for each of the ten years, 1889 to 1897-8.*

Heads of Revenue.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	Half-year ended 30th June, 1893.	Year ended 30th June, 1894.	Year ended 30th June, 1895.	Year ended 30th June, 1896.	Year ended 30th June, 1897.	Year ended 30th June, 1898.
LAND—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sales	9,518	32,842	26,002	3,283	637	12,100	28,833	101,641	103,262	69,798
Rent	66,392	67,362	67,391	66,091	58,862	62,370	57,860	42,687	67,553	69,015
Timber Dues	1,257	1,140	1,265	1,405	852	1,018	1,111	4,137	9,136	23,028
Guano	1,697	1,957	2,859	1,356	905	1,334	394	523	476	707
Fees	912	777	1,279	731	451	917	1,242	2,029	2,976	2,768
All other Sources	326	306	650	408	101	319	401	557	1,723	3,656
Total	80,102	104,384	99,446	73,274	61,808	78,058	89,841	151,574	185,126	168,972
MINING—										
Lease Rental under Mineral Lands Act	...	...	...	...	420	277	598	715	1,034	1,600
Receipts from all other sources under Mineral Lands Act	...	...	...	...						517
Lease Rental under Goldfields Act	...	...	...	...	3,498	21,243	50,318	134,069	94,684	41,828
Receipts from all other sources under Goldfields Act ...	...	...	...	...					23,022	20,693
Survey Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	134	384	64,019	11,346
Examination Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...			1,777	1,225
Exemption Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...			27,289	10,009
Receipts from all other sources	...	...	...	...	...	...			582	183
Total	7,826	4,029	3,814	6,085	3,918	21,520	51,050	135,168	212,407	87,401
LICENSES—										
To Retail Spirituous and Fermented Liquors	5,519	5,708	5,696	6,155	6,424	7,496	8,750	11,607	17,920	21,259
To Sell by Auction	360	422	532	628	150	754	788	1,238	1,721	1,367
To Keep Dogs	1,040	1,044	1,062	965	799	815	808	791	817	774
Bonded Warehouses	...	...	572	300	300	577	600	700	602	667
Miscellaneous	681	877	611	564	462	625	939	981	1,599	1,752
Total	7,600	8,051	8,473	8,612	8,135	10,267	11,885	15,317	22,659	25,819
FINES, FORFEITURES, AND FEES OF COURT—										
Judicial Fines	1,557	1,556	1,703	2,135	1,237	2,181	3,620	4,623	4,715	6,765
Fees of Supreme Court	866	803	819	1,113	731	1,613	1,869	3,637	10,134	15,029
Fees of Sheriff	40	75	32	40	43	74	111	101	201	452
Fees of District Courts	1,014	1,156	1,049	1,439	1,020	1,768	2,224	3,061	5,269	6,866
Fees of Bankruptcy Court	219	350	125	247	405	813	606	1,099	955	1,964
Fees of Wardens' Courts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	505	19
Probate Duty	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,776
Total	3,696	3940	3,728	4,974	3,436	6,449	8,430	12,521	21,779	42,871
FEES OF PUBLIC OFFICES—										
Registrar General and Registrar of Patents and Trade Marks	576	749	1,023	558	292	691	1,097	1,478	2,259	2,053
Registrar of Friendly Societies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46†	21
Registrar of Deeds	193	168	195	159	80	130	141	410	250	214
Registrar of Titles	2,076	2,436	4,449	4,699	2,109	3,707	4,355	6,916	11,696	13,111
Curator of Intestate Estates	...	...	...	...	...	291	204	386	359	460
Assayers' Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	249
Miscellaneous	113	154	139	296	220	231	240	575	598	305
Total	2,958	3,507	5,806	5,712	2,701	5,050	6,037	9,765	15,208	16,413

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* For detailed Tables relating to Customs, Railways, and Postal Revenue, *see* Part IV.—"Interchange."

† Included in previous years under "Registrar General and Registrar of Patents and Trade Marks."

No. 10.

Decennial Return of the General Expenditure of Western Australia, showing the Details of Expenditure for each of the Years ended 31st December, 1889 to 1898, and 30th June, 1893 to 1898.

a Heads of Expenditure.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	Year ended 30th June, 1893.	1893.	Year ended 30th June, 1894.	1894.	Year ended 30th June, 1895.	1895.	Year ended 30th June, 1896.	1896.	Year ended 30th June, 1897.	1897.	Year ended 30th June, 1898.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
SPECIAL ACTS—																
b Constitution Act	*c* 4,977	*c* 4,502 *g* 2,276	16,366	15,947	15,817	15,622	15,733	17,565	18,443	19,067	21,256	27,896	33,763	29,342	25,253	*q* 16,067
Loan Acts	68,170	71,775	76,772	98,211	103,837	114,368	133,262	148,964	154,723	174,279	194,623	204,269	251,172	303,153	338,263	390,713
High School	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	750	1,000
Annuity to Lady Barlee	150	150	150	150	188	75	150	188	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	188
Annuity to Lady Broome... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	225
Second Puisne Judge	*e* 700	*e* 563	...	*k* 706	*k* 900	*k* 900	*k* 776	*k* 697	*k* 820	*k* 900	*k* 900	*o k* 450	*o*	*o*	*o*	*o*
Five Ministerial Salaries (augmentation)	...	...	...	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	992	993	1,000	988	*o* 488	*o*	*o*	*o*	*o*
Public Depositors' Relief Act ...	...	...	...	...	...	5,795	6,162	696	329	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Commutation of Ecclesiastical Grant	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,715	17,715	17,715	17,715	...	...	...
Assisted Schools Abolition Act ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,500	15,000	7,500	...	...	...
Royal Mint	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,101	4,470	8,015
Aborigines	1,220	1,975	*h* (5,000)	*h* (5,000)	*h* (5,000)	*h* (5,000)	*h* (5,000)	*h* (6,832)	*h* (7,732)	*h* (8,334)	*h* (10,523)	*h* (14,889)	*h* (18,587)	*h* (13,940)	*h* (9,578)	*d* 9,792
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR ...	734	701	586	592	630	865	1,161	1,085	1,114	1,189	1,072	1,025	1,117	1,165	1,132	1,147
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	114	215	252	284	277	303	291
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL	1,207	1,049	1,138	1,202	1,307	1,281	1,288	1,473	1,497	2,112	2,168	1,759	1,921	1,906	1,897	1,875
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY	...	...	1,702	2,209	2,343	2,711	2,675	2,780	3,026	3,383	3,215	3,709	3,868	3,842	4,669	5,301
COLONIAL TREASURER—																
Treasury	1,495	1,539	2,046	2,665	3,027	3,796	4,374	4,593	4,848	5,366	6,383	8,065	9,543	10,365	10,563	9,738
London Agency	...	...	1,900	2,473	3,203	1,691	3,051	3,262	3,099	3,174	3,501	3,769	4,008	4,166	4,254	5,219
Customs	7,718	8,583	10,710	8,004	8,311	9,262	10,002	11,989	15,484	18,816	23,061	29,077	34,635	37,966	36,951	33,171
Harbour and Light	7,256	7,715	7,595	8,176	8,588	8,572	9,456	9,414	9,153	9,699	11,810	14,095	16,943	25,620	27,361	18,985
Government Stores	937	959	4,310	4,967	5,988	5,016	3,426	4,098	4,318	4,240	4,735	5,333	5,812	6,475	6,212	5,544
Literary, Scientific, and Agricultural Grants	1,125	1,060	1,575	2,245	1,025	3,035	3,222	3,927	3,060	5,805	7,156	13,031	11,705	17,335	18,035	7,726
Pensions	2,921	3,034	3,627	4,240	4,320	4,267	4,514	4,561	4,379	4,243	4,035	4,055	4,344	4,730	4,999	5,270
Refunds	546	365	897	431	436	838	833	849	1,199	2,020	2,022	3,080	3,600	4,533	4,562	2,719
Premier's Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	129	388
Police	36,404	35,214	37,160	43,122	44,826	45,918	47,173	50,950	58,265	64,301	70,466	82,905	94,678	103,303	109,800	107,515
Defences	3,697	4,013	2,618	7,417	14,211	12,699	6,579	8,879	16,128	13,318	10,085	12,790	16,629	18,683	23,534	23,859
Admiralty or Special Coast Surveys	2,950	3,000	...	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	525	10,844	14,626	9,447	9,179	5,189	1,471
Revenue Services, North-West Coast	2,738	1,917	2,405	2,136	1,994	2,069	1,137	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ecclesiastical Grant	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	3,543	*m* 1,771	*m*	*m*	*m*	*m*	*m*
Immigration	2,000	2,000	*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*		*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*	*i*
Miscellaneous	21,435	25,916	21,939	30,592	37,613	32,039	18,828	22,441	30,509	40,049	87,789	111,825	170,238	175,152	130,704	141,258

COMMISSIONER OF RAILWAYS—																
Railways and Tramways	63,939	62,270	68,348	92,600	100,944	94,735	105,978	136,616	183,941	215,351	266,868	371,724	580,147	746,705	852,648	853,529
Public Works	9,947	17,068	19,533	40,138	64,158	58,056	42,244	47,882	97,581	191,766	518,967	434,076	384,340	457,667	405,559	231,827
Public Buildings													421,140	473,394	441,681	347,810
Roads and Bridges	10,954	12,302	11,443	10,806	21,538	22,937	25,919	37,393	31,893	45,855	68,940	35,643	*f*	*f*	*f*	*f*
Water Supply	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	526	15,813	46,585	50,595	19,297	*f*	*f*	*f*	*f*
COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS—																
Lands and Surveys	17,772	15,702	15,152	19,300	25,543	26,258	24,691	25,766	28,248	30,313	33,441	39,552	52,227	66,518	75,262	74,304
Fisheries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	990	2,312	2,613	2,057	1,377	2,023	2,347	2,300	2,025
Woods and Forests	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	371	1,108	1,351	2,020	2,739	3,490	3,955	3,356
Stock	683	566	1,382	1,461	1,758	2,071	2,572	3,603	4,465	4,311	4,489	5,772	6,231	5,602	5,269	4,768
Department of Agriculture ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	927	2,289	3,113	3,630	5,379	7,000	7,000	7,000	7,864
Agricultural Bank	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	572	1,083	1,008	1,024	1,101	1,255	1,279	1,272
MINISTER OF MINES—																
Mines	2,151	2.522	3,514	4,021	4,312	4,826	5,938	10,996	17,156	20,880	31,842	68,881	112,464	109,129	91,317	79,609
Geological	1,000	1,000	1,175	1,168	1,302	1,353	1,501	859	*l*	*l*	*l*	*l*	*l*	3,260	6,417	5,340
ATTORNEY GENERAL—																
Crown Law Officers	15,718	13,586	675	695	1,188	1,525	1,489	1,582	1,567	1,776	1,988	2,252	3,019	3,630	3,568	3,241
Supreme Court			2,624	3,270	3,333	3,642	3,657	4,148	4,669	4,659	4,617	5,800	7,666	8,687	11,003	12,715
Official Receiver in Bankruptcy ...			...	...	...	554	1,189	1,178	1,134	1,197	1,248	1,452	1,789	2,069	2,542	2,800
Stipendiary Magistracy			10,888	11,621	11,779	12,241	12,774	13,802	15,290	15,886	17,446	19,872	22,258	25,654	27,878	27,132
Land Titles	1,485	1,425	1,915	2,168	2,353	2,717	3,128	3,400	3,566	3,808	4,257	5,116	7,645	9,843	10,528	10,116
COLONIAL SECRETARY—																
Office of Colonial Secretary ...	1,689	1,694	1,357	1,460	1,458	1,499	1,538	2,080	2,857	2,795	2,895	3,606	5,628	6,343	5,280	4,927
Medical	12,438	12,400	11,904	14,895	17,335	17,788	17,516	18,226	27,315	33,103	54,403	80,991	93,352	103,228	109,112	103,329
Gaols	12,585	12,917	13,579	16,449	15,958	15,353	15,283	15,605	17,264	18,221	19,337	22,104	23,658	25,817	30,364	32,274
Rottnest Establishment	3,219	3,199	3,342	2,803	2,744	3,212	3,208	3,018	2,892	2,772	3,201	3,682	3,716	4,174	3,925	3,418
Printing	3,951	3,688	5,325	7,280	7,839	8,249	9,766	11,422	13,086	15,083	17,516	18,986	21,002	23,679	28,017	26,655
Registry	380	390	2,265	608	693	1,101	1,456	1,433	1,940	2,319	2,791	3,235	3,812	4.639	5,669	5,647
Friendly Societies	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*p* 398
Charitable Institutions	8,991	8,677	8,548	9,265	9,659	9,945	10,700	11,281	12,299	12,509	13,152	14,230	14,921	16,382	18,381	20,566
Government Gardens	350	351	334	366	412	461	591	628	1,007	1,257	1,488	1,557	1,345	1,371	1,267	1,281
Central Board of Health	138	131	164	136	120	130	235	275	237	231	240	252	283	298	284	408
Educational...	11,125	11,494	11,986	14,897	16,151	16,347	17,078	18,532	21,795	26,575	*n* 28,364	*n* 32,751	40,260	57,480	49,147	40,426
Post and Telegraph	33,702	36,609	41,243	49,975	53,312	57,884	66,983	77,459	86,800	108,578	170,325	269,012	313,203	298,725	289,475	267,108
Audit	1,361	1,397	1,388	1,706	1,866	2,055	2,078	2,365	2,790	3,059	3,195	3,645	4,330	4,992	5,487	5,534
Observatory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	252	1,319	2,582	2,723	2,968	3,339
Total Expenditure	386,001	401,737	435,623	550,616	629,372	640,801	656,357	755,564	936,729	1,212,314	1,823,863	2,362,003	2,839,453	3,236,044	3,256,912	2,980,495

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a The Treasury having found it convenient and necessary to re-arrange the classification of the various heads of expenditure from time to time, it has been thought well, as regards previous years, to follow, so far as possible in this return, for the sake of easy comparison, the arrangement at present adopted by that Department. *b* "Constitution Act, 1889" (52 Vict., No. 23), comprising Salaries of Governor, Private Secretary, Clerk of the Executive Council, Chief Justice, Puisne Judge, five Ministerial Salaries, and certain Pensions; also, from 1891 to year ended 30th June, 1898, inclusive, Grant for promoting the welfare of Aboriginal Natives. *c* Civil List only (Schedule G., 33 Vict., No. 13, and 48 Vict., No. 24). *d* Of this amount £4,932, the expenditure to 30th June was paid, under the "Constitution Act," and £4,860, the expenditure from 30th June to 31st December, under "The Aborigines Act, 1897." *e* Puisne Judge, subsequently included in "Constitution Act." *f* Included under "Public Works." *g* First expenditure by "Constitution Act," including balance of salary to Puisne Judge, but not yet including "Aborigines." *h* Included in expenditure by "Constitution Act." *i* Paid from Loan Expenditure. *k* Second Puisne Judge. *l* Included in "Mines." *m* *See* above, "Commutation of Ecclesiastical Grant." *n* *See* above, "Assisted Schools Abolition Act." *o* Included on Estimates for 1896-7 and subsequent years, under "Constitution Act." *p* Expenditure from 1st July to 31st December. Expenditure for first half of 1898, and for previous years, included under "Registry." *q* Exclusive of Expenditure in connection with Aborigines.

No. 11.

Summary of the Revenue of Western Australia in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.

Year.	Taxation.			Land.	Mining.	Public Works.	Post, Telegraph and Telephone.	Other Sources.	Total.
	Customs.	Other Taxation.	Total.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	171,990	16,279	188,269	80,102	7,826	44,279	24,458	* 97,791	442,725
1890	182,546	15,704	198,250	104,384	4,029	49,312	26,594	31,745	414,314
1891	237,686	19,860	257,546	99,446	3,814	66,699	31,336	38,829	497,670
1892	276,554	20,529	297,083	73,274	6,085	95,329	35,572	36,545	543,888
1892–3	265,182	20,640	285,822	91,823	6,998	110,656	39,958	40,565	575,822
1893	259,495	26,065	285,560	69,663	9,031	121,896	41,142	43,359	570,651
1893–4	331,298	21,548	352,846	78,058	21,520	136,170	47,680	44,972	681,246
1894	415,083	23,930	439,013	78,961	36,779	205,074	60,637	43,215	863,679
1894–5	513,508	34,645	548,153	89,841	51,050	309,187	80,756	46,954	1,125,941
1895	621,825	56,690	678,515	153,876	77,885	368,945	113,086	46,410	1,438,717
1895–6	780,901	74,014	854,915	151,574	135,168	504,635	152,320	60,083	1,858,695
1896	996,812	87,051	1,083,863	160,001	215,203	714,326	186,141	80,856	2,440,390
1896–7	1,087,257	97,627	1,184,884	185,126	212,407	960,602	208,340	91,392	2,842,751
1897	1,076,330	92,531	1,168,861	161,162	121,170	1,066,768	222,716	103,098	2,843,775
1897–8	1,017,724	96,602	1,114,326	168,972	87,401	1,052,020	220,912	111,116	2,754,747
1898	924,883	88,159	1,013,042	169,999	78,428	1,039,028	204,037	100,409	2,604,943

Percentage of each Item to Total Revenue.

1889	38·85	3·68	42·53	18·09	1·77	10·00	5·53	22·08	100·00
1890	44·06	3·79	47·85	25·19	0·97	11·90	6·42	7·67	100·00
1891	47·76	3·99	51·75	19·98	0·77	13·40	6·30	7·80	100·00
1892	50·85	3·77	54·62	13·47	1·12	17·53	6·54	6·72	100·00
1892–3	46·05	3·58	49·63	15·95	1·22	19·22	6·93	7·05	100·00
1893	45·47	4·57	50·04	12·21	1·58	21·36	7·21	7·60	100·00
1893–4	48·63	3·16	51·79	11·46	3·16	19·99	7·00	6·60	100·00
1894	48·06	2·77	50·83	9·14	4·26	23·74	7·02	5·01	100·00
1894–5	45·61	3·07	48·68	7·98	4·53	27·46	7·17	4·17	100·00
1895	43·22	3·94	47·16	10·70	5·41	25·65	7·86	3·22	100·00
1895–6	42·01	3·98	45·99	8·15	7·27	27·15	8·20	3·24	100·00
1896	40·85	3·57	44·42	6·55	8·82	29·27	7·63	3·31	100·00
1896–7	38·25	3·43	41·68	6·51	7·47	33·79	7·33	3·22	100.00
1897	37·85	3·25	41·10	5·67	4·26	37·51	7·83	3·63	100·00
1897–8	36·94	3·51	40·45	6·14	3·17	38·19	8·02	4·03	100·00
1898	35·51	3·38	38·89	6·53	3·01	39·89	7·83	3·85	100·00

Per head of Mean Population.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	4 0 3	0 7 8¼	4 7 10¼	1 17 4½	0 3 8	1 0 8	0 11 4¾	2 5 7¾	10 6 7¼
1890	4 1 6	0 7 0½	4 8 6½	2 6 7¼	0 1 9½	1 2 0¼	0 11 10½	0 14 2	9 5 0
1891	4 14 10	0 7 11	5 2 9	1 19 8¼	0 1 6¼	1 6 7½	0 12 6	0 15 5¾	9 18 6¾
1892	4 19 0¼	0 7 4	5 6 4¼	1 6 3	0 2 2¼	1 14 1½	0 12 8¾	0 13 1	9 14 8¾
1892–3	4 10 7	0 7 0¾	4 17 7¾	1 11 4¼	0 2 4¾	1 17 9½	0 13 7¾	0 13 10½	9 16 8½
1893	4 4 1¼	0 8 5¼	4 12 6½	1 2 7	0 2 11	1 19 6	0 13 4	0 14 0¾	9 4 11¼
1893–4	4 18 6¾	0 6 5	5 4 11¾	1 3 2¾	0 6 4¾	2 0 6¼	0 14 2¼	0 13 4½	10 2 8¼
1894	5 10 6¾	0 6 4½	5 16 11¼	1 1 0¼	0 9 9½	2 14 7¼	0 16 1¾	0 11 6¼	11 10 0¼
1894–5	6 4 6¾	0 8 4¾	6 12 11½	1 1 9½	0 12 4¾	3 15 0	0 19 7¼	0 11 4¾	13 13 1¾
1895	6 17 10	0 12 7	7 10 5	1 14 1½	0 17 3	4 1 9¼	1 5 0¾	0 10 3½	15 18 11
1895–6	7 9 2¼	0 14 1¾	8 3 4	1 8 11½	1 5 9¾	4 16 4¾	1 9 1¼	0 11 5¾	17 15 1
1896	8 2 4	0 14 2¼	8 16 6¼	1 6 0¼	1 15 0½	5 16 3¾	1 10 3¾	0 13 2	19 17 5
1896–7	7 14 6	0 13 10½	8 8 4½	1 6 3¾	1 10 2¼	6 16 6¼	1 9 7¼	0 12 11¾	20 3 11¾
1897	6 18 2¾	0 11 10½	7 10 1¼	1 0 8½	0 15 6¼	6 16 11¾	1 8 7¼	0 13 2¾	18 5 2¼
1897–8	6 3 10¾	0 11 9	6 15 7¾	1 0 7	0 10 7¾	6 8 1	1 6 10¾	0 13 6½	16 15 4¾
1898	5 9 3¼	0 10 5	5 19 8¼	1 0 1	0 9 3¼	6 2 9	1 4 1¼	0 11 10½	15 7 9¼

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* Including £60,512 recouped from Loans.

No. 12.

Summary of the Expenditure of Western Australia in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Other Public Works.	Public Debt—Interest & Sinking Funds.	Post, Telegraph, and Telephone.	Other Expenditure.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	63,939	20,901	68,170	33,702	199,289	386,001
1890	62,270	29,370	71,775	36,609	201,713	401,737
1891	68,348	30,976	76,772	41,243	218,284	435,623
1892	92,600	50,944	98,211	49,975	258,886	550,616
1892–3	100,944	85,696	103,837	53,312	285,583	629,372
1893	94,735	80,993	114,368	57,884	292,821	640,801
1893–4	105,978	68,163	133,262	66,983	281,971	656,357
1894	136,616	85,801	148,964	77,459	306,724	755,564
1894–5	183,941	145,287	154,723	86,800	365,978	936,729
1895	215,351	284,206	174,279	108,578	429,900	1,212,314
1895–6	266,868	638,502	194,623	170,325	553,545	1,823,863
1896	371,724	800,548	204,269	269,012	716,450	2,362,003
1896–7	580,147	805,480	251,172	313,203	889,451	2,839,453
1897	746,705	931,061	303,153	298,725	956,400	3,236,044
1897–8	852,648	847,240	338,263	289,475	929,286	3,256,912
1898	853,529	579,637	390,713	267,108	889,508	2,980,495

Percentage of each Item to Total Expenditure.

1889	16·57	5·41	17·66	8·73	51·63	100·00
1890	15·50	7·31	17·87	9·11	50·21	100·00
1891	15·69	7·11	17·62	9·47	50·11	100·00
1892	16·82	9·25	17·83	9·08	47·02	100·00
1892–3	16·04	13·61	16·50	8·47	45·38	100·00
1893	14·78	12·64	17·85	9·03	45·70	100·00
1893–4	16·15	10·39	20·30	10·20	42·96	100·00
1894	18·08	11·35	19·72	10·25	40·60	100·00
1894–5	19·64	15·51	16·52	9·26	39·07	100·00
1895	17·76	23·44	14·38	8·96	35·46	100·00
1895–6	14·63	35·01	10·67	9·34	30·35	100·00
1896	15·74	33·89	8·65	11·39	30·33	100·00
1896–7	20·43	28·37	8·85	11·03	31·32	100·00
1897	23·07	28·77	9·37	9·23	29·56	100·00
1897–8	26·18	26·01	10·39	8·89	28·53	100·00
1898	28·64	19·45	13·11	8·96	29·84	100·00

Per Head of Mean Population.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	1 9 10	0 9 9	1 11 9¾	0 15 9	4 13 0	9 0 1¾
1890	1 7 9½	0 13 1½	1 12 0¾	0 16 4	4 10 0¾	8 19 4½
1891	1 7 3	0 12 4¼	1 10 7¾	0 16 5½	4 7 1	8 13 9½
1892	1 13 2	0 18 3	1 15 2	0 17 10¾	4 12 8¼	9 17 2
1892–3	1 14 5¾	1 9 3¼	1 15 5¾	0 18 2½	4 17 6¾	10 15 0
1893	1 10 8½	1 6 3	1 17 0¾	0 18 9	4 14 10¾	10 7 8
1893–4	1 11 6½	1 0 3¼	1 19 7¾	0 19 11	4 3 10¾	9 15 3¼
1894	1 16 4½	1 2 10¼	1 19 8¼	1 0 7½	4 1 8½	10 1 3
1894–5	2 4 7½	1 15 3	1 17 6½	1 1 0¾	4 8 9¼	11 7 3
1895	2 7 8¾	3 3 0	1 18 7¾	1 4 0¾	4 15 3½	13 8 8¾
1895–6	2 10 11¾	6 1 11¾	1 17 2¼	1 12 6½	5 5 8¾	17 8 5
1896	3 0 6½	6 10 4½	1 13 3	2 3 9¾	5 16 8¼	19 4 8
1896–7	4 2 5¼	5 14 5½	1 15 8½	2 4 6	6 6 4¾	20 3 6
1897	4 15 10½	5 19 6¾	1 18 11	1 18 4¼	6 2 10	20 15 6½
1897–8	5 3 9¾	5 3 2	2 1 2¼	1 15 2¾	5 13 1¾	19 16 6½
1898	5 0 10¼	3 8 5¾	2 6 2	1 11 6¾	5 5 1¼	17 12 2

No. 13.

Comparative Statement of Public Revenue and Public Expenditure from 1889 to 1898.

Year.	Revenue.	Increase per cent. on preceding year.	Decrease per cent. on preceding year.	Expenditure.	Increase per cent. on preceding year.	Decrease per cent. on preceding year.	Excess of Revenue over Expenditure.	Excess of Expenditure over Revenue.	Balance carried forward.	
									Credit.	Debit.
	£			£			£	£	£	£
1889	*442,725	24·01	...	386,001	0·23	...	56,724	...	33,023	...
1890	414,314	...	6·42	401,737	4·08	...	12,577	...	45,600	...
1891	497,670	20·12	...	435,623	8·43	...	62,047	...	107,647	...
1892	543,888	9·29	...	550,616	26·40	...	...	6,728	100,919	...
1893	570,651	4·92	...	640,801	16·38	...	...	70,150	30,769	...
1894	863,679	51·35	...	755,564	17·91	...	108,115	...	138,884	...
1895	1,438,717	66·58	...	1,212,314	60·45	...	226,403	...	365,287	...
1896	2,440,390	69·62	...	2,362,003	94·83	...	78,387	...	443,674	...
1897	2,843,775	16·53	...	3,236,044	37·00	...	...	392,269	51,405	...
1898	2,604,943	...	8·40	2,980,495		7·90	...	375,552	...	324,147
							544,253	844,699		
Total during 10 years	12,660,752	...	...	12,961,198	...	...	...	300,446	...	...

*Including £60,512 recouped from Loans.

No. 14.

Comparative Statement showing Revenue and Expenditure per head of Mean Population from 1889 to 1898.

Year.	Mean Population.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Revenue per head of Mean Population.	Expenditure per head of Mean Population.	Excess of Revenue over Expenditure per head of Mean Population.	Excess of Expenditure over Revenue per head of Mean Population.
		£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	42,857	442,725	386,001	10 6 7¼	9 0 1¾	1 6 5½	...
1890	44,792	414,314	401,737	9 5 0	8 19 4½	0 5 7½	...
1891	50,130	497,670	435,623	9 18 6¾	8 13 9½	1 4 9¼	...
1892	55,856	543,888	550,616	9 14 8¾	9 17 2	...	0 2 5¼
1892-3	58,548	575,822	629,372	9 16 8½	10 15 0	...	0 18 3½
1893	61,710	570,651	640,801	9 4 11¼	10 7 8	...	1 2 8¾
1893-4	67,224	681,246	656,357	10 2 8¼	9 15 3¼	0 7 5	...
1894	75,094	863,679	755,564	11 10 0¼	10 1 3	1 8 9¼	...
1894-5	82,444	1,125,941	936,729	13 13 1¾	11 7 3	2 5 10¾	...
1895	90,221	1,438,717	1,212,314	15 18 11	13 8 8¾	2 10 2¼	...
1895-6	104,692	1,858,695	1,823,863	17 15 1	17 8 5	0 6 8	..
1896	122,809	2,440,390	2,362,003	19 17 5	19 4 8	0 12 9	...
1896-7	140,739	2,842,751	2,839,453	20 3 11¾	20 3 6	0 0 5¾	...
1897	155,749	2,843,775	3,236,044	18 5 2¼	20 15 6½	...	2 10 4¼
1897-8	164,268	2,754,747	3,256,912	16 15 4¾	19 16 6½	...	3 1 1¾
1898	169,271	2,604,943	2,980,495	15 7 9¼	17 12 2	...	2 4 4¾

Section III.—LOAN EXPENDITURE and PUBLIC DEBT.

No. 15.

The General Loan Fund (60 Vict., No. 29).

General Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure to 30th June, 1898.

Dr. THE TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH HER MAJESTY'S COLONIAL GOVERNMENT. *Cr.*

	£	s.	d.
1896. July 1st—To Balances transferred under 60 Victoriæ, No. 29	754,494	14	7
1897. Jan. 31st—Issue of Stock on Account of Purchase of Great Southern Railway (60 Victoriæ, No. 43)	1,100,000	0	0
Carried forward	1,854,494	14	7

By Expenditure to 30th June, 1898:

	Total Debits.			Sales of Materials and all other Credits.			Net Expenditure.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CLASS I.												
DEPARTMENTAL	181,379	11	3	3,356	6	3	178,023	5	0			
CLASS II.												
RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS:												
Extension of Beverley Station	77	19	6	...			77	19	6			
South-Western Railway	510	3	0	...			510	3	0			
Geraldton to Murchison Goldfields Railway	101,779	17	7	272	13	11	101,507	3	8			
Southern Cross to Kalgoorlie Railway	101,136	10	1	10,189	4	0	90,947	6	1			
Donnybrook towards Bridgetown Railway	67,446	9	9	6,714	8	1	60,732	1	8			
Collie Coalfield Railway	49,991	6	6	34	2	0	49,957	4	6			
Menzies Railway	85,126	3	1	50	2	9	85,076	0	4			
Kanowna Railway	22,731	5	7	10	0	0	22,721	5	7			
Kalgoorlie to Boulder Railway	16,000	10	9	74	4	6	15,926	6	3			
Additions and Improvements to Opened Railways ...	843,190	6	4	15,992	15	1	827,197	11	3			
Railway Workshops	14,197	2	3	2	4	6	14,194	17	9			
Rails and Fastenings	275,634	13	0	3,639	7	6	271,995	5	6			
Rolling Stock	844,431	7	0	9,453	14	0	834,977	13	0			
Purchase of the Great Southern Railway ... £1,100,000 Less amount for Purchase of Land ... £300,000	800,000	0	0	...			800,000	0	0			
Carried forward	3,403,633	5	8	49,789	2	7	3,353,844	3	1			

Dr. **General Loan Fund—General Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure to 30th June, 1898**—*continued.* *Cr.*

		£	s.	d.
Brought forward		1,854,494	14	7
1897. Sept. 30th—To Net Proceeds Sale of Stock, 1st Instalment of Loan, 1896 (60 Victoriæ, No. 28):—				
Gross amount received ...	£950,430 4 0			
Interest accrued	0 18 6			
	950,431 2 6			
Discount allowed	223 16 8			
	950,207 5 10			
Amount available under Miscellaneous to meet discount on raising Loans	31,248 15 5			
		981,456	1	3
1898. June 30th—To Net proceeds Sale of Stock, 1st Instalment of Loan, Coolgardie Water Supply (60 Victoriæ, No. 12):—				
Gross amount received ...	£962,541 17 6			
Interest accrued	0 14 4			
	962,542 11 10			
Discount allowed	383 15 8			
		962,158	16	2

By Expenditure for Year ended 30th June, 1898 *(continued)*:—

	Total Debits. £ s. d.	Sales of Material and all other Credits. £ s. d.	Net Expenditure. £ s. d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	3,403,633 5 8	49,789 2 7	3,353,844 3 1			
CLASS III.						
HARBOUR AND RIVER IMPROVEMENTS:						
Fremantle Harbour Works	364,845 16 8	11,257 18 9	353,587 17 11			
Fremantle Dock and Slip	15,289 2 9	...	15,289 2 9			
Harbour Works, Geraldton	852 5 1	0 1 0	852 4 1			
Additional Shipping Facilities and Repair of Tramway at Carnarvon, and Dredging	1,549 4 9	...	1,549 4 9			
Shipping Facilities at Ashburton, Landing Stage and Approach, and Buildings	356 13 10	...	356 13 10			
Harbour Improvements at Cossack, Extension of Jetty, and Approaches	412 11 6	...	412 11 6			
Improvements to Harbours and Rivers	10,773 11 10	7,105 4 4	3,668 7 6			
Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin	1,712 14 0	2 10 0	1,710 4 0			
Lighthouses	5,807 2 0	...	5,807 2 0			
Dredges and Barges	20,595 3 6	...	20,595 3 6			
CLASS IV.						
PUBLIC BUILDINGS:						
Public Buildings at Geraldton, Cossack, and other Northern Towns...	2,584 18 4	...	2,584 18 4			
School Buildings	47 18 10	...	47 18 10			
CLASS V.						
WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE IN TOWNS:						
Water Supply for Towns	28,494 0 1	1,738 8 8	26,755 11 5			
Sewerage for Perth and Fremantle	18,202 16 3	...	18,202 16 3			
CLASS VI.						
COOLGARDIE WATER SUPPLY:						
Pumping Engines and Sheds for same	26,794 9 6	101 17 5	26,692 12 1			
Main Pipes (including Valves, etc.) at Fremantle						
Main Pipes, Carriage from Fremantle						
Laying and Jointing (including Excavation and Filling-in of Pipe Trench, etc.)						
Reservoirs						
Distributing Mains (including Trenching, Laying, Jointing, etc., averaging, say, 12 inch diameter)						
CLASS VII.						
DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS AND MINERAL RESOURCES:						
Kimberley District	2,719 9 10	...	2,719 9 10			
Other Districts	287,794 17 10	7,044 10 3	280,750 7 7			
CLASS VIII.						
ROADS AND BRIDGES	24,610 9 2	108 0 11	24,502 8 3			
CLASS IX.						
PUBLIC WORKS, GERALDTON	357 4 11	...	357 4 11			

June 30th—To proceeds of Treasury Bills issued in aid of Loan Funds	*1,050,000	0	0
	£4,848,109	12	0

CLASS X.						
DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE	13,753 16 10	11 11 6	13,742 5 4			
Purchase of Land from the W.A. Land Company	300,000 0 0	...	300,000 0 0			
CLASS XI.						
IMMIGRATION	9,209 14 6	1,419 12 6	7,790 2 0			
CLASS XII.						
MISCELLANEOUS (including Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans)	53,139 6 5	...	53,139 6 5			
CLASS XIII.						
TELEGRAPHS						
TOTAL	4,593,536 14 1	78,578, 17 11	4,514,957 16 2	4,514,957	16	2
Donnybrook-Bridgetown Railway—Amount advanced pending being provided for from Loan Funds				35,628	5	6
Midland Junction Railway Workshops ,, ,, ,, ...				8,365	16	7
Expenses raising 1st instalment of Coolgardie Water Supply Loan ,, ,, ,, ...				11,585	12	2
				4,570,537	10	5
Balance due by Treasurer				277,572	1	7
				£4,848,109	12	0

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* This amount does not include Treasury Bills for £250,000, advised by cable as issued, but for which the Agent General's account current had not been received at the close of the financial year.

No. 16.

The General Loan Fund (60 Vict., No. 29).

General Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure to 31st December, 1898.

Dr. THE TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH HER MAJESTY'S COLONIAL GOVERNMENT. *Cr.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1896.						
July 1st — To balances transferred under 60 Victoriæ, No. 29				754,494	14	7
1897.						
Jan. 31st—Issue of Stock on account of Purchase of Great Southern Railway (60 Victoriæ, No. 43)				1,100,000	0	0
Sept. 30th — To Proceeds Sale of Stock, 1st Instalment of Loan, 1896 (60 Victoriæ, No. 28):—						
Gross amount received ...	£950,430	4	0			
Interest accrued	0	18	6			
	950,431	2	6			
Discount allowed	223	16	8			
	950,207	5	10			
Amount available under Miscellaneous to meet discount on raising Loans	31,248	15	5			
				981,456	1	3

By Expenditure from *1st July, 1896, to 31st Dec., 1898:

	Total Debits.			Sales of Materials and all other Credits.			Net Expenditure.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CLASS I.												
DEPARTMENTAL	218,241	7	4	3,450	3	8	214,791	3	8			
CLASS II.												
RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS:												
Extension of Beverley Station	103	5	9	...			103	5	9			
South-Western Railway...	686	19	8	52	17	4	634	2	4			
Geraldton to Murchison Goldfields Railway	124,959	17	3	426	14	11	124,533	2	4			
Southern Cross to Kalgoorlie Railway	101,476	13	6	10,234	7	0	91,242	6	6			
Donnybrook towards Bridgetown Railway...	122,568	5	11	6,754	18	1	115,813	7	10			
Collie Coalfield Railway...	59,281	5	1	91	11	0	59,189	14	1			
Menzies Railway	114,181	6	10	50	2	9	114,131	4	1			
Kanowna Railway...	29,249	6	1	10	0	0	29,239	6	1			
Kalgoorlie to Boulder Railway	17,545	4	11	74	4	6	17,471	0	5			
Greenhills Railway	14,553	13	5	11	17	6	14,541	15	11			
Additions and Improvements to Opened Railways	887,084	9	3	17,454	12	8	869,629	16	7			
Railway Workshops	26,150	0	3	2	4	6	26,147	15	9			
Rails and Fastenings	301,912	10	11	8,034	3	10	293,878	7	1			
Rolling Stock	939,944	14	7	9,705	14	8	930,238	19	11			
Purchase of the Great Southern Railway ... ...£1,100,000 } Less amount for Purchase of Land ... ... £300,000 }	800,000	0	0	...			800,000	0	0			
CLASS III.												
HARBOUR AND RIVER IMPROVEMENTS:												
Fremantle Harbour Works	397,552	19	10	11,910	15	4	385,642	4	6			
Fremantle Dock and Slip	17,438	17	3	...			17,438	17	3			
Harbour Works, Geraldton	852	5	1	0	1	0	852	4	1			
Additional Shipping Facilities and Repair of Tramway at Carnarvon, and Dredging	1,549	4	9	...			1,549	4	9			
Shipping Facilities at Ashburton, Landing Stage and Approach, and Buildings	356	13	10	...			356	13	10			
Harbour Improvements of Cossack, Extension of Jetty, and Approaches	412	11	6	...			412	11	6			
Bunbury Breakwater	23,593	14	11	1,206	18	11	22,386	16	0			
Carnarvon Jetty	9,249	14	8	...			9,249	14	8			
Port Hedland Jetty and Approach Road	10,697	18	7	...			10,697	18	7			
Wyndham Jetty	2,539	7	0	...			2,539	7	0			
Bunbury Jetty	55	18	0	...			55	18	0			
Ashburton Jetty	136	2	1	...			136	2	1			
Improvements to Harbours and Rivers	16,479	9	7	7,182	3	4	9,297	6	3			
Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin	1,712	14	0	2	10	0	1,710	4	0			
Lighthouses	6,173	11	1	...			6,173	11	1			
Dredges and Barges	39,815	3	6	...			39,815	3	6			
CLASS IV.												
PUBLIC BUILDINGS:												
Public Buildings at Geraldton, Cossack, and other Northern Towns	2,584	18	4	..			2,584	18	4			
School Buildings	47	18	10	...			47	18	10			

1898.

June 30th—To proceeds Sale of Stock, 1st Instalment of Loan, Coolgardie Water Supply (60 Victoriæ, No. 12):—

Gross amount received ...	£962,541	17	6			
Interest accrued	0	14	4			
	962,542	11	10			
Discount allowed	383	15	8			
				962,158	16	2

Nov. 30th—To proceeds Sale of Stock, 2nd Instalment of Loan, 1896 (60 Victoriæ, No. 28):—

Gross amount received ...	£941,837	18	0			
Interest accrued	1	7	3			
	941,839	5	3			
Discount allowed	395	0	1			
				941,444	5	2
				4,739,553	17	2

Dec. 31st—To proceeds of Treasury Bills issued in aid of Loan Funds	1,550,000	0	0
	£6,289,553	17	2

CLASS V.												
WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE IN TOWNS:												
Water Supply for Towns	37,165	12	3	1,740	8	10	35,425	3	5			
Sewerage for Perth and Fremantle	21,828	5	0	750	0	0	21,078	5	0			
CLASS VI.												
COOLGARDIE WATER SUPPLY:												
Pumping Engines and Sheds for same	80	1	1	...			80	1	1			
Main Pipes (including Valves, etc.) at Fremantle	467	7	1	...			467	7	1			
Main Pipes, Carriage from Fremantle	...			...			...					
Main Pipes, Laying and Jointing (including Excavation and Filling-in of Pipe Trench, etc.)	625	10	5	...			625	10	5			
Reservoirs	52,266	8	10	396	4	1	51,870	4	9			
Distributing Mains (including Trenching, Laying, Jointing, etc., averaging, say, 12 inch diameter)	...			...			...					
CLASS VII.												
DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS AND MINERAL RESOURCES:												
Kimberley District	2,771	19	10				2,771	19	10			
Other Districts	305,939	8	6	13,364	2	3	292,575	6	3			
Eastern Goldfields	25,976	13	3	7,976	13	3	18,000	0	0			
Murchison and Peak Hill	6,743	18	8	...			6,743	18	8			
Pilbarra Goldfield...	644	14	7	..			644	14	7			
Erection of Public Batteries	26,101	5	6	56	19	8	26,044	5	10			
Norseman Tank	...			...			...					
Other Goldfields, including boring for Coal and Miscellaneous	930	10	1	...			930	10	1			
CLASS VIII.												
ROADS AND BRIDGES	31,092	15	3	108	0	11	30,984	14	4			
CLASS IX.												
PUBLIC WORKS, GERALDTON	357	4	11	...			357	4	11			
CLASS X.												
DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE	15,484	8	4	11	16	3	15,472	12	1			
Purchase of Land from the W.A. Land Company	300,000	0	0				300,000	0	0			
CLASS XI.												
IMMIGRATION	11,076	5	5	1,690	13	6	9,385	11	11			
CLASS XII.												
MISCELLANEOUS (including Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans)	76,363	0	8	...			76,363	0	8			
TOTAL	5,205,103	13	3	102,750	19	9	5,102,352	13	6	5,102,352	13	6
Balance due by Treasurer										1,187,201	3	8
										£6,289,553	17	2

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* The date on which the General Loan Fund was created by 60 Vict., No. 29.

No. 17.

Return showing Expenditure from Loans on Public Works from the 1st January, 1872, to the 30th June, 1898 (classified according to Schedules of Loan Acts).

Loan.	Railways and Tramways.	Electric Telegraphs.	Harbour and River Improvements.	Public Buildings.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources.	Roads and Bridges.	Miscellaneous.	Net realisation of Loans below par.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1872	1,675 0 0	13,870 0 0	*a* 18,570 0 0	885 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	35,000 0 0
1873	88,061 6 1	10,883 19 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,054 14 4	100,000 0 0
1875	26,000 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,000 0 0
1878	137,143 11 11	...	1,746 4 1	7,349 15 4	...	...	49,679 17 2	...	4,080 11 6	200,000 0 0
1881	97,046 5 0	48,523 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,430 12 6	150,000 0 0
1882	194,138 17 8	48,534 14 4	3,882 15 6	...	...	...	...	...	7,443 12 6	254,000 0 0
1884	293,373 11 10	108,150 0 0	72,570 9 2	20,977 9 4	10,000 0 0	...	...	...	18,626 8 2	523,697 18 6
1888	6,483 5 3	3,345 17 0	5,395 9 7	10,800 0 0	...	10,000 0 0	*b* 1,200 0 0	*c* 62,672 2 5	...	99,896 14 3
1891	891,753 7 4	16,000 0 0	236,886 16 8	6,279 1 8	...	70,000 0 0	30,000 0 0	*d* 33,100 6 9	...	1,284,019 12 5
1893	420,058 2 3	...	15,000 0 0	14,952 1 2	...	40,000 0 0	5,334 18 6	...	*e* 13,404 14 9	508,749 16 8
1894	470,674 18 4	20,000 0 0	252,174 7 1	...	...	65,036 0 10	19,260 15 4	*f* 14,539 3 2	...	841,685 4 9
General Loan Fund	3,312,589 1 4	...	426,564 1 2	2,632 17 2	*g* 92,750 11 6	321,298 6 11	26,801 11 6	*h* 323,176 2 3	*i* 121,110 1 2	4,626,922 13 0
Total	5,938,997 7 0	269,307 13 5	1,032,790 3 3	63,876 4 8	102,750 11 6	506,334 7 9	132,277 2 6	433,487 14 7	170,150 14 11	8,649,971 19 7

Reconciliation with Statement of Public Debt—

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Expenditure under Agricultural Bank and Land Purchase Acts	£85,513 15 8	
Unexpended Balance, General Loan Fund	277,572 1 7	
Conversion Expenses	3,201 1 3	
Premiums on Bonds converted into Inscribed Stock	5,449 10 0	
Treasury Bills, 1893 Issue	3,530 0 0	
Do. not yet brought to account for expenditure	250,000 0 0	
		625,266 8 6
		9,275,238 8 1
Premium on Loan, 1894	11,544 1 2	
Discount on Bonds converted into Inscribed Stock	3,656 0 0	
Bonds redeemed	56,300 0 0	
		71,500 1 2
Public Debt on the 30th June, 1898		£9,203,738 6 11

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a Including £3,000 for Coast Survey. *b* Stock Route between Robe River and Northampton. *c* Public Works—Carnarvon, Cossack, and Wyndham, £1,354 8s. 5d.; Contingencies, £305 14s.; Improvements Recreation Ground, Perth, £500; Recoup to Revenue, £60,512. *d* Surveys of Land for Agricultural Purposes, £20,000; Immigration, £13,100 6s. 9d. *e* This Loan realised £10,967 18s. 2d. net premium, against which, in accordance with "The Loan Act, 1893," had to be set net realisation below par, Loan 1891, *i.e.*, £24,372 12s. 11d. *f* Development of Agriculture. *g* Including £33,148 1s. 2d. Coolgardie Water Supply. *h* Purchase of Land, Great Southern Railway, £300,000; Public Works, Geraldton, £357 4s. 11d.; Immigration, £7,875 2s.; Development of Agriculture, £14,943 15s. 4d. *i* Expenses connected with the issue of Stock under the Great Southern Railway Purchase Act, £10,327 6s. 8d.; net realisation below par, 1st instalment Loan 1896, £61,355 18s. 6d; first instalment Coolgardie Water Supply Loan, £49,426 16s.

No. 18.

Loan Expenditure on Public Works, etc., in each of the Years, 1882 to 1898.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Electric Telegraphs.	Harbours, Rivers, Light-houses, etc.	Roads and Bridges.	Public Buildings.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources.	Agricultural Surveys and Development.	Immigration.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Prior to 1882	274,320	73,277	19,016	33,358	885	...	...	...	...	...	400,856
1882	29,946	...	550	8,356	81	...	...	...	...	...	38,933
1883	40,933	1,646	879	6,097	5,364	...	...	...	...	...	54,919
1884	138,645	19,505	2,460	1,609	1,233	...	...	...	...	...	163,452
1885	118,862	36,028	4,318	50	280	...	...	...	...	...	159,538
1886	107,630	8,267	10,029	52	1,527	1,540	...	...	...	...	129,045
1887	117,511	41,514	35,185	158	6,417	4,473	...	...	...	...	205,258
1888	6,953	18,348	8,383	...	8,714	1,406	...	...	...	...	43,804
1889	4,246	31,051	15,092	...	8,541	587	7,697	...	...	60,818	128,032
1890	1,497	3,105	3,011	...	4,795	759	2,239	...	...	500	15,906
1891	43,639	3,596	6,258	9,973	83	972	9,606	3,867	...	...	77,994
1892	258,017	11,673	55,847	17,568	723	136	13,202	8,000	4,064	...	369,230
*1893	207,069	1,260	41,206	2,107	2,853	61	11,123	3,228	1,402	332	270,641
1893-4	505,427	28	70,474	2,188	5,790	17	67,907	4,214	2,699	446	659,190
1894-5	362,592	8,312	138,581	11,718	13,898	49	66,205	1,994	2,576	577	606,502
1895-6	409,121	11,698	194,937	12,242	59	...	7,056	13,236	2,359	...	650,708
1896-7	1,926,795	...	218,172	13,166	...	16,994	120,292	11,111	3,138	300,000	2,609,668
1897-8	1,385,794	...	208,392	13,635	2,633	75,757	201,007	3,833	4,737	357	1,896,145
Total	5,938,997	269,308	1,032,790	132,277	63,876	102,751	506,334	49,483	20,975	363,030	8,479,821

* Half-year to 30th June.

NOTE.—The expenditure from Loans has been classified in this table under the headings in the Schedules of the various Loan Acts, this being the method adopted by the Treasury. The total amount actually spent is consequently in some cases not obtainable, being included in part under the indefinite heading "Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources." "Electric Telegraphs" and "Water Supply and Sewerage" are probably most affected by this classification.

No. 19.

Particulars relative to the Flotation of Loans 1893-4 to 1897-8.

Particulars.	Loan Act 1893 (57 Vict., No. 10).	Loan Act 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18).		Loan Act 1896 (60 Vict., No. 28).	Coolgardie Goldfields Water Supply Loan Act 1896 (60 Vict., No. 12).
		First Instalment.	Second Instalment.	First Instalment.	First Instalment.
Nominal Amount	£540,000	£750,000	£750,000	£1,000,000	£1,000,000
Nominal Rate of Interest	4 per cent.	3½ per cent.	3 per cent.	3 per cent.	3 per cent.
Interest Payable Half-yearly	15th April & 15th October	1st May & 1st November	1st May & 1st November	1st May & 1st November	15th January & 15th July
Principal repayable	At par, 15th April, 1931	At par, 1st May, 1935	At par, 1st May, 1935	At par, 1st May, 1935	At par, 15th January 1927
Date on or after which the Government have the option of redeeming the Stock at par on giving 12 calendar months' notice	15th April, 1911	1st May, 1915	1st May, 1915	1st May, 1915	No option
When Floated	12th June, 1894	2nd May, 1895	4th May, 1896.	14th May, 1897	14th January, 1898
Minimum Price fixed	£102 per cent.	£99 per cent.	£98 per cent.	£95 per cent.	£95 per cent.
Payment in full	20th August, 1894	10th July, 1895	10th July, 1896.	14th July, 1897	14th March, 1898
Number of Tenders	223	197	192	136	250
Nominal Amount of Tenders	£1,332,250	£2,860,800	£3,298,200	£1,000,000	£2,891,250
Highest Tender	£100 at £106	£2,500 at £103 19s. 6d.	£100 at £104	£1,000 at £98	£600 at £100
Lowest Tender	£100 at £102	£100 at £99	£100 at £98.	£100 at £95	£200 at £95
Gross Proceeds	£557,845 11s. 6d.	£773,020	£756,244 15s. 6d.	£950,430 4s. 0d.	£962,541 17s. 6d.
Gross Proceeds per £100 (nominal)	£103 6s. 1d.	£103 1s. 5d.	£100 16s. 8d.	£95 0s. 10d.	£96 5s. 1d.
Flotation Expenses (including net discount on prepayment of Instalments)	£6,877 13s. 4d.	£8,832 1s. 10d.	£8,888 12s. 6d.	£11,786 2s. 6d.	£11,968 13s. 6d.
Flotation Expenses per £100 (nominal)	£1 5s. 6d.	£1 3s. 7d.	£1 3s. 8d.	£1 3s. 7d.	£1 3s. 11d.
Net Proceeds available for Expenditure	£550,967 18s. 2d.	£764,187 18s. 2d.	£747,356 3s. 0d.	£938,644 1s. 6d.	£950,573 4s. 0d.
Accrued Interest	£6,003 12s. 4d.	£3,254 5s. 7d.	£2,814 2s. 2d.	£4,179 9s. 0d.	£2,962 18s. 11d.
Net Proceeds, less Accrued Interest	£544,964 5s. 10d	£760,933 12s. 7d.	£744,542 0s. 10d.	£934,464 12s. 6d.	£947,610 5s. 1d.
Do. do. do. per £100 (nominal) ...	£100 18s. 5d.	£101 9s. 2d.	£99 5s. 5d.	£93 8s. 11d.	£94 15s. 3d.
Rate of Interest per £100 sterling paid by the Government:—					
(*a.*) If no allowance be made for redemption at par ...	£3 19s. 3d.	£3 9s. 0d.	£3 0s. 5d.	£3 4s. 2d.	£3 3s. 4d.
(*b.*) If allowance be made for redemption at par at earliest date of maturity	£3 18s. 6d.	£3 8s. 0d.	£3 1s. 0d.	£3 9s. 10d.	* £3 5s. 8d.
(*c.*) If allowance be made for redemption at par at latest date of maturity	£3 19s. 1d.	£3 8s. 8d.	£3 0s. 8d.	£3 6s. 1d.	
Rate of Interest per £100 sterling yielded to Original Investors:—					
(*a.*) If no allowance be made for redemption at par ...	£3 18s. 3d.	£3 8s. 2d.	£2 19s. 9d.	£3 3s. 5d.	£3 2s 6d.
(*b.*) If the stock be held till repayment at earliest date of maturity	£3 16s. 6d.	£3 6s. 4d.	£2 19s. 4d.	£3 8s. 0d.	* £3 4s. 4d.
(*c.*) If the stock be held till repayment at latest date of maturity	£3 17s. 9d.	£3 7s. 7d.	£2 19s. 7d.	£3 4s. 11d.	

* One date only.

No. 20.

Statement of the Particulars of the Public Debt of the Colony on 30th June, 1898.

Authorising Act.	*a* Amount Authorised.	Amount Raised.	Amount Redeemed.	In Circulation 30th June, 1898.			Sinking Fund accrued 30th June. 1898.			Charge on Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898.						
				Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.	Total.	Amount available for Redemptions by Annual Drawings or by Purchase.	Amount accumulated by way of Compound Interest for final extinction of Debt.		Interest.			Sinking Fund.			Total.
								Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.	Rate per cent.		Amount.	Rate per cent.		Amount.	
										Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.		Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	%	%	£ s. d.	%	%	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Loan Act, 1872, 36 Vict., No. 3	35000 0 0															
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*b* 222 10 0	35522 10 0	...	32500 0 0	2722 10 0	35222 10 0	...	113725 10 0	138756 14 2	6	4	2058 18 0	2	1	677 4 6	2736 2 6
Loan Act, 1873, 37 Vict., No. 19	100000 0 0															
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*b* 2070 0 0	102070 0 0	...	65500 0 0	36570 0 0	102070 0 0	...			5	4	4737 16 0	2	1	1675 14 0	6413 10 0
Loan Act, 1875, 39 Vict., No. 21	26000 0 0															
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*b* 672 0 0	26672 0 0	...	17600 0 0	9072 0 0	26672 0 0	...			5	4	1242 17 8	2	1	442 14 6	1685 12 2
Loan Act, 1878, 42 Vict., No. 22	200000 0 0															
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*b* 2485 0 0	202485 0 0	26200	81600 0 0	94685 0 0	176285 0 0	947 4 8	...		4½	4	8318 18 0	1	1	1953 17 0	10272 15 0
Loan Act, 1881, 44 Vict., No. 22	150000 0 0															
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*c* 1398 10 0	148601 10 0	8200	40400 0 0	100001 10 0	140401 10 0	402 14 8	...		4	4	5853 12 0	1	1	1462 7 8	7315 19 8
Loan Act, 1882, 46 Vict., No. 22	254000 0 0															
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*c* 2257 10 0	251742 10 0	17200	76800 0 0	157742 10 0	234542 10 0	746 11 8	...		4	4	9858 14 11	1	1	2464 4 8	12322 19 7
Loan Act, 1884, 48 Vict., No. 26	525000 0 0	525000 0 0	4700	52200 0 0	468100 0 0	520300 0 0	1205 6 11	...		4	4	20985 16 5	1	1	5244 18 0	26230 14 5
,, 1888, 52 Vict., No 12	100000 0 0	100000 0 0	...	...	100000 0 0	100000 0 0	...	...		...	4	4000 0 0	...	1	1000 0 0	5000 0 0
,, 1891, 54 Vict., No. 9	1336000 0 0	1336000 0 0	...	...	1336000 0 0	1336000 0 0	...	...		...	4	53440 0 0	...	1	13360 0 0	66800 0 0
,, 1893, 57 Vict., No. 10	540000 0 0	540000 0 0	...	...	540000 0 0	540000 0 0	...	...		...	4	21600 0 0	...	1	1125 0 0	22725 0 0
,, 1894, 58 Vict., No. 18	1500000 0 0	1500000 0 0	...	...	1500000 0 0	1500000 0 0	...	...		...	3, 3½	48750 0 0	...	...	...	48750 0 0
,, 1896, 60 Vict., No. 28	3500000 0 0	1000000 0 0	...	...	1000000 0 0	1000000 0 0	...	...		...	3	30000 0 0	...	...	...	30000 0 0
Great Southern Railway Purchase Act, 60 Vict., No. 43	1100000 0 0	1100000 0 0	...	...	1100000 0 0	1100000 0 0	...	...		...	3	33000 0 0	...	1½	16500 0 0	49500 0 0
Coolgardie Goldfields Water Supply Loan Act, 60 Vict., No. 12	2500000 0 0	1000000 0 0	...	...	1000000 0 0	1000000 0 0	...	..		...	3	15000 0 0	...	...	...	15000 0 0
General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 48 Vict., No. 4	*d* 3201 1 3	3201 1 3	...	...	3201 1 3	3201 1 3	...	...		...	4	128 0 10	...	1	32 0 2	160 1 0
Total	11870994 11 3	7870994 11 3	56300	366600 0 0	7448094 11 3	7814694 11 3	3301 17 11	113725 10 0	138756 14 2	...	...	258974 13 10	...	...	45938 0 6	304912 14 4
Agricultural Bank Act, 58 Vict., No. 21	*e* 100000 0 0	41000 0 0	...	41000 0 0	...	41000 0 0	...	...	...	3¼	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agricultural Lands Purchase Act, 60 Vict., No. 26 ...	*e* 200000 0 0	44513 15 8	...	44513 15 8	...	44513 15 8	...	...	...	3, 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Treasury Bills Act, 57 Vict., No. 2 ... ... Do. do., 61 Vict., No. 1	...	...	...	*f* 1303530 0 0	...	1303530 0 0	...	...	...	3½, 4, 4½	...	33349 18 2	...	...	...	33349 18 2
Grand Total	...	...	...	1755643 15 8	7448094 11 3	9203738 6 11	255784 2 1			...	...	292324 12 0	...	...	45938 0 6	338262 12 6

a. The authorisation given by the General Loan and Inscribed Stock Act, 1884, for the conversion of Debentures is not, of course, restricted to the operations set forth in this Return, which merely shows transactions to 30th June, 1898. Under the provisions of this Act, and the 52nd Vict., No. 20, Debentures representing £867,100, nominal, and distributed over the various Loans as follows, have been converted into 4 per cent. Inscribed Stock:—Loan 1872, £2,500; Loan 1873, £34,500; Loan 1875, £8,400; Loan 1878, £92,200; Loan 1881, £101,400; Loan 1882, £160,000; Loan 1884, £468,100; the nominal value of the stock thus created being £868,893 10s. *b*. Premium on Debentures converted into Inscribed Stock. *c*. Discount on Debentures converted into Inscribed Stock. *d*. Conversion Expenses. *e*. These authorisations are to be secured respectively by the lands improved or purchased with advances made. Pursuant to the provisions of the Acts, both Interest and Sinking Fund are payable from Trust Funds created under the Acts. *f*. Of this amount, £250,000, issued on the 15th June, had not been brought to account in the books of the Treasury for the financial year 1897-8.

No. 21.

Rates of Interest payable on Western Australian Loans outstanding in each of the Years, 1872 to 1898.

Date.	* Nominal Amount of Loans bearing Interest at							Total.	Average rate per cent.
	6 per cent.	5 per cent.	4½ per cent.	4 per cent.	3½ per cent.	3¼ per cent.	3 per cent.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	°/₀
December 31, 1872	35,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	35,000	6·00
,, 1873	35,000	100,000	...	...	...	...	...	135,000	5·26
,, 1874	35,000	100,000	...	...	...	...	...	135,000	5·26
,, 1875	35,000	100,000	...	...	...	...	...	135,000	5·26
,, 1876	35,000	126,000	...	...	...	...	...	161,000	5·22
,, 1877	35,000	126,000	...	...	...	...	...	161,000	5·22
,, 1878	35,000	126,000	...	...	...	...	...	161,000	5·22
,, 1879	35,000	126,000	200,000	...	...	...	...	361,000	4·82
,, 1880	35,000	126,000	200,000	...	...	...	...	361,000	4·82
,, 1881	35,000	126,000	200,000	150,000	...	...	...	511,000	4·58
,, 1882	35,000	126,000	200,000	150,000	...	...	...	511,000	4·58
,, 1883	35,000	126,000	200,000	404,000	...	...	...	765,000	4·39
,, 1884	35,000	126,000	200,000	929,000	...	...	...	1,290,000	4·23
,, 1885	35,000	126,000	198,100	929,000	...	...	...	1,288,100	4·23
,, 1886	35,000	126,000	196,000	929,000	...	...	...	1,286,000	4·23
,, 1887	35,000	126,000	193,800	925,900	...	...	...	1,280,700	4·23
,, 1888	35,000	126,000	191,500	922,700	...	...	...	1,275,200	4·23
,, 1889	34,700	96,600	135,300	1,105,381	...	...	...	1,371,981	4·17
,, 1890	33,400	94,900	126,300	1,112,845	...	...	...	1,367,445	4·16
,, 1891	33,400	87,400	118,400	1,374,394	...	...	...	1,613,594	4·13
,, 1892	33,000	87,400	114,900	2,026,564	...	...	...	2,261,864	4·09
June 30, 1893	33,000	87,400	133,000	2,026,613	...	...	...	2,280,013	4·10
,, 1894	33,000	83,100	279,085	3,022,154	...	...	...	3,417,339	4·08
,, 1895	33,000	83,100	103,635	3,022,946	750,000	...	...	3,992,681	3·96
,, 1896	32,500	83,100	97,920	3,023,053	750,000	...	750,000	4,736,573	3·80
,, 1897	32,500	83,100	95,720	3,499,495	750,000	...	2,850,000	7,310,815	3·59
,, 1898	32,500	83,100	85,130	4,086,535	1,000,000	41,000	3,875,473	9,203,738	3·54

* Including Debentures, Inscribed Stock, Treasury Bills, and Mortgage Bonds.

No. 22.

Due Dates and Rates of Interest on Western Australian Loans outstanding on 30th June, 1898.

When Repayable.	Debentures and Inscribed Stock.							Mortgage Bonds.				Treasury Bills.				Grand Total.
	Nominal Amount bearing Interest at						Total.	Nominal Amount bearing Interest at			Total.	Nominal Amount bearing Interest at			Total.	
	6 per cent.	5 per cent.	4½ per cent.	4 per cent.	3½ per cent.	3 per cent.		4 per cent.	3¼ per cent.	3 per cent.		4½ per cent.	4 per cent.	3½ per cent.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1898	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,530	...	...	3,530	3,530
1899	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	800,000	...	800,000	800,000
1900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250,000	...	250,000	250,000
1901	32,500	...	...	...	...	...	32,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	250,000	250,000	282,500
1902	...	34,000	...	...	...	...	34,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34,000
1903	...	31,500	...	...	...	...	31,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,500
1905	...	17,600	...	...	...	...	17,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,600
1916	...	...	...	...	...	1,100,000	1,100,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,100,000
1922	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,041	...	...	19,041	...	...	...	...	19,041
1923	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25,473	25,473	...	...	...	...	25,473
1927	...	...	...	...	...	1,000,000	1,000,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000,000
1931*	...	...	...	1,876,000	...	...	1,876,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,876,000
1934	...	...	...	972,094	...	...	972,094	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	972,094
1935*	...	...	...	...	750,000	1,750,000	2,500,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,500,000
Annual Drawings ...	...	...	81,600	169,400	...	...	251,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	251,000
Indefinite ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,000	...	41,000	...	...	...	...	41,000
Total ...	32,500	83,100	81,600	3,017,494	750,000	3,850,000	7,814,694	19,041	41,000	25,473	85,514	3,530	1,050,000	250,000	1,303,530	9,203,738

* In the case of these Loans the Government has the option, on giving twelve calendar months' notice, of redeeming at par at any time within 20 years of the date of maturity.

No. 23.

Statement of the Securities in which the Sinking Funds were held on 30th June, 1898.

Description of Securities.		Amounts at respective Rates of Interest.					Total.
		5 per cent.	4½ per cent.	4 per cent.	3½ per cent.	3 per cent.	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
BRITISH GUIANA	Inscribed Stock ...	...	...	...	...	5,280 13 7	5,280 13 7
CANADA	Debentures ...	400 0 0	...	5,600 0 0	...	...	6,000 0 0
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	...	...	1,878 1 9	4,562 0 4	11,415 14 1	17,855 16 2
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE	Do.	...	...	10,161 6 5	...	...	10,161 6 5
CEYLON	Debentures ...	...	1,300 0 0	...	...	...	1,300 0 0
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	...	...	8,047 12 11	...	17,391 13 1	25,439 6 0
GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY STOCK	Do.	1,500 0 0	...	...	...	...	1,500 0 0
HONG KONG	Do.	...	...	...	5,437 14 7	...	5,437 14 7
JAMAICA	Do.	...	...	4,092 13 2	...	3,014 14 8	7,107 7 10
MAURITIUS	Do.	...	...	6,237 9 4	...	...	6,237 9 4
NEW SOUTH WALES	Debentures ...	...	...	3,500 0 0	...	...	3,500 0 0
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	...	...	...	20,513 3 1	...	20,513 3 1
NEW ZEALAND	Do.	...	...	4,924 8 0	9,046 0 10	...	13,970 8 10
QUEENSLAND	Do.	...	...	...	13,035 5 8	...	13,035 5 8
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	Debentures ...	...	...	9,300 0 0	...	...	9,300 0 0
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	..	...	3,286 14 2	12,122 14 1	901 5 0	16,310 13 3
TASMANIA	Do.	..	...	2,000 0 0	...	...	2,000 0 0
TRINIDAD	Do.	...	...	...	...	9,210 19 9	9,210 19 9
VICTORIA	Debentures ...	...	...	4,800 0 0	...	...	4,800 0 0
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	...	...	3,186 2 9	17,804 11 10	...	20,990 14 7
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	Do.	...	...	14,661 14 4	...	37,850 3 3	52,511 17 7
Total		1,900 0 0	1,300 0 0	81,676 2 10	82,521 10 5	85,065 3 5	252,462 16 8
Cash in hands of Trustees							19 7 6
Cash on deposit with London and Westminster Bank							3,301 17 11
						GRAND TOTAL ... ... £	255,784 2 1

No. 24.

Statement of the Securities in which the Sinking Funds were held in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.

Description of Securities.		31st Dec., 1889.	31st Dec., 1890.	31st Dec., 1891.	31st Dec., 1892.	30th June, 1893.	30th June, 1894.	30th June, 1895.	30th June, 1896.	30th June, 1897.	30th June, 1898.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
BRITISH GUIANA	Inscribed Stock ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,281
CANADA	Debentures ...	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	3,788	14,711	15,158	15,271	15,271	17,856	17,856	17,856	17,856	17,856
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE	Do.	14,723	10,161	10,161	10,161	10,161	10,161	10,161	10,161	10,161	10,161
CEYLON	Debentures ...	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300	1,300
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	8,048	13,412	20,481	25,163	25,163	25,163	25,439	25,439	25,439	25,439
GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY STOCK ...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,110	1,500	1,500	1,500
HONG KONG	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	4,390	4,850	5,438	5,438	5,438
JAMAICA	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,093	4,093	7,107
MAURITIUS	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,237	6,237	6,237
NEW SOUTH WALES	Debentures ..	4,100	4,100	3,600	3,600	3,600	3,600	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	12,518	14,407	16,835	17,417	17,417	20,373	20,373	20,373	20,513	20,513
NEW ZEALAND	Do.	...	...	...	4,557	4,557	6,789	8,772	8,772	13,448	13,971
QUEENSLAND	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,641	9,084	12,439	13,035
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	Debentures ...	9,300	9.300	9,300	9,300	9,300	9,300	9,300	9,300	9,300	9,300
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	2,904	2,904	2,904	5,673	5,673	10,398	10,850	10,850	16,106	16,311
TASMANIA	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	2,000
TRINIDAD	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,211
VICTORIA	Debentures ...	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800
Do.	Inscribed Stock ...	422	422	5,226	7,534	7,534	13,541	17,043	20,335	20,991	20,991
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	Do. ...	...	2,463	2,463	2,463	2,463	2,463	2,463	8,367	21,991	52,512
Do.	Debentures ...	2,463	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total		70,366	83,980	98,228	113,239	113,239	136,134	152,458	173,405	203,112	252,463
Cash in hands of Trustees		32	217	86	...	...	17	30	17	19	19
Cash on deposit with London and Westminster Bank		1,139	909	1,011	1,055	1,055	2,380	2,297	1,611	2,506	3,302
GRAND TOTAL ... ... £		71,537	85,106	99,325	114,294	114,294	138,531	154,785	175,033	205,637	255,784

No. 25.

Sinking Funds.—Rates of Interest receivable on Securities held in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.

Date.	Nominal Amount of Securities bearing Interest at					* Cash on Deposit with London and Westminster Bank.	Cash in the hands of the Trustees.	Total.	Average Rate on Total.
	5 %	4½ %	4 %	3½ %	3 %				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	%
31st Dec., 1889 ...	1,000	4,800	45,576	17,080	1,910	1,139	32	71,537	3·87
,, ,, 1890 ...	1,000	1,300	49,075	18,969	13,636	909	217	85,106	3·72
,, ,, 1891 ...	500	1,300	49,075	26,201	21,152	1,011	86	99,325	3·64
,, ,, 1892 ...	500	1,300	49,257	36,236	25,946	1,055	...	114,294	3·61
30th June. 1893 ...	500	1,300	49,257	36,236	25,946	1,055	...	114,294	3·61
,, ,, 1894 ...	500	1,300	49,683	56,120	28,531	2,380	17	138,531	3·56
,, ,, 1895 ...	1,510	1,300	49,683	71,158	28,807	2,297	30	154,785	3·57
,, ,, 1896 ...	1,900	1,300	67,791	73,606	28,807	1,612	17	175,033	3·62
,, ,, 1897 ...	1,900	1,300	74,860	81,925	43,127	2,506	19	205,637	3·58
,, ,, 1898 ...	1,900	1,300	81,676	82,522	85,065	3,302	19	255,784	3·49

* The rate of Interest paid by the London and Westminster Bank on Deposits varies from time to time; but, for the purpose of this table, it has, on the advice of the Treasury, been taken at 2 per cent.

No. 26.

Public Debt of Western Australia in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898; also Indebtedness per head of Estimated Population.

Date.	Amount Outstanding.				Gross Indebtedness per head.			Amount of Accrued Sinking Fund.	Net Indebtedness.	Net Indebtedness per head.		
	Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.	Treasury Bills.	Total.								
	£	£	£	£	£	s.	d.	£	£	£	s.	d.
31st Dec., 1889 ...	527,200	844,781	...	1,371,981	31	7	11	71,537	1,300,444	29	15	2
,, ,, 1890 ...	496,500	870,945	...	1,367,445	29	10	10	85,107	1,282,338	27	14	0
,, ,, 1891 ...	464,900	1,148,694	...	1,613,594	30	5	8	99,325	1,514,269	28	8	4
,, ,, 1892 ...	451,000	1,810,864	...	2,261,864	38	11	0	114,294	2,147,570	36	12	0
30th June, 1893 ...	444,700	1,815,313	20,000	2,280,013	37	5	0	114,294	2,165,719	35	7	8
,, ,, 1894 ...	410,100	2,822,154	185,085	3,417,339	45	0	3	138,531	3,278,808	43	3	9
,, ,, 1895 ..	396,600	3,581,646	14,435	3,992,681	44	11	9	154,785	3,837,896	42	17	2
,, ,, 1896 ...	382,000	4,341,753	12,820	4,736,573	38	13	10	175,033	4,561,540	37	5	3
,, ,, 1897 ...	370,900	6,447,595	492,320	7,310,815	46	6	6	205,637	7,105,178	45	0	5
,, ,, 1898 ...	* 452,114	7,448,094	1,303,530	9,203,738	53	16	8	255,784	8,947,954	52	6	9

* Including £85,514 Mortgage Bonds.

No. 27.

*Return showing the Public Debt of Western Australia on the 31st December in each of the ten Years 1889 to 1898; also the Average per head of Estimated Population.

Year ended 31st December.	Amount Outstanding.	Average per head of estimated Population on 31st December.
	£	£ s. d.
1889	1,371,981	31 7 11
1890	1,367,444	29 10 10
1891	1,613,594	30 5 8
1892	2,261,864	38 11 0
1893	2,873,098	44 3 2
1894	3,266,309	39 16 0
1895	3,988,597	39 8 0
1896	4,732,554	34 6 2
1897	7,608,480	46 19 9
1898	10,466,608	62 5 1

* No allowance is made in this return for accumulated Sinking Fund.

Section IV.—AUSTRALASIAN STATISTICS.

No. 28.

Details of Revenue for the Year ended 30th June, 1898.

Colony.	Taxation.			Land.	Mining.	Post and Telegraphs.	Railways and Tramways.	Other Public Works.	Other Sources.	Total.
	Customs and Excise.	Other Taxation.	Total.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Western Australia ...	1,017,724	96,602	1,114,326	168,972	87,401	220,912	1,035,199	16,821	111,116	2,754,747
New South Wales ...	1,547,934	1,023,048	2,570,982	1,984,471	47,130	734,759	3,368,921	551,152	224,681	9,482,096
Victoria	2,110,866	799,371	2,910,237	362,994	22,524	526,400	2,602,547	188,717	274,044	6,887,463
Queensland	1,331,245	228,400	1,559,645	522,773	37,903	258,939	1,158,657	18,186	212,049	3,768,152
South Australia Proper ...	571,251	282,348	853,599	177,566	1,708	254,883	987,745	107,510	183,600	2,566,611
Do. Northern Territory	35,975	1,750	37,725	8,412	2,095	1,079	14,727	...	3,078	67,116
Tasmania*...	371,215	125,257	496,472	40,357	24,333	77,136	169,503	...	37,219	845,020
New Zealand†	2,007,431	671,145	2,678,576	263,296	‡9,731	408,384	1,370,572	348,671		5,079,230
Total Australasia ...	8,993,641	3,227,921	12,221,562	3,528,841	232,825	2,482,492	10,707,871	2,276,844		31,450,435

* Year ended 31st December, 1897. † Year ended 31st March, 1898. ‡ Mining revenue of districts in which there are no local governing bodies. Where such exist the payments are made directly to them, and not to the Consolidated Fund.

No. 29.

Details of Expenditure for the Year ended 30th June, 1898.

Colony.	Post and Telegraphs.	Railways and Tramways.	Other Public Works.	Public Instruction.	Public Debt.				Other Expenditure.	Total.
					Interest.	Sinking Fund.	Redemption of Loans.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Western Australia ...	289,475	852,648	847,240	49,897	292,325	45,938	...	338,263	879,389	3,256,912
New South Wales ...	701,079	1,844,419	842,132	703,513	2,255,690	20,948	279,300	2,555,938	2,750,702	9,397,783
Victoria	508,851	1,559,379	248,636	562,046	§1,852,056	...	...	1,852,056	1,950,932	6,681,900
Queensland	313,610	684,566	66,296	274,473	1,324,333	...	...	1,324,333	1,084,150	3,747,428
South Australia Proper	205,377	607,456	133,870	143,670	881,140	...	56,540	937,680	570,886	2,598,939
Do. Northern Territory	4,893	20,310	3,087	235	66,562	...	...	66,562	56,933	152,020
Tasmania*	65,268	128,574	9,005	41,966	322,738	...	...	322,738	217,475	785,026
New Zealand†	362,993	849,923	‡300,000	466,925	¶1,698,033	43,380	...	1,741,413	1,191,118	4,912,372
Total Australasia ...	2,451,546	6,547,275	2,450,266	2,242,725	8,692,877	110,266	335,840	9,138,983	8,701,585	31,532,380

* Year ended 31st December, 1897. † Year ended 31st March, 1898. ‡ Amount paid to Public Works Fund. § Including expenses. ¶ Including £29,336 Interest on Treasury Bills issued in anticipation of Revenue.

No. 30.

Public Debt on 30th June, 1898.

Colony.	Debentures.	Inscribed Stock.	Treasury Bills.	Total.	Accrued Sinking Fund.	Net Indebtedness.	Gross Indebtedness per Head.			Net Indebtedness per Head.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Western Australia	452,114	7,448,094	1,303,530	9,203,738	255,784	8,947,954	53	16	8	52	6	9
New South Wales	10,489,150	50,291,986	2,331,584	63,112,720	48,969	63,063,751	47	4	11	47	4	2
Victoria	20,753,795	26,304,293	500,000	47,558,088	...	47,558,088	40	13	4	40	13	4
Queensland	11,534,380	22,064,034	1,000	33,599,414	...	33,599,414	68	1	1	68	1	1
South Australia	11,033,300	13,031,335	244,400	24,309,035	18,750	24,290,285	67	5	4	67	4	4
Tasmania †	3,325,070	4,456,500	608,456	8,390,026	138,036	8,251,990	48	17	2	48	1	1
New Zealand ‡	7,214,758	37,748,666	*	44,963,424	881,903	44,081,521	61	9	0	60	4	11
Total Australasia ...	64,802,567	161,344,908	4,988,970	231,136,445	1,343,442	229,793,003	52	2	5	51	16	4

* £730,000 Treasury Bills issued in anticipation of "Revenue" are not included in "Debt." † 31st December, 1897. ‡ 31st March, 1898.

No. 31.

Rates of Interest payable on Loans outstanding on 30th June, 1898.

Colony.	Nominal Amount of Loans bearing Interest at									Total.	Average rate.
	6 per cent.	5½ per cent.	5 per cent.	4½ per cent.	4¼ per cent.	4 per cent.	3½ per cent.	3¼ per cent.	3 per cent.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	%
Western Australia	32,500	...	83,100	85,130	...	4,086,535	1,000,000	41,000	3,875,473	9,203,738	3·54
New South Wales	94,500	4,500	2,086,850	3,700	...	21,457,939	29,326,200	...	10,139,031	63,112,720	3·64
Victoria	...	...	...	5,000,000	...	28,060,795	12,000,000	250,000	2,247,293	47,558,088	3·88
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	...	21,384,300	10,489,634	...	1,725,480	33,599,414	3·79
South Australia	786,200	...	290,000	*244,400	...	17,382,400	3,363,900	...	2,242,135	24,309,035	3·92
Tasmania † ...	179,900	...	100	97,470	4,430	4,187,470	3,649,723	...	270,933	8,390,026	3·80
New Zealand ‡ ...	127,300	...	864,700	1,504,568	...	31,404,102	8,756,742	100,000	2,206,012	44,963,424	3·89
Total Australasia ...	1,220,400	4,500	3,324,750	6,935,268	4,430	127,963,541	68,586,199	391,000	22,706,357	231,136,445	3·79

* The exact rate in this case is 3d. per £100 per diem, or £4 11s. 3d. per £100 per annum. † 31st December, 1897. ‡ 31st March, 1898.

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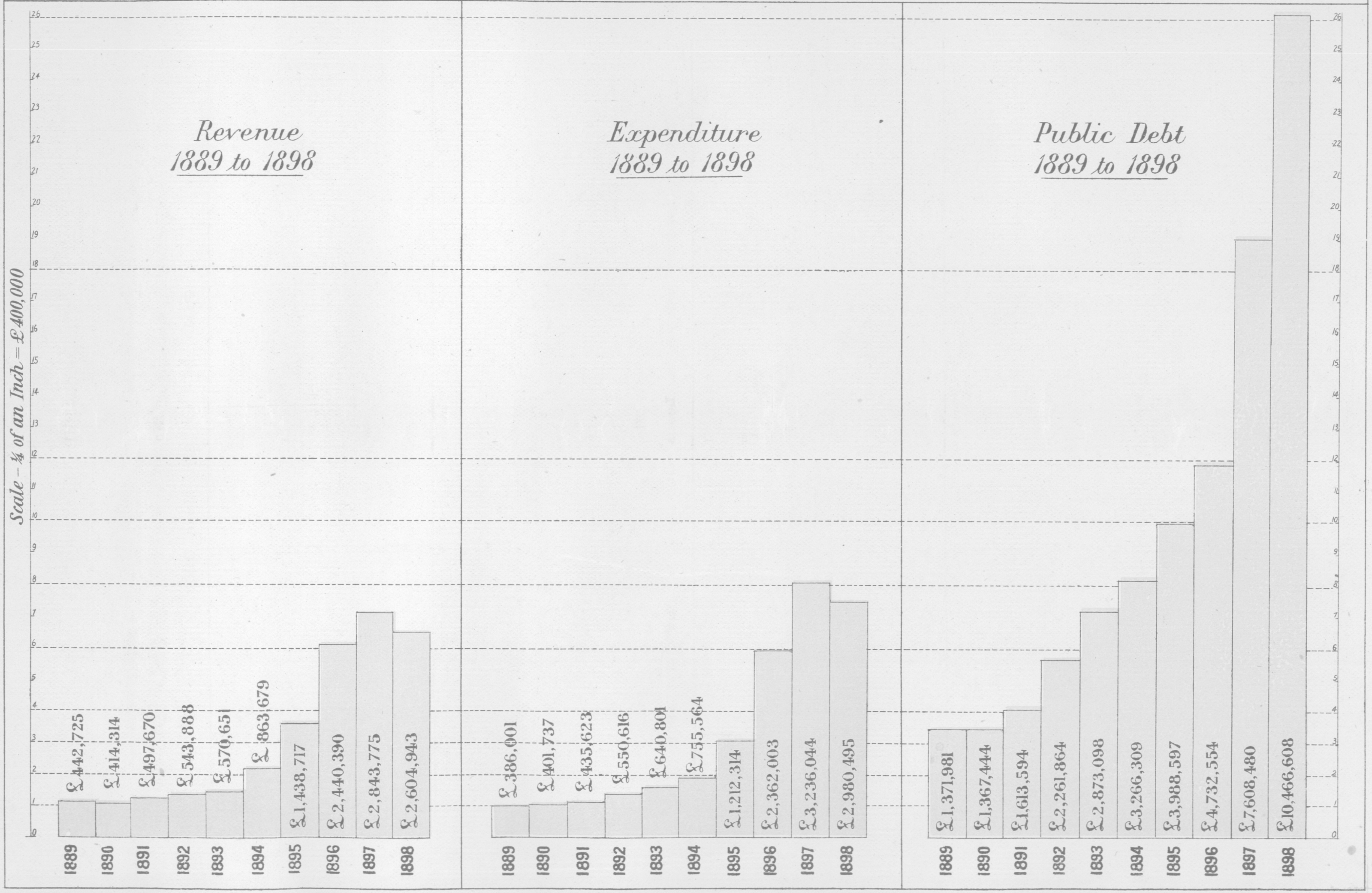

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Bank.	Head Office.	Act of Incorporation.	Date when Business commenced in Western Australia.	No. of Offices, including Head Office.			
				In Western Australia.	In other Australian Colonies.	In United Kingdom and elsewhere.	Total.
Western Australian Bank ...	Perth ...	Special Act ...	1841	27	...	...	27
National Bank of Australasia, Limited	Melbourne	Victorian Companies Act, 1890 ...	1866	9	109	1	119
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	London ...	English Companies Acts, 1862-79 ...	1878	18	80	1	99
Bank of New South Wales ...	Sydney ...	Special Act ...	1883	4	187	1	192
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	Melbourne	Victorian Companies Act, 1890 ...	10th January, 1888	6	74	1	81
Bank of Australasia	London ...	Royal Charter ...	2nd May, 1894	7	139	1	147

No. 2.—*Currency and Accounts.*

Denomination of Coin (Current.)	Standard Weight.	Least Current Weight.	Standard Fineness.	Legal Tender.
	Grains.	Grains.		
		GOLD.		
Sovereign	123·27447	122·50000	Eleven-twelfths fine gold, one-twelfth alloy; or millesimal fineness, 916·6.	Gold being the only standard metal, sovereigns and half-sovereigns are legal tender to any amount, provided that the pieces are not worn below 122·5 and 61·125 grains respectively.
Half-sovereign ...	61·63723	61·12500		
		SILVER.		
Crown	436·36363	... ...	Thirty-seven fortieths fine silver, three-fortieths alloy; or millesimal fineness, 925.	Silver Coinage is legal tender to the amount of 40 shillings only.
Half-crown	218·18181	... ...		
Florin	174·54545	... ...		
Shilling	87·27272	... ...		
Sixpence	43·63636	... ...		
Threepence	21·81818	... ...		
		BRONZE.		
Penny	145·83333	... ...	Mixed metal; 95 parts, copper; 4 parts, tin; and 1 part, zinc. The Coinage Act does not prescribe the proportions, but the alloy used is as stated.	Bronze Coin is legal tender to the amount of one shilling only.
Half-penny	87·50000	... ...		
Farthing	43·75000	... ...		

GOLD—VALUE PER OUNCE STANDARD.

Standard or sovereign gold has a fineness of 22 carat, and is worth £3 17s. $10\frac{1}{2}$d. per ounce; pure gold, or 24 carat, is worth £4 4s. $11\frac{5}{11}$d. per ounce.

SILVER—VALUE PER OUNCE STANDARD.

Monthly average price of silver bullion in the London market during 1898:—

	d.		d.		d.		d.
January	$26\frac{3}{8}$	April	$25\frac{7}{8}$	July	$27\frac{5}{16}$	October	$27\frac{15}{16}$
February	$25\frac{7}{8}$	May	$26\frac{5}{16}$	August	$27\frac{1}{2}$	November	$27\frac{15}{16}$
March	$25\frac{1}{2}$	June	$27\frac{1}{16}$	September ...	$28\frac{1}{16}$	December	$27\frac{7}{16}$

Average for year, $26\frac{15}{16}$d.

BRONZE COIN.

One pound avoirdupois of bronze is coined into 48 pence, or 80 half-pence, or 160 farthings; hence the nominal value of one pound (avoirdupois) of bronze coined into pence is 4s., and into half-pence and farthings 3s. 4d.

ACCOUNTS.

Accounts are kept in British Sterling £ s. d.

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No. 3.—*Rate of Exchange charged during the Year 1898 on Drafts on the various Australasian Colonies and London, by the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Draft Drawn	Western Australian Bank.	National Bank of Australasia, Limited.	Union Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of Australasia.
	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.
At Sight on—						
New South Wales … …	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.
Victoria … … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,
Queensland … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,
New Zealand … … …	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,
South Australia … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,
Tasmania … … … …	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,
London … … … …	2 ,,	2 ,,	2 ,,	2 ,,	2 ,,	2 ,,
At 60 days Sight on—						
London … … … …	$\frac{7}{8}$,,	$\frac{7}{8}$,,	$\frac{7}{8}$,,	$\frac{7}{8}$,,	$\frac{7}{8}$,,	$\frac{7}{8}$,,

No. 4.—*Rate of Exchange during the Year 1898 on Bills on the various Australasian Colonies and London, purchased by the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Bill Drawn	Western Australian Bank.	National Bank of Australasia, Limited.	Union Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of Australasia.
	Discount.	Discount.	Discount.	Discount.	Discount.	Discount.
At Sight on—						
New South Wales … …	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.	$\frac{5}{8}$ per cent.
Victoria … … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,
Queensland … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,
New Zealand … … …	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,
South Australia … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,
Tasmania … … … …	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,	1 ,,
London … … … …	$\frac{1}{8}$,,	$\frac{1}{8}$,,	$\frac{1}{8}$,,	$\frac{1}{8}$,,	$\frac{1}{8}$,,	$\frac{1}{8}$,,
At 60 days Sight on—						
London … … … …	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{7}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,	$\frac{5}{8}$,,

No. 5.—*Rate of Discount during the Year 1898 on Bills of various currencies at the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Bank.	Bills having a Currency of	
	Three Months and under.	Over Three Months.
Western Australian Bank … … … …	7 %	8 %
National Bank of Australasia, Limited … …	7 %	8 %
Union Bank of Australia, Limited … … …	7 %	from $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8 %
Bank of New South Wales … … … …	from 6 to 8 %	8 %
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited … …	from 7 to $7\frac{1}{2}$ %	8 %
Bank of Australasia … … … … …	from 6 to 7 %	from 7 to 8 %

No. 6.—*Rate of Interest allowed on Fixed Deposits during the Year 1898 by the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Bank.	* Interest per annum on Fixed Deposits for			
	Six months.		Twelve months.	
	First half-year.	Second half-year.	First half-year.	Second half-year.
Western Australian Bank … … …	$2\frac{1}{2}$ %	2 %	$3\frac{1}{2}$ %	3 %
National Bank of Australasia, Limited …	$2\frac{1}{2}$ %	2 %	$3\frac{1}{2}$ %	3 %
Union Bank of Australia, Limited …	$2\frac{1}{2}$ %	2 %	$3\frac{1}{2}$ %	3 %
Bank of New South Wales… … …	$2\frac{1}{2}$ %	2 %	$3\frac{1}{2}$ %	3 %
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited…	$2\frac{1}{2}$ %	2 %	$3\frac{1}{2}$ %	3 %
Bank of Australasia… … … …	$2\frac{1}{2}$ %	2 %	$3\frac{1}{2}$ %	3 %

* No Interest allowed for periods of less than six months.

No. 7.—*Averages for each of the Ten Years, 1889-98, of the Weekly Statements of Liabilities and Assets of the Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Year.	Liabilities.								Assets.							
	No. of Banks.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Average Liabilities.	Coined Gold, Silver, and other metals.	Gold and Silver, in Bullion and Bars.	Government Securities.	Landed Property and Bank Premises.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and other Debts to Banks not before enumerated.	Total Average Assets.
					Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.									
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889 *	4	51173	4217	5872	342251	474442	816693	877955	283604	6267	7500	85221	2744	11120	1315385	1711841
1890 *	5	55164	5723	3862	406812	545272	952084	1016833	269674	9705	7500	88097	3230	19355	1404415	1801976
1891	5	76747	5925	9496	517713	681687	1199400	1291568	360339	16149	7500	104527	6223	15335	1603416	2113489
1892	5	94309	7122	22869	543272	858211	1401483	1525783	410001	20805	7500	113680	7870	19812	2046321	2625989
1893	5	84698	22594	19867	462752	830695	1293447	1420606	431316	25590	7500	106706	7133	5702	2196840	2780787
1894	6	143156	25458	8020	751430	877872	1629302	1805936	636973	52418	7500	105059	16869	18834	2118429	2956082
1895	6	214679	57465	15185	1593372	996355	2589727	2877056	1200582	76894	7500	103625	31199	142987	2385662	3948449
1896	6	395092	85382	25403	3192348	1385048	4577396	5083273	2323962	90657	13750	111421	58708	343430	2812547	5754475
1897	6	374993	75396	68774	3096105	973562	4069667	4588830	2102831	132165	116000	136481	37328	104187	3349806	5978798
1898	6	330673	60040	45363	2576783	1024393	3601176	4037252	1631604	195640	58488	158266	41049	128998	3206434	5420479

* Although the Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited, commenced operations in the Colony on the 10th of January, 1888, its first gazetted statement is that for the last quarter of 1890; consequently, the figures relative to above-mentioned Bank are not included in this statement so far as the year 1889, and the first three quarters of 1890, are concerned.

PART III.—ACCUMULATION.

No. 8.—*Averages for each of the Ten Years, 1889-98, of the Weekly Statements of Total Liabilities and Assets of the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Year.	Western Australian Bank.	National Bank of Australasia, Limited.	Union Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of New South Wales.	Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited.	Bank of Australasia.	Total.
				LIABILITIES.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	242122	284127	322749	28957	*	...	*877955
1890	275360	313475	381466	34073	*12459	...	*1016833
1891	364171	374493	408349	48896	95659	...	1291568
1892	479859	391442	469263	57825	127394	...	1525783
1893	480706	350788	412023	75624	101465	...	1420606
1894	661203	382851	554421	98997	85314	23150	1805936
1895	1126560	333917	912580	201658	93388	208953	2877056
1896	1960961	438117	1382937	435826	271480	593952	5083273
1897	1898609	409289	1182498	402515	170874	525045	4588830
1898	1679236	370749	1058551	370137	99784	458795	4037252
				ASSETS.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	384666	661016	492045	174114	*	...	*1711841
1890	417519	678680	535601	133012	*37164	...	*1801976
1891	517705	733538	519123	143086	200037	...	2113489
1892	656983	958943	566243	174921	268899	...	2625989
1893	682093	1079026	585334	206402	227932	...	2780787
1894	867826	989106	639613	205615	212153	41769	2956082
1895	1333878	1089974	867680	251369	241989	163559	3948449
1896	2186289	1174558	1226375	459828	373717	333708	5754475
1897	2200159	1126473	1151047	691520	376100	433499	5978798
1898	2047195	1051205	986392	665279	311351	359057	5420479

* Although the Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited, commenced operations in the Colony on the 10th of January, 1888, its first gazetted statement is that for the last quarter of 1890; consequently, the figures relative to this bank are not included in the total so far as the year 1889, and the first three quarters of 1890, are concerned.

No. 9.—*Averages for the Year 1898 of the Weekly Statements of Liabilities and Assets of the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia.*

Name.	Quarters.	LIABILITIES.							ASSETS.							
		Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.			Total average Liabilities.	Coined Gold, Silver, and other metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion and Bars.	Government Securities.	Landed property and Bank premises.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes & Bills discounted and other debts to Banks not before enumerated.	Total Average Assets.
					Not bearing interest.	Bearing interest.	Total.									
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Western Australian Bank	1st	132985	51100	44753	1009979	448026	1458005	1686843	504445	83365	20000	40883	14017	121703	1255288	2039701
	2nd	133166	47289	42867	962355	484281	1446636	1669958	499548	93284	20000	42830	24287	132788	1210370	2023107
	3rd	125106	52144	29783	929634	550244	1479878	1686911	562287	113266	20000	41892	21403	123377	1187023	2069248
	4th	121559	40027	31594	893140	586914	1480054	1673234	540616	129343	25192	42817	20348	125459	1172948	2056723
Average for year	...	128204	47640	37249	948777	517366	1466143	1679236	526724	104815	21298	42105	20014	125832	1206407	2047195
National Bank of Australasia, Limited	1st	47259	1935	6141	216687	76335	293022	348357	193582	12916	5878	35330	1301	6	847997	1097010
	2nd	47786	1218	7652	226716	85981	312697	369353	191482	12845	25473	36026	5408	211	787325	1058770
	3rd	45147	1865	8745	209179	108417	317596	373353	156332	8035	25473	36555	6522	...	783325	1016242
	4th	44853	943	7791	187870	150477	338347	391934	197569	7266	25473	36628	5707	76	760080	1032799
Average for year	...	46261	1490	7582	210113	105303	315416	370749	184741	10265	20574	36135	4735	73	794682	1051205
Union Bank of Australia, Limited ...	1st	74172	4338	...	796701	199837	996538	1075048	381450	30158	...	27990	1741	...	590286	1031625
	2nd	79026	5641	...	784462	206535	990997	1075664	385659	29937	...	27991	5916	...	554032	1003535
	3rd	77914	3493	...	760314	226411	986725	1068132	435900	27108	...	27841	7129	...	513512	1011490
	4th	80128	3473	...	720485	211274	931759	1015360	353887	19733	...	28070	6531	...	490696	898917
Average for year	...	77810	4236	...	765491	211014	976505	1058551	389224	26734	...	27973	5329	...	537132	986392
Bank of New South Wales	1st	19550	1856	975	263930	72524	336454	358835	306195	6828	66462	12246	100	1481	323364	716676
	2nd	19821	2138	527	264034	88666	352700	375186	297519	8949	...	16346	1340	2951	324359	651464
	3rd	18882	801	552	254722	109022	363744	383979	285194	10416	...	18941	1609	4240	327590	647990
	4th	18013	734	73	246559	97169	343728	362548	271605	13234	...	21444	1702	2832	334168	644985
Average for year	...	19067	1382	532	257311	91845	349156	370137	290128	9857	16616	17244	1188	2876	327370	665279
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	1st	7784	346	...	87375	13382	100757	108887	101398	1425	...	5957	881	61	224957	334679
	2nd	7792	519	...	70472	24490	94962	103273	90545	1464	...	5938	2815	807	225401	326970
	3rd	6315	362	...	72981	16789	89770	96447	76760	1147	...	5927	2520	...	210513	296867
	4th	6528	147	...	68339	15515	83854	90529	62398	2092	...	5940	2677	...	213781	286888
Average for year	...	7105	343	...	74792	17544	92336	99784	82775	1532	...	5941	2223	217	218663	311351
Bank of Australasia	1st	54862	4692	...	330749	66176	396925	456479	159118	38499	...	29230	5558	...	146753	379158
	2nd	53087	4527	...	325528	85751	411279	468893	157988	38998	...	28732	7519	...	118420	351657
	3rd	51010	4624	...	310263	91120	401383	457017	155918	44911	...	28767	8978	...	105081	343655
	4th	49945	5953	...	314656	82237	396893	452791	159025	47341	...	28741	8185	...	118468	361760
Average for year	...	52226	4949	...	320299	81321	401620	458795	158012	42437	...	28868	7560	...	122180	359057
Average of all Banks for the Year 1898	...	330673	60040	45363	2576783	1024393	3601176	4037252	1631604	195640	58488	158266	41049	128998	3206434	5420479

PART III.—ACCUMULATION.

No. 10.—*Returns for each quarter of the Year 1898 relating to the Capital of the several Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia; also Rate and Amount of Dividend last declared, and Amount of Reserved Profits.*

Name.	Quarter.	Capital paid up.			Rate per annum of last dividend.	Amount of dividend last declared.			Amount of reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend.		
		£	s.	d.		£.	s.	d	£	s.	d.
Western Australian Bank	1st	100000	0	0	17½ per cent.	8750	0	0	182861	19	11
	2nd	100000	0	0	17½ per cent.	8750	0	0	182861	19	11
	3rd	100000	0	0	17½ per cent.	8750	0	0	192653	15	9
	4th	100000	0	0	17½ per cent.	8750	0	0	192653	15	9
National Bank of Australasia, Limited ...	1st	1973677	14	3	* 5 per cent.	7644	10	0	34196	13	11
	2nd	1975322	4	0	* 5 per cent.	7644	10	0	87479	12	5
	3rd	1975629	1	3	* 5 per cent.	7644	10	0	87479	12	5
	4th	1976442	19	5	* 5 per cent.	7644	10	0	97437	11	9
Union Bank of Australia, Limited ...	1st	1500000	0	0	5 per cent.	37500	0	0	812003	1	10
	2nd	1500000	0	0	5 per cent.	37500	0	0	812003	1	10
	3rd	1500000	0	0	5 per cent.	37500	0	0	812199	9	4
	4th	1500000	0	0	5 per cent.	37500	0	0	812199	9	4
Bank of New South Wales	1st	1950000	0	0	9 per cent.	87750	0	0	1200000	0	0
	2nd	1950000	0	0	9 per cent.	87750	0	0	1200000	0	0
	3rd	1950000	0	0	9 per cent.	87750	0	0	1200000	0	0
	4th	1950000	0	0	9 per cent.	87750	0	0	1200000	0	0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited ...	1st	2990868	10	0	* 2 per cent.	21170	14	0			
	2nd	3032251	0	0	* 2 per cent.	21170	14	0			
	3rd	3032251	0	0	* 2 per cent.	21170	14	0			
	4th	3082511	0	0	* 2 per cent.	21170	14	0			
Bank of Australasia	1st	1600000	0	0	5 per cent.	40000	0	0	857997	0	0
	2nd	1600000	0	0	5 per cent.	40000	0	0	858275	14	2
	3rd	1600000	0	0	5 per cent.	40000	0	0	858275	14	2
	4th	1600000	0	0	6 per cent.	48000	0	0	856822	7	3

* Preference Shares.

The total paid-up capital for all Banks of Issue operating in Western Australia was £10,208,953 19s. 5d. on the 31st December, 1898.

II.—LIFE ASSURANCE.

No. 11.—*Liabilities and Assets on 31st December, 1898, of each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

LIABILITIES.

Name of Company.	Shareholders' Capital paid up.	Assurance Fund.	Annuity Fund.	Other Funds.	Claims admitted but not paid.	Other Sums owing by the Company.	Total Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	...	¶ 14794215 2 9	...	* 650761 5 1	142241 12 8	13082 19 1	15600300 19 7
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary	...	214094 18 11	...	...	2209 12 5	1366 12 1	217671 3 5
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial	20000 0 0	190805 2 8	...	2350 0 0	113 10 0	4642 8 2	217911 0 10
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	...	2226453 13 8	...	35202 15 2	5471 13 10	524 3 6	2267652 6 2
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	20833 6 8	†52200530 1 2	1224476 9 2	...	358672 14 0	** 22424 12 11	53826937 3 11
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	...	† 1257603 15 8	...	...	9615 3 0	324 15 2	1267543 13 10
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	...	† 56711424 15 7	...	...	175640 7 5	§ 109515 12 7	56996580 15 7
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited ‖	...	2765571 5 4	...	‡ 90950 7 2	32963 11 8	5871 18 0	2895357 2 2

* Includes £265,927, reserve for depreciation of securities. † Assurance and Annuity Funds. ‡ Investment Fluctuation Reserve. § Including £43,695 6s. 9d., "Claims not recognised by the Company," and £11,503 14s. "Ledger Liabilities." ‖ Liabilities on 30th September, 1898. ¶ Participating. ** Including £14,609 7s, 6d., "Claims unadmitted."

ASSETS.

Name of Company.	IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA.								ELSEWHERE THAN IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA.				Total Assets.
	Government Securities.	Mortgages.	Loans on Company's Policies and Personal Security.	Railway and other Debentures and Shares.	House Property.	Cash in hand, on Deposit, and on Current Account.	Other Assets.	Total.	Government Securities.	Mortgages.	All other.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	504995 12 3	378657 2 7	106298 17 6	50874 3 11	10000 0 0	14577 12 4	12510 6 8	1077913 15 3	1222343 3 1	7387577 19 0	5912466 2 3	14522387 4 4	15600300 19 7
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited—													
Ordinary	...	19200 0 0	779 2 5	...	...	...	886 10 5	20865 12 10	10000 0 0	95545 5 3	91260 5 4	196805 10 7	217671 3 5
Industrial	...	...	335 19 9	...	...	978 6 7	173 11 10	1487 18 2	7140 0 0	79459 4 5	129823 18 3	216423 2 8	217911 0 10
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	300 0 0	7119 0 0	3249 4 9	5256 0 0	11833 4 10	8380 4 7	1243 12 5	37381 6 7	67048 14 11	949834 4 11	1213387 19 9	2230270 19 7	2267652 6 2
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	† 20000 0 0	...	...	...	...	4024 14 3	1095 7 11	25120 2 2	790576 5 0	7234224 9 10	45777016 6 11	53801817 1 9	53826937 3 11
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	† 10000 0 0	...	1357 19 10	...	...	1362 3 2	387 6 9	13107 9 9	51205 0 0	645914 0 0	557317 4 1	1254436 4 1	1267543 13 10
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	† 10180 0 0	...	216 17 11	...	...	...	226 7 4	10623 5 3	651700 17 10	14066443 14 4	42267812 18 2	56985957 10 4	56996580 15 7
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited * ...	...	50760 0 0	20530 0 8	...	11664 14 7	3409 9 8	5280 15 1	91645 0 0	28335 10 1	1348668 10 11	1426708 1 2	2803712 2 2	2895357 2 2

* Assets on 30th September, 1898. † Deposited with Colonial Treasurer.

No. 12.—*Revenue and Expenditure for the Year ended 31st December, 1898, of each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

REVENUE.

Name of Company.	Amount of Funds at beginning of the year.	Renewal Premiums after deduction of re-assurance premiums.	New Premiums after deduction of re-assurance premiums.	Consideration for Annuities granted.	Interest and Dividends and Rents.	Other Receipts.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	14479578 1 7	1260031 16 0	127332 2 4	44206 8 10	716473 9 5	4133 3 6	16631755 1 8
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited ... ... Ordinary ...	155218 0 7	*57461 8 9	*30576 10 9	270 0 0	7500 12 1	2453 9 0	253480 1 2
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited ... ... Industrial ...	184771 14 6	*143202 18 8	*5180 1 0	...	8050 18 4	59 12 7	341265 5 1
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	2153342 0 3	287146 19 5	33349 5 6	2272 1 6	90130 0 3	...	2566240 6 11
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	48951321 12 8	6564144 6 5	1485960 19 0	163722 11 2	2177288 15 1	‡910329 16 4	60252768 0 8
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	1190192 16 5	*132260 7 6	*20907 9 10	4950 0 0	58072 11 1	6 8 5	1406389 13 3
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	51823593 2 10	*6330252 1 6	*1945200 15 3	486952 19 0	2348669 16 0	1005191 0 5	63939859 15 0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited †	2612750 12 1	297831 5 9	43787 11 3	5798 8 8	132154 18 10	93 5 4	3092416 1 11

*No re-assurances. † Year ended 30th September, 1898. ‡ Increase in value of assets.

EXPENDITURE.

Name of Company.	Claims under Policies (after deduction of sums re-assured).	Surrenders.	Annuities.	Commission.		‖ Expenses of Management.	Dividends and Bonuses to Share-holders.	Bonuses paid in Cash.	Other Payments.	Amount of Funds at the end of the year.	Total.
				On New Premiums.	On Renewals.						
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	814335 7 3	325946 0 7	27605 19 9	46025 17 6	3189 10 5	143984 13 3	...	55373 7 2	36244 17 11	15179049 7 10	16631755 1 8
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited Ordinary	*11082 1 7	3388 2 8	12 13 9	£9370 10s. 6d.		5002 1 3	...	3529 12 6	7000 0 0	214094 18 11	253480 1 2
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited Industrial	*50164 8 2	1392 9 0	...	£49304 17s. 6d.		27128 1 3	2000 0 0	...	470 6 6	210805 2 8	341265 5 1
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	186178 7 9	31248 14 3	1018 10 0	18876 4 9	13213 0 8	47303 1 6	...	1627 6 7	5118 12 7	2261656 8 10	2566240 6 11
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	2963654 5 9	1268932 10 8	117430 3 8	592507 12 10	454175 0 4	771323 6 10	1458 6 8	637446 16 11	...	53445839 17 0	60252768 0 8
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	*74563 4 5	10691 15 9	1596 11 4	10287 7 1	2112 2 0	30102 16 5	...	3177 14 3	16254 6 4	1257603 15 8	1406389 13 3
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	3181651 15 3	1207813 11 0	218474 4 7	£1124596 5s. 5d.		1032809 17 4	...	†463089 5 10	...	56711424 15 7	63939859 15 0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited ‡	177640 12 5	60103 0 9	1132 14 2	13262 14 5	7644 9 9	63364 19 2	...	1431 2 1	§2265 3 10	2765571 5 4	3092416 1 11

* No re-assurances. † "Cash Bonuses purchasing Policy Additions." ‡ Year ended 30th September, 1898. § Including £1,129 8s. 8d. "Amalgamation Expenses." ‖ Including taxes.

No. 13.—*Western Australian Business for the Year 1898 of each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

Name of Company.	Year in which Branch was established in Western Australia.	New Policies issued in Western Australia during 1898.								
		Assurances.			Endowments.			Annuities.		
		No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	Single Premiums.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	1884	700	245850 0 0	7648 17 7	3	300 0 0	17 17 1	...	...	...
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary ...	1890	286	75650 0 0	2583 4 10	63	7300 0 0	380 14 5	...	...	...
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial ...	1890	1338	45008 11 3	1743 10 4	156	4480 0 0	242 13 4	...	..	...
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	1874	151	39100 0 0	1289 15 0	4	900 0 0	43 13 3	...	...	...
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States ...	1885	102	51630 0 0	1866 6 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	1896	195	69256 2 6	2309 16 4	7	1400 0 0	59 5 10	...	...	...
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	1896	65	31550 0 0	1504 7 10	1	100 0 0	4 5 4	...	...	...
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited †	1888	208	69300 0 0	2209 15 0	29	4250 0 0	245 9 3	...	...	...
Total	...	3045	627344 14 2	21155 13 6	263	18730 0 0	993 18 6	...	...	...

Name of Company.	Policies existing in Western Australia on 31st December, 1898.						Net Increase of Western Australian Business during 1898.					
	Assurances.		Endowments.		Annuities.		Assurances.		Endowments.		Annuities.	
	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	4742	1671602 0 0	36	4450 0 0	...	...	586	206789 0 0	*6	*700 0 0	...	...
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary	867	154825 0 0	199	19100 0 0	...	...	267	70550 0 0	52	4850 0 0	...	...
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial	5152	155554 15 10	797	21072 10 2	...	...	387	3366 3 2	*282	*8005 7 4	...	...
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited ...	468	128459 0 0	12	2700 0 0	...	...	157	38312 0 0	5	1200 0 0	...	...
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	696	334595 0 0	8	700 0 0	1	121 0 0	*12	*25560 0 0	...	...	*1	*4 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	450	154869 0 0	19	3700 0 0	...	...	102	22733 2 6	5	1200 0 0	...	...
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York ...	107	47216 13 4	1	100 0 0	...	...	35	14750 0 0	1	100 0 0	...	...
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited †	1696	433940 0 0	109	13900 0 0	...	...	32	4750 0 0	20	3450 0 0	...	...
Total	14178	3081061 9 2	1181	65722 10 2	1	121 0 0	1554	335690 5 8	*205	2094 12 8	*1	*4 0 0

* Decrease. † Year ended 30th September, 1898.

No. 14.—*Total Business for the Year 1898 of each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

Name of Company.	New Policies issued during 1898.											
	Assurances.				Endowments.				Annuities.			
	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Single Premiums.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Single Premiums.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	Single Premiums.	Annual Premiums.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	14767	3770601 0 0	7157 1 2	120192 1 4	112	16482 0 0	154 5 9	784 10 0	85	4436 13 4	44206 8 10	175 10 4
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary	5325	1122665 0 0	46 13 6	35698 19 8	931	87912 10 0	297 15 5	4476 13 7	1	25 7 6		
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial	52505	1283262 17 7	...	58490 5 0	5668	163403 1 0	...	8850 8 0				
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	2846	842836 0 0	6694 14 2	27112 19 0	168	31845 0 0	581 15 10	1672 3 11	3	258 8 0	2272 1 6	8 5 2
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	52455	34986474 0 0	16027 0 0	1224525 0 0	62	22639 0 0	243 0 0	851 0 0	205	14582 0 0	150352 0 0	331 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	1881	548647 0 0	1822 0 6	19404 18 0	97	17775 0 0	...	740 17 6	8	579 3 6	4950 0 0	
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	51621	26408750 10 3	†	‡ 966890 8 0	164	34799 7 8	†	§	723	45850 12 10	†	†
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited *	4110	1094595 0 0	1831 14 1	34643 7 11	712	112219 7 9	6119 0 9	4127 1 7	6	576 15 6	5822 8 4	

* Year ended 30th September, 1898. † Not stated. ‡ Including Premiums for Endowments. § Included with Assurance Premiums.

Name of Company.	Total Policies existing on 31st December, 1898.						Total Increase of Business during 1898.					
	Assurances.		Endowments.		Annuities.		Assurances.		Endowments.		Annuities.	
	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	141339	43276769 0 0	869	149233 0 0	520	32888 8 0	8153	1696458 0 0	21	3503 0 0	70	3605 16 8
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary	16059	2435347 12 0	2620	224205 19 6	1	25 7 6	3251	818476 2 0	442	42337 10 0	1	25 7 6
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial	154302	3496622 17 7	22682	575264 4 4	...	...	9565	78671 13 9	† 9916	† 260548 4 5		
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	31781	10248047 0 0	1361	226821 0 0	17	1029 7 9	496	40953 0 0	38	8545 0 0	2	210 0 0
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	321063	205500020 0 0	595	157716 0 0	2117	142886 0 0	14049	7486715 0 0	12	11472 0 0	124	7707 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	16621	4507716 8 6	1100	174006 3 6	38	1925 4 4	452	144308 0 7	† 12	† 225 0 0	8	579 3 6
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	358179	198923316 12 8	1579	357376 7 8	4062	249491 6 8	17029	7144251 6 8	87	20963 0 10	567	37557 18 9
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited *	41695	9687158 1 2	2882	462755 14 1	26	1732 13 9	604	199085 15 4	275	41949 7 9	5	376 15 6

* Year ended 30th September, 1898. † Decrease.

No. 15.—*Total Number and Amount of Assurance, Endowment, and Annuity Policies discontinued during 1898 by each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia, the causes of discontinuance being distinguished.*

Name of Company.	By Death or Maturity.			By Surrender.			By Forfeiture.			Total Void.		
	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Annual Premiums.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ASSURANCES.												
Australian Mutual Provident Society	1638	577051 0 0	22366 19 8	3223	1067991 16 0	34545 16 0	1753	429100 0 0	14808 5 7	6614	2074142 16 0	71721 1 3
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary	91	11700 0 0	502 4 1	301	38250 0 0	1429 10 1	1682	254238 18 0	8961 3 5	2074	304188 18 0	10892 17 7
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial	1751	48616 2 8	1831 5 4	24	1094 6 0	51 7 0	41165	1154880 15 2	37970 16 8	42940	1204591 3 10	39853 9 0
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	519	145032 10 6	5618 6 9	311	183175 0 0	5449 3 11	1520	473675 0 0	14448 2 11	2350	801882 10 6	25515 13 7
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	3794	2998289 0 0	118456 0 0	9416	6713284 0 0	251401 0 0	25196	17788186 0 0	304673 0 0	38406	27499759 0 0	674530 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	220	59370 9 5	2274 2 7	432	109966 12 6	3300 9 10	777	235001 17 6	7707 13 9	1429	404338 19 5	13282 6 2
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York †												
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited *	592	148814 18 11	6471 10 4	1276	294215 5 9	9360 5 6	1638	452479 0 0	14287 16 0	3506	895509 4 8	30119 11 10
ENDOWMENTS.												
Australian Mutual Provident Society	55	7729 0 0	307 5 1	26	4050 0 0	154 19 11	10	1200 0 0	70 4 10	91	12979 0 0	532 9 10
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited, { Ordinary	19	1700 0 0	96 6 6	24	2675 0 0	125 0 10	446	41200 0 0	2080 10 2	489	45575 0 0	2301 17 6
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited, { Industrial	2063	36716 9 8	3107 0 0	154	4045 10 0	226 17 0	13367	383189 5 9	20779 8 4	15584	423951 5 5	24113 5 4
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	57	10000 0 0	644 13 8	10	2300 0 0	112 10 5	63	11000 0 0	555 9 5	130	23300 0 0	1312 13 6
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	13	2668 0 0	574 0 0	8	1752 0 0	169 0 0	29	6747 0 0	656 0 0	50	11167 0 0	1399 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	45	6250 0 0	316 4 3	25	3750 0 0	155 7 9	39	8000 0 0	304 14 3	109	18000 0 0	776 6 3
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York †												
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited *	84	11650 0 0	666 15 8	68	11250 0 0	435 1 3	285	47370 0 0	1716 14 2	437	70270 0 0	2818 11 1

ANNUITIES.

Name of Company.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	Annual Premiums.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per Annum.	Annual Premiums.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	15	830 16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	830 16 8	
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Ordinary												
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited { Industrial												
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	1	48 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	48 8 0	
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	74	6095 0 0	...	...	194 0 0	65 0 0	7	586 0 0	52 0 0	81	6875 0 0	117 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia												
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York †												
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited *	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	200 0 0	27 17 2	1	200 0 0	27 17 2

* Year ended 30th September, 1898. † Details as to class of business not supplied. The total discontinuances for 1898 were "By Death or Maturity," 5,186 policies,—sum assured, £3,223,936 19s. 3d.; "By Surrender," 4,393 policies,—sum assured, £1,993,626 1s. 7d.; "By Forfeiture, Expiry, etc. (net)," 25,090 policies,—sum assured, £14,060,772 9s. 8d.; "Total Void," 34,669 policies,—sum assured, £19,278,335 10s. 6d.

No. 16.—*Number and Amounts of Assurance, Endowment, and Annuity Policies remaining on the Books on 31st each of the Australasian Colonies and*

ASSURANCES.

Name of Company.	Western Australia.					New South Wales.					Victoria.					Queensland.				
	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	1884	4742	1671602	0	0	†1849	37151	12846302	0	0	1863	38593	10561869	0	0	1874	14225	4923471	0	0
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited — Ordinary	1890	867	154825	0	0	†1886	4000	645071	0	0	1888	3904	539213	2	0	1886	2784	430948	0	0
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited — Industrial	1890	5152	155554	15	10	†1886	48220	1078412	0	10	1888	37883	851864	5	1	1886	20607	437467	11	10
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	1874	468	128459	0	0	1874	3720	892414	0	0	†1874	6602	1560400	0	0	1874	2143	586725	0	0
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	1885	696	331595	0	0	1884	2260	1146205	0	0	1884	2350	1218524	0	0	1884	1400	518695	0	0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	1896	450	154869	0	0	†1869	5404	1623039	3	1	1881	3179	660624	4	10	1880	1869	523701	15	0
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	1896	107	47216	13	4	1886	1451	894314	4	10	1889	424	299204	3	8	1888	467	159691	0	0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited*	1888	1696	433940	0	0	1878	8008	1969892	3	2	†1869	16077	3350406	6	10	1881	4171	1107429	0	0

ENDOWMENTS.

Name of Company.	Western Australia.					New South Wales.					Victoria.					Queensland.				
	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured. £	s.	d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	1884	36	4450	0	0	†1849	276	59994	0	0	1863	169	25857	0	0	1874	65	10550	0	0
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited — Ordinary	1890	199	19100	0	0	†1886	647	52888	3	6	1888	754	61789	15	0	1886	375	30412	10	0
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited — Industrial	1890	797	21072	10	2	†1886	7343	183339	12	10	1888	7809	193768	13	6	1886	2269	63066	4	0
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	1874	12	2700	0	0	1874	250	30794	0	0	†1874	169	27502	0	0	1874	89	11750	0	0
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	1885	8	700	0	0	1884	29	5108	0	0	1884	36	4514	0	0	1884	6	650	0	0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	1896	19	3700	0	0	†1869	279	40334	0	0	1881	119	18775	0	0	1880	84	12400	0	0
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	1896	1	100	0	0	1886	27	4506	13	0	1889	6	840	0	0	1888	5	1000	0	0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited*...	1888	109	13900	0	0	1878	672	97250	0	0	†1869	409	71524	7	9	1881	304	47675	0	0

ANNUITIES.

Name of Company.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum. £	s.	d.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum. £	s.	d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	1884	...	...			†1849	197	13272	12	0	1863	95	6543	4	4	1874	34	2016	14	8
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited — Ordinary	1890	...	...			†1886	...	...			1888	1	25	7	6	1886	...	...		
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited — Industrial	1890	...	...			†1886	...	...			1888	...	...			1886	...	...		
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	1874	...	...			1874	2	52	0	0	†1874	3	74	5	4	1874	2	210	17	4
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	1885	1	121	0	0	1884	7	691	0	0	1884	24	1929	0	0	1884	1	34	0	0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	1896	...	...			†1869	10	401	4	0	1881	6	412	11	0	1880	3	163	11	0
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	1896	...	...			1886	26	1844	13	9	1889	1	100	0	0	1888	6	376	0	8
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited*	1888	...	...			1878	2	370	0	0	†1869	13	732	7	4	1881	1	100	0	0

* Policies remaining on books on 30th September, 1898. † Head Office.

ACCUMULATION.

December, 1898, of each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia; the Business done in elsewhere being distinguished.

ASSURANCES.

South Australia.			Tasmania.			New Zealand.			Elsewhere.		Total.	
Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies	Sum Assured.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1872	15130	4038080 0 0	1877	6231	1841845 0 0	1871	24140	6835499 0 0	1127	558101 0 0	141339	43276769 0 0
1888	2537	336395 10 0	1890	466	68470 0 0	1894	1501	260425 0 0	...	...	16059	2435347 12 0
1888	25142	585627 8 2	1890	6034	122279 6 0	1894	11264	265417 9 10	...	...	154302	3496622 17 7
1874	1653	377171 0 0	1874	773	182656 0 0	1884	4148	1110277 0 0	12274	5409945 0 0	31781	10248047 0 0
1890	736	308244 0 0	1889	215	110441 0 0	§ 1884	726	309772 0 0	312680	201553544 0 0	321063	205500020 0 0
1883	1239	312659 7 6	‡ 1869	255	70793 2 6	1876	4067	1104420 0 0	158	57609 15 7	16621	4507716 8 6
1896	86	36100 0 0	1896	81	43121 0 0	...	...	...	355563	197443669 10 10	358179	198923316 12 8
1878	4124	876818 0 0	1881	1438	279909 18 5	1880	5225	1288512 12 9	956	380250 0 0	41695	9687158 1 2

ENDOWMENTS.

South Australia.			Tasmania.			New Zealand.			Elsewhere.		Total.	
Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies.	Sum Assured.	No. of Policies	Sum Assured.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1872	92	17000 0 0	1877	76	8600 0 0	1871	145	20032 0 0	10	2750 0 0	869	149233 0 0
1888	281	23965 11 0	1890	82	8100 0 0	1894	282	27950 0 0	...	...	2620	224205 19 6
1888	2338	56002 7 4	1890	467	9966 10 6	1894	1659	48048 6 0	...	...	22682	575264 4 4
1874	54	7300 0 0	1874	41	5650 0 0	1884	179	28150 0 0	567	112795 0 0	1361	226821 0 0
1890	5	700 0 0	1889	1	1000 0 0	§ 1884	4	334 0 0	506	144710 0 0	595	157716 0 0
1883	92	12087 3 6	‡ 1869	20	2910 0 0	1876	477	81850 0 0	10	1950 0 0	1100	174006 3 6
1896	...	...	1896	8	1000 0 0	...	...	...	1532	349929 14 8	1579	357376 7 8
1878	208	26581 6 4	1881	76	11600 0 0	1880	1020	175200 0 0	84	19025 0 0	2882	462755 14 1

ANNUITIES.

Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum.	Year in which Branch was established in Colony.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum.	No. of Policies.	Annuity per annum.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1872	37	1799 2 4	1877	37	2605 17 0	1871	91	4525 8 0	29	2125 9 8	520	32888 8 0
1888	...	...	1890	...	...	1894	...	...	...	...	1	25 7 6
1888	...	...	1890	...	...	1894						
1874	1	10 0 0	1874	4	190 10 8	1884	...	...	5	491 14 5	17	1029 7 9
1890	4	121 0 0	1889	...	...	§ 1884	...	...	2080	139990 0 0	2117	142886 0 0
1883	3	112 0 0	‡ 1869	1	29 9 0	1876	8	303 13 10	7	502 15 6	38	1925 4 4
1896	...	...	1896	1	6 12 11	...	...	...	4028	247163 19 4	4062	249491 6 8
1878	2	88 0 2	1881	2	42 0 0	1880	2	113 10 9	4	286 15 6	26	1732 13 9

‡ Agency. § Ceased to write new business in New Zealand since the beginning of 1895.

No. 17.—*Tables of Mortality and Rates of Interest employed at the latest investigation reported in accordance with "The Life Assurance Companies Act, 1889," by each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

Name of Company.	Date of Valuation.	Class of Policy.	Mortality Table employed.	Rate of Interest assumed.
				per cent.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	31st December, 1898	Assurances—		
		Participating	Institute of Actuaries, HM Table	3½
		Non-participating	Do. do. do.	4
		Endowments	Peerage Table	4
		Annuities—		
		Immediate	Government Experience Table (1883)	3½
		All other	Do. do. (1860)	4
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Ltd.	31st December, 1896	Ordinary—		
		Assurances	Institute of Actuaries, HM Table	3½
		Endowments		
		Industrial—		
		Assurances	English Life Table No. 3 (males)	4
		Endowments		
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Ltd.	31st December, 1894	Assurances—		
		Annuity Assurances	Carlisle Table	4
		Contingent Assurances		
		Endowment Assurances on Joint Lives		
		All other Assurances	Institute of Actuaries, HM and HM (5) Tables	4
		Endowments	Carlisle Table	4
		Annuities	Government Experience Table (1883)	4
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	31st December, 1898	Assurances	Seventeen Offices' Experience and American Experience Tables	‡4
		Endowments		
		Annuities		
Mutual Life Association of Australasia †				
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	31st December, 1897	Assurances	Seventeen Offices' Experience Table	4
		Endowments		
		Annuities		
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Ltd.	30th September, 1898	Assurances	Institute of Actuaries, HM Table	4
		* Endowments with Premiums payable during Joint Lives	Carlisle Table	4
		Annuities	Government Experience Table (1883)	3½

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* In the case of Ordinary Endowments, the Total Premiums paid, with 4 per cent. compound interest, were reserved.

† No particulars available owing to no investigation having been made since commencing business in the Colony. The next valuation takes place as at 31st December, 1899.

‡ In the case of policies the premiums of which are computed at 3 or 3½ per cent., the rate of interest assumed in the valuation corresponds with the rate assumed in the premiums.

No. 18.—*Summary of the latest Valuation Returns, reported in accordance with "The Life Assurance Companies Act, 1889," by each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

Name of Company.	Date of Valuation.	Particulars of Policies for Valuation.						Valuation.					
		No. of Policies.	Sums Assured.	Bonus Additions.	Office Yearly Premiums.	Net Yearly Premiums.	Loading.	Sums Assured.	Bonus Additions.	Office Yearly Premiums.	Net Yearly Premiums.	Loading.	Net Liability.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ASSURANCES.													
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	31st Dec., 1898	141339	43276769 0 0	8419501 10 0	1413912 14 4	1119920 12 0	293992 2 4	23015068 4 0	5057001 0 0	17575270 12 0	13725451 8 0	3849819 4 0	14346617 16 0
Citizens' Life Assurance Co., Limited { Ordinary	31st Dec., 1896	11142	1351436 10 0	33112 17 8	52780 8 9	40477 6 2	12303 2 7	a 658594 2 7	b	758198 0 0	577447 11 5	180750 8 7	81146 11 2
Citizens' Life Assurance Co., Limited { Industrial	31st Dec., 1896	154037	3552593 11 3	...	114317 17 8	c 74204 1 8	40113 16 0	740016 11 2	...	1092716 7 7	d 708781 18 7	383934 9 0	31234 12 7
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	31st Dec., 1894	31600	10220144 18 0	184443 11 0	313486 17 0	245216 19 0	m 68269 18 0	4477941 16 0	102797 14 0	4045313 14 0	3122166 12 0	923147 2 0	1458572 18 0
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	31st Dec., 1898	321063	e 205493448 0 0	b	7687885 0 0	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	40209288 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia*													
Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York	31st Dec., 1897	341154	e 191778710 0 0	b	6801781 0 0	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	42222506 0 0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited	30th Sept., 1898	41695	9668908 1 2	600509 13 9	314211 10 8	250496 11 6	63714 19 2	4845984 1 7	352883 5 0	3516379 5 8	2792189 16 3	724189 9 5	2406677 10 4
ENDOWMENTS.													
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	31st Dec., 1898	869	149233 0 0	76 6 0	g 6003 14 1	g 6010 12 0	g	103044 16 0	76 6 0	41970 2 0	42023 2 0	...	61098 0 0
Citizens' Life Assurance Co., Limited { Ordinary	31st Dec., 1896	1412	114335 9 6	...	5692 4 1	f	f	14698 1 8	...	h	h	h	14698 1 8
Citizens' Life Assurance Co., Limited { Industrial	31st Dec., 1896	16874	393429 17 7	...	26449 11 8	f	f	120498 10 2	...	h	h	h	120498 10 2
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	31st Dec., 1894	1199	194026 9 0	2846 3 0	9922 19 10	8864 3 0	1058 16 10	127533 12 0	2286 6 0	65115 8 0	58109 16 0	7005 12 0	71710 2 0
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	31st Dec., 1898	595	e 157716 0 0	b	6728 0 0	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	72390 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia*													
Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York ...	31st Dec., 1897	1463	e 331849 0 0	b	15159 0 0	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	104264 0 0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited	30th Sept., 1898	i 2384	400655 14 1	6095 8 0	15207 10 9	f	f	114125 6 11	4979 3 11	h	h	h	119104 10 10
		j 498	62100 0 0	192 8 0	2852 12 8	2436 16 3	415 16 5	33770 17 8	118 13 2	28251 2 4	24130 18 9	4120 3 7	9758 12 1
ANNUITIES.													
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	31st Dec., 1898	520	k 32888 8 0	l 116 7 4	751 0 0	665 8 0	85 12 0	257920 12 0	933 0 0	6839 16 0	6057 2 0	782 14 0	252796 10 0
Citizens' Life Assurance Co., Limited { Ordinary													
Citizens' Life Assurance Co., Limited { Industrial													
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited	31st Dec., 1894	19	k 801 19 10	...	...	..	...	4874 12 0	...	...	...	...	4874 12 0
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	31st Dec., 1898	2117	k 142886 0 0	...	4720 0 0	4152 0 0	568 0 0	f	f	f	f	f	1224477 0 0
Mutual Life Association of Australasia*													
Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York ...	31st Dec., 1897	3520	k 216853 0 0	...	3551 0 0	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	2120638 0 0
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Limited	30th Sept., 1898	26	k 1732 13 9	...	...	...	...	10177 11 3	...	...	...	...	10177 11 3

a. Sums assured and bonus additions. *b.* Included with "Sums Assured." *c.* Reduced Yearly Premiums. *d.* Value of Reduced Yearly Premiums adjusted in cases of Negative Values. *e.* Inclusive of bonus additions. *f.* Not stated. *g.* The excess of Net Premiums over Office Premiums is due to the original premiums having been based on a 5 per cent. rate, while the liabilities are now calculated at 4 per cent. *h.* Not treated as assets for valuation purposes. *i.* Ordinary Endowments. *j.* Endowments with Premiums payable during Joint Lives. *k.* Annuity per annum. *l.* Per annum. *m.* Including £434 1s. 4d., "Extra Premiums." * No particulars available, owing to no investigation having been made since commencing business in the Colony. The next valuation takes place as at 31st December, 1899.

No. 19.—*Liabilities, Funds, Surpluses, Profits divided, and Rates of Interest on Investments at the latest investigation reported in accordance with "The Life Assurance Companies Act, 1889," by each of the Life Assurance Companies operating in Western Australia.*

Name of Company.	Date of latest reported investigation.	Net Liability.			Assurance Fund.			Surplus.			Profits Divided.				Average Rate per cent. at which funds were invested at date of investigation. (*a*)		
											Period.	Amount.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	31st Dec., 1898	*b* 14669367	10	7	15179049	7	10	509681	17	3	Year ended 31-12-98	479742	0	0	4	15	5
Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Ltd. Ordinary ...	31st Dec., 1896	95844	12	10	110510	14	2	14666	1	4	Year ended 31-12-96	9400	3	5	4	16	2
Industrial ...	31st Dec., 1896	151733	2	9	164604	9	8	12871	6	11	...	...			4	9	2
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Ltd.	31st Dec., 1894	*c* 1567430	12	0	1793628	19	10	226198	7	10	5 years ended 31-12-94	105896	8	0	5	2	10
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States...	31st Dec., 1898	41506155	0	0	53425007	0	0	11918852	0	0	3 years ended 31-12-98	1768558	0	0	4	6	11
Mutual Life Association of Australasia *																	
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	31st Dec., 1897	*d* 44820995	0	0	52112205	0	0	7291210	0	0	3 years ended 31-12-97	1405819	9	3	4	8	6
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia, Ltd. ...	30th Sept., 1898	2545718	4	6	2765571	5	4	219853	0	10	3 years ended 30-9-98	169853	0	10	4	17	5

a. As the methods made use of by the various Companies in computing these averages are not identical, and the dates do not correspond, the results are not strictly comparable. *b*. Including "Claims Investment Fund," £8,855 4s. 7d. *c*. Including £15,125, reserve for claims by death not admitted at date of valuation. *d*. Including "Premiums paid in Advance," £57,829.

* No particulars available, owing to no investigation having been made since commencing business in the Colony. The next valuation takes place as at 31st December, 1899.

III.—FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

(Registered under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1894," 58 Vict., No. 23.)

No. 20.—*Societies, Branches, Membership, Finances, etc., of Friendly Societies in Western Australia relating to the Year 1898.*

(Return supplied by Registrar of Friendly Societies.)

No.	NAME OF BRANCH.	Where situated.	Year when established.	MEMBERS.							INCOME DURING YEAR.		EXPENDITURE DURING YEAR.				CAPITAL AT END OF YEAR.	
				Benefit.					Honorary.									
				At beginning of year.	Admitted during year.	Died during year.	Left otherwise during year.	At end of year.	At end of year.	Sick during year.	Contributions and Entrance Fees.	Total Income.	Sick Pay.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Sums payable at Death (members and wives).	Total Expenditure.	Invested.	Total.
											£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS: WESTERN AUSTRALIAN DISTRICT.																	
4406	New Swan	Fremantle ...	1851	199	12	3	8	200	...	36	479 6 3	932 10 9	294 1 8	160 5 6	118 10 0	827 12 11	4932 1 3	5514 6 8
4702	City of Perth ...	Perth ...	1858	168	25	1	21	171	2	30	459 16 10	727 5 0	183 19 4	145 9 6	17 10 0	569 0 4	1542 14 10	2082 17 9
5796	John Shipton ...	Geraldton ...	1870	55	8	...	3	60	1	4	163 19 2½	240 15 11½	15 13 4	53 5 0	...	124 13 4	2149 0 0	2429 8 3
5818	Guildford	Guildford ...	1870	57	4	...	3	58	...	8	167 5 7	272 11 8	31 17 0	61 2 0	...	158 11 11	2040 0 0	2079 17 9
6060	York	York ...	1875	78	3	...	20	61	...	13	180 14 10	191 18 11	42 2 6	70 2 0	7 10 0	159 14 9	1835 0 0	1863 16 7
6211	Toodyay	Newcastle ...	1876	48	8	...	...	56	...	6	151 1 2½	223 2 5½	9 16 10	46 8 9	25 0 0	186 0 2	345 0 0	602 19 9
6567	Albany	Albany ...	1883	188	25	2	24	187	10	24	526 0 11½	560 4 4½	87 13 8	210 17 6	25 0 0	473 13 5	1347 7 2	1644 7 3
7348	Pride of Cue	Cue	1896	87	15	...	44	58	...	13	280 2 8	336 9 8½	53 16 8	119 6 2	...	336 3 2½	...	180 3 4
7395	Day Dawn *	Day Dawn ...	1896	56	...	...	...	56	1	2	200 10 8½	207 1 8½	10 13 4	117 0 0	...	161 2 1	...	134 10 6½
	District Funds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63 13 1	...	...	...	79 15 8	...	27 7 7
	Total of M.U.I.O.O.F.	...	...	936	100	6	123	907	14	136	2608 18 3	3755 13 7½	729 14 4	983 16 5	193 10 0	3076 7 9½	14191 3 3	16559 15 5½
	INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES: WESTERN AUSTRALIAN DISTRICT.																	
1	Hope *	Perth ...	1872	118	...	...	...	118	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4353 0 0	6028 7 5
2	Rose of York * ...	York ...	1872	38	...	...	...	38	4	3	78 19 5	96 8 10	8 13 4	24 13 0	...	74 4 11	550 0 0	597 7 9
3	Victoria	Geraldton ...	1875	39	18	...	5	52	...	9	88 10 8	110 15 0	28 16 8	19 0 0	...	85 17 8	315 0 0	494 19 2
4	Good Endeavour ...	Fremantle ...	1875	98	22	...	13	107	...	20	221 16 3	357 16 10	61 10 0	86 18 6	...	344 0 0	780 0 0	876 8 5
5	Guiding Star ...	Northam ...	1875	30	8	...	17	21	2	5	69 15 5	73 4 3	5 17 0	30 13 10	...	68 15 9½	189 9 6	213 19 9½
6	President Garfield ...	Bunbury ...	1888	48	7	...	5	50	4	7	114 0 10½	136 8 5	19 6 4	24 14 6½	...	110 6 3	...	134 6 0
7	Plantagenet	Albany ...	1889	39	8	...	6	41	1	7	95 16 11	140 15 6	17 10 0	41 12 8	...	130 9 10	162 16 6	194 9 7
8	Perseverance ‡ ...	Fremantle ...	1897	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	District Funds * ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	307 2 4	...	...	67 0 0	334 6 8	930 0 0	1430 19 1
	Total of I.O.R. ...	...	...	410	63	...	46	427	11	51	668 19 6½	1222 11 2	141 13 4	227 12 6½	67 0 0	1148 1 1½	7280 6 0	9970 17 2½
	HIBERNIAN AUSTRALASIAN CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY.																	
136	Star of the Sea † ...	Fremantle ...	1878	112	24	1	30	105	1	30	244 2 5	279 12 1	99 9 3	91 5 9	...	272 5 2	300 0 0	328 15 4
142	St. Patrick's † ...	Perth ...	1878	137	27	...	41	123	3	11	328 2 4	409 14 11	23 3 4	103 15 0	...	265 13 1	569 0 0	690 14 0
200	St. Joseph's † ...	Albany ...	1888	48	5	1	4	48	...	5	84 1 1½	101 12 4½	17 6 8	45 0 0	20 0 0	117 8 1	241 7 9	300 1 10½
	Total of H.A.C.B.S.	...	...	297	56	2	75	276	4	46	656 5 10½	790 19 4½	139 19 3	240 0 9	20 0 0	655 6 4	1110 7 9	1319 11 2½

* Figures for previous year. † Registered as a distinct Society. ‡ No returns supplied.

No. 20.—*Societies, Branches, Membership, Finances, etc., of Friendly Societies in Western Australia relating to the Year 1898*—continued.

No.	Name of Branch.	Where situated.	Year when established.	Members. Benefit. At beginning of year.	Members. Benefit. Admitted during year.	Members. Benefit. Died during year.	Members. Benefit. Left otherwise during year.	Members. Benefit. At end of year.	Members. Honorary. At end of year.	Members. Sick during year.	Income during Year. Contributions and Entrance Fees.	Income during Year. Total Income.	Expenditure during Year. Sick Pay.	Expenditure during Year. Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Expenditure during Year. Sums payable at Death (members and wives).	Expenditure during Year. Total Expenditure.	Capital at end of Year. Invested.	Capital at end of Year. Total.
											£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	THE ORDER OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY: GRAND DIVISION OF WEST AUSTRALIA.																	
1	Good Samaritan ...	Fremantle ...	1878	83	25	...	22	86	2	21	168 10 11	214 15 9	46 18 4	61 18 0	...	191 10 11	263 5 4	334 18 0
2	Perseverance ...	Perth ...	1893	44	4	...	6	42	1	5	63 2 8	84 3 0	19 3 4	31 6 0	...	80 5 0	115 0 0	168 0 5
3	Jubilee	Subiaco ...	1897	10	6	...	4	12	7	...	22 8 0	25 3 0	...	6 15 0	...	17 9 3	...	14 15 6
	Grand Division Funds	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1 5 0	53 12 5	...	...	...	63 16 10	35 0 0	139 3 1
	Total of O.S.T. ...	...	...	137	36	...	32	141	10	26	255 6 7	377 14 2	66 1 8	99 19 0	...	353 2 0	413 5 4	656 17 0
	INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS.																	
1	Pioneer of the West	Albany ...	1889	80	9	1	16	72	1	10	190 7 9	326 6 10	25 6 8	60 3 9	25 0 0	366 16 6	52 8 0	116 10 7
	Silver Star (Juvenile)	Do. ...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1 3 0	1 3 0	...	0 17 6	...	0 18 9	...	3 1 4
	Total of I.O.O.F. ...	...	...	81	9	1	16	73	1	10	191 10 9	327 9 10	25 6 8	61 1 3	25 0 0	367 15 3	52 8 0	119 11 11
	ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS: WEST AUSTRALIAN DISTRICT.																	
7990	Robin Hood	Fremantle ...	1891	275	35	1	38	271	3	35	550 2 7	695 19 8	130 18 4	216 7 6	...	628 15 1	778 4 5	879 11 1
8068	Perseverance ...	Perth ...	1894	173	63	...	33	203	...	19	449 13 11	588 11 6½	89 13 4	142 16 0	...	474 0 1½	220 0 0	325 4 3
8253	Wellington ...	Bunbury ...	1894	10	...	...	...	10	...	3	55 7 5	57 15 5	16 6 8	23 4 6	...	55 16 0	...	63 19 10
8254	Unity	Beaconsfield	1894	64	16	...	13	67	3	11	147 1 5	174 2 7	39 8 4	48 10 0	...	158 11 11	...	163 19 10
8256	Pride of the Swan ...	Midland Junc.	1895	27	3	...	2	28	...	4	79 14 9	85 19 9	20 10 0	50 15 0	...	112 4 9	...	69 17 8
8257	Little John * ...	Northam ...	1895	106	...	...	...	106	2	4	195 16 4	208 4 10	6 1 8	91 6 8	...	160 12 1	...	92 17 7
8258	Sherwood Forest ...	Subiaco ...	1896	63	16	...	17	62	...	7	122 3 2	131 19 8	10 1 8	54 3 6	...	117 4 6	50 0 0	101 4 9
8259	Plantagenet ...	Albany ...	1897	...	72	...	19	53	1	8	128 2 2	141 15 2	19 6 8	52 18 0	...	112 2 2	...	85 14 11
8087	Pride of Norseman ...	Norseman ...	1897	50	27	...	16	61	3	...	136 12 8	150 9 8	...	51 8 11	...	97 9 5	...	98 13 1
	District Funds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	431 15 10	...	...	70 0 0	160 15 5	...	454 16 11
	Total of A.O.F. ...	...	...	768	232	1	138	861	12	91	1864 14 5	2666 14 1½	332 6 8	731 10 1	70 0 0	2077 11 5½	1048 4 5	2335 19 11
	UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS.																	
282	Karrakatta † ...	Perth ...	1891	246	53	2	67	230	...	39	641 11 3	879 16 4	166 13 6	222 6 9	50 0 0	824 18 0	507 12 6	633 10 8
283	Westralia † ...	Fremantle ...	1892	118	42	2	21	137	3	16	285 19 9	363 2 11½	44 19 2	122 2 7	...	277 17 6½	362 10 0	392 6 8
	Total of U.A.O.D....	...	...	364	95	4	88	367	3	55	927 11 0	1242 19 3½	211 12 8	344 9 4	50 0 0	1102 15 6½	870 2 6	1025 17 4

PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA: GRAND COUNCIL OF WEST AUSTRALIA.

1	City of Perth ...	Perth ...	1892	133	19	2	18	132	3	10	375 10 11	583 6 4	37 10 8	103 18 2	...	354 0 8	82 0 0	381 19 0
2	Pride of the West ...	Fremantle ...	1893	265	23	1	133	154	1	29	484 16 1	513 1 3	104 15 0	176 6 0	...	469 8 0	115 0 0	169 16 3
3	Victoria	West Perth	1894	60	7	...	13	54	3	6	134 9 7	156 13 7	37 10 6	43 5 0	...	162 2 8	...	99 2 9
4	Star of Coolgardie ‡...	Coolgardie ...	1896	22	...	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 2 10		
	Grand Council Funds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	260 15 1	...	...	70 0 0	210 10 4	85 0 0	424 15 6
	Total of P.A.F.S. ...	...	...	480	49	3	186	340	7	45	994 16 7	1513 16 3	179 16 2	323 9 2	70 0 0	1220 4 6	282 0 0	1075 13 6

IRISH NATIONAL FORESTERS' BENEFIT SOCIETY: SUBSIDIARY EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF WEST AUSTRALIA.

260	†Brian Boru	Fremantle ...	1893	104	14	1	32	85	...	12	225 0 2	235 6 8	61 13 4	67 10 0	30 0 0	244 11 7	240 0 0	292 4 11
263	†Hugh O'Neill ...	Perth ...	1894	35	22	...	25	32	...	9	104 19 0	107 13 3	21 6 8	38 10 0	...	98 5 6½	...	52 8 2
274	John Boyle O'Reilly *	Bunbury ...	1895	15	...	...	...	15										
306	†Charles Stewart Parnell	Boulder City	1898	...	33	...	8	25	7	...	81 5 9	108 7 8	...	32 17 6	...	65 8 1	...	65 6 3
	S.E.C. Funds * ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42 10 0	...	...	...	1 16 6	...	40 13 6
	Total of I.N.F.B.S. ...	...	...	154	69	1	65	157	7	21	411 4 11	493 17 7	83 0 0	138 17 6	30 0 0	410 1 8½	240 0 0	450 12 10

GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS: WEST AUSTRALIAN DISTRICT.

3754	Bohemia	Perth ...	1895	101	38	...	38	101	...	11	216 12 7	231 15 11	30 16 8	91 13 4	...	235 6 5	84 5 0	99 7 1
3755	Fremantle	Fremantle ...	1895	37	5	...	14	28	4	6	68 6 10	83 16 8	14 8 8	23 9 0	...	63 17 8	45 0 0	52 5 8
3756	Loyal Newcastle (formerly Pioneer)	Leederville ...	1895	44	8	...	34	18	...	2	38 11 1	91 12 1	7 0 0	29 5 0	...	71 7 9	...	68 17 2
3757	Phœnix	Claremont ...	1896	15	6	...	4	17	6	...	41 8 10	53 19 4	...	21 5 0	...	45 15 6	...	12 7 5
3758	Subiaco *	Subiaco ...	1897	22	...	...	...	22										
3759	Loyal Cottesloe § ...	Cottesloe ...	1898															
	District Funds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123 14 4	...	...	20 0 0	129 14 0	...	55 3 6
	Total of G.U.O.O.F.	...	...	219	57	...	90	186	10	19	364 19 4	584 18 4	52 5 4	165 12 4	20 0 0	546 1 4	129 5 0	288 0 10

AUSTRALIAN NATIVES' ASSOCIATION.

1	Perth	Perth ...	1896	133	45	...	61	117	14	16	316 14 2	334 18 10	52 16 8	85 11 0	...	264 3 1	...	197 16 7
2	Southern Cross § ...	S'th'n Cross	1896															
3	Esperance	Esperance ...	1896	39	2	...	15	26	15	...	78 12 0	101 12 9	...	32 9 6	...	88 13 9	...	112 15 8
4	Coolgardie	Coolgardie ...	1896	31	28	...	12	47	16	3	105 5 6	123 15 4	6 10 10	39 12 0	...	118 5 7	...	73 1 3
5	Kalgoorlie *	Kalgoorlie ...	1896	49	...	...	...	49	4	2	98 3 2	103 6 0	6 7 0	56 8 4	...	83 9 8	...	34 12 8
7	Leederville ‡... ...	Leederville	1896	26	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5 3		
8	Fremantle	Fremantle ...	1896	85	54	1	42	96	12	6	235 11 8	283 9 8	14 0 0	93 12 6	...	216 12 2	...	151 15 1
9	Jarrahdale	Jarrahdale ...	1896	13	13	...	5	21	...	4	61 9 4	61 9 4	30 0 0	18 10 0	...	77 9 3	...	5 1 9
10	Subiaco ‡	Subiaco ...	1896															
11	Northam	Northam ...	1896	42	12	...	11	43	9	2	83 2 10	101 15 1	9 0 0	51 11 2	...	107 1 3	...	30 13 9
12	Cue	Cue ...	1896	60	21	...	28	53	...	2	220 16 5	237 19 11	27 0 0	107 13 9	...	225 16 11	...	240 12 5
13	Bulong	Bulong ...	1896	33	6	...	20	19	2	2	81 10 9	92 19 1	7 16 8	30 1 10	...	76 11 8	...	58 9 0
14	Menzies §	Menzies ...	1896															
16	Kanowna §	Kanowna ...	1896															
18	Albany	Albany ...	1896	...	38	...	5	33	7	4	69 18 11	75 6 2	7 17 0	37 1 3	...	88 12 0		
	Board of Directors' Funds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	381 10 6	...	...	52 10 6	139 13 3	...	426 5 4
	Total of A.N.A. ...	...	...	511	219	1	225	504	79	41	1351 4 9	1898 2 8	161 8 2	552 11 4	52 10 6	1507 13 10	...	1331 3 6

* Figures for previous year. † Registered as a distinct Society. ‡ Closed during the year. § No returns supplied.

No. 20.—*Societies, Branches, Membership, Finances, etc., of Friendly Societies in Western Australia relating to the Year 1898*—continued.

No.	Name of Branch.	Where situated.	Year when established.	Members.							Income during Year.		Expenditure during Year.				Capital at end of Year.	
				Benefit.					Honorary.									
				At beginning of year.	Admitted during year.	Died during year.	Left otherwise during year.	At end of year.	At end of year.	Sick during year.	Contributions and Entrance Fees.	Total Income.	Sick Pay.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Sums payable at Death (members and wives).	Total Expenditure.	Invested.	Total.
											£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	GRAND UNITED ORDER OF FREE GARDENERS: WEST AUSTRALIAN DISTRICT.																	
1	Pioneer	Perth ...	1897	66	38	...	...	104	...	2	184 10 4	195 2 6	9 0 0	76 3 4	...	144 8 11	98 0 6	108 1 1
2	Boronia	Coolgardie ...	1897	46	18	1	26	37	3	...	125 7 0	133 14 6	...	75 4 10	...	134 15 4	...	32 17 6
3	Royal Oak	Kalgoorlie ...	1898	...	29	...	...	29	2	...	66 2 0	70 9 2	...	19 10 0	...	48 9 0	...	22 0 2
4	White Rose	Fremantle ...	1898	...	44	...	...	44	2	...	69 3 10	76 2 6	...	9 14 4	...	40 19 2	...	35 3 4
5	Olive Branch ...	Subiaco ...	1898	...	37	...	...	37	3	...	49 17 9	57 10 3	...	19 15 0	...	39 9 2	...	18 9 10
6	Daisy	Northam ...	1898	...	53	...	...	53	5	...	30 10 2	31 17 8	...	...	...	17 17 3	...	14 0 5
	District Funds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	117 8 0	...	...	...	84 17 5	...	44 16 6
	Total of G.U.O.F.G.	...	...	112	219	1	26	304	15	2	525 11 1	682 4 7	9 0 0	200 7 6	...	510 16 3	98 0 6	275 8 10
Totals: 15 Societies ...		68 Branches	...	4469	1204	20	1110	4543	173	543	10821 3 1	15557 1 0	2132 4 3	4069 7 2½	598 0 6	12975 17 1½	25715 2 9	35409 9 6½

IV.—BUILDING SOCIETIES.

No. 21.—*Building Societies in Western Australia in 1898, established under "An Ordinance for the Regulation of Benefit Building Societies, 1863" (27 Vict., No. 7).*

Name of Society.	Year when established.	Where situated.
Perth Benefit Building, Investment, and Loan Society, Permanent	1862	Perth.
Fremantle Benefit Building and Investment Society	1875	Fremantle.
Northam Mutual Benefit Building, Investment, and Loan Society, Permanent	1889	Northam.
Albany Benefit Building, Investment, and Loan Society, Permanent	1889	Albany.
Geraldton Benefit Building, Investment, and Loan Society, Permanent	1890	Geraldton.
Bunbury Benefit, Building, Investment, and Loan Society, Permanent	1892	Bunbury.
Western Starr-Bowkett Building Society	1892	Perth.
Swan District Benefit Building, Investment, and Loan Society, Permanent	1895	Guildford.
West Australian Building Society, Permanent	1898	Perth.

V.—REGISTERED COMPANIES.

No. 22.—*Limited Liability Companies registered during 1898.*

Name of Company.	Where Registered Office is situated.	Date of Registration.	Nominal Capital.	Number of Shares.	Number of Shares taken to 31st March, 1899.	Calls.			Total amount of Shares forfeited to 31st March, 1899.	Remarks.
						Amount made on each Share to 31st March, 1899.	Total amount received to 31st March, 1899.	Total amount unpaid on 31st March, 1899.		
		1898.	£				£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Woodville Brewing and Bottling Co., Ltd.	8 Victoria Chambers, Hay Street, Perth	Jan. 4	2000	2000	1329	£1	1329 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil*	Wound up.
Westralia Stone Quarrying Co., Ltd.	264 St. George's Terrace, Perth	,, 4	800	50	40	10 at £16, 30 at £10 10s.	402 10 0	72 10 0	*Nil.*	
Fremantle Brewery and Ice Co., Ltd.	Preston Road, Fremantle	,, 11	32000	32000	32000	32000 at £1, 32000 at 12s. 6d.	52000 0 0	250 0 0	*Nil.*	
Adelaide Timber Co., Ltd.	Greenbushes	,, 19	2000	400	400	£5	2000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
Western Engineering and Foundry Co., Ltd.	Henry Street, Fremantle	Feb. 5	5000	5000	2100	15s.	1575 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
Smithfield Market, Ltd.	2 Semaphore Chambers	,, 10	1200	24	24	£50	882 10 0	117 10 0		
Do.	Hannan Street, Kalgoorlie									
The Peak Hill Explorers, Ltd.	Moir's Buildings, Barrack Street, Perth	March 23	2000	2000	1480	1000 at £1, 480 at 4s. 6d.	1142 10 0	27 10 0		
Norseman Times Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd.	Prinsep's, Norseman	,, 23	1000	20	13	£50	600 0 0	...	...	Wound up.
The South Perth Ferry Co., Ltd.	Colonial Mutual Chambers, St. George's Terrace, Perth	April 13	13000	13000	4000	£1	4000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
Louis Sullivan & Co., Ltd.	Packenham Street, Fremantle	,, 15	25000	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Clare's Weekly, Ltd.	Station Street, Perth	March 26	2225	95	95	£25	2225 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil*	Wound up.
The River Ferry Co., Ltd.	Tate Street, South Perth	April 21	1000	1000	1000	£1	1000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil*	Wound up.
The Vasse Butter and Produce Co., Ltd.	Fairlawn Road, Busselton	,, 22	5000	5000	1275	6s.	327 10 0	55 0 0	*Nil.*	
The W.A. Burton Brewing Co., Ltd.	7 Crossland Chambers, Barrack Street, Perth	,, 29	2500	50	*	*	*	*	*	Wound up.
Kanowna Herald, Ltd.	Golconda Street, Kanowna	May 9	1500	300	*	*	*	*	*	Wound up.
The Great Boulder Deep Lead Syndicate, Ltd.	479 Hay Street, Perth	June 2	240	24	24	£10	240 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
The Leederville Land and Investment Co., Ltd.	Leederville Hall, Leederville	,, 6	2000	400	240	£1 10s.	240 0 0	120 0 0		
The Contracts Acquisition Co. of W.A., Ltd.	Town Hall Chambers, Barrack Street, Perth	,, 11	800	80	80					
Umpire Newspaper, Ltd.	Packenham Street, Fremantle	,, 30	1000	1000	905	£1	905 0 0			
The Automatic Gas Lighting and Extinguishing Co., Ltd.	14 Lombard Chambers, St. George's Terrace, Perth	July 1	3000	200	15	£15	250 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
The Great Northampton Copper Proprietary Co., Ltd.	Arcade Buildings, Barrack Street, Perth	,, 4	10000	100	33	£100	225 0 0	1575 0 0		
Kanowna Champion Lode Gold Mining Syndicate, Ltd.	Larkin Street, Kanowna	,, 4	2000	200	200	*	*	*	*	Wound up.
The Coolgardie Prospecting Deep Lead, Ltd.	Atlas Chambers, Bayley Street, Coolgardie	,, 6	1000	200	99	£3 10s.	259 0 0	87 10 0	*Nil.*	
B. T. Veale & Co., Ltd.	490 Newcastle Street, Perth	Aug. 2	5000	5000	5000	£1	5000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil*	Ceased to carry on business.

* No Return.

No. 22.—*Limited Liability Companies registered during 1898*—continued.

Name of Company.	Where Registered Office is situated.	Date of Registration.	Nominal Capital.	Number of Shares.	Number of Shares taken to 31st March, 1899.	Calls.			Total amount of Shares forfeited to 31st March, 1899.	Remarks.
						Amount made on each Share to 31st March, 1899.	Total amount received to 31st March, 1899.	Total amount unpaid on 31st March, 1899.		
		1898.	£				£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
The Albany Co-operative Society, Ltd.	Frederick Street, Albany ...	Aug. 6	2000	2000	111	£1	105 0 0	3 15 0	*Nil.*	
The Blue Jacket Prospecting Co., Ltd.	6 Arcade Buildings, Hay Street, Perth	„ 8	390	60	29	£6 10s. ...	170 10 0	18 0 0	3	Ceased to carry on business.
Eastern Trading Co., Ltd.	Perth	„ 17	1000	100	*	*	*	*	*	Ceased to carry on business.
The West Australian Gold and Copper Syndicate, Ltd.	31 Beaconsfield Chambers, Sylvester Street, Coolgardie	Sep. 12	3000	3000	*	*	*	*	*	Ceased to carry on business.
The West Australian Apothecaries Co., Ltd.	466 Hay Street, Perth	„ 28	50000	50000	24006	10s.	12003 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
Perth Discount Bank, Ltd.	284 St. George's Terrace, Perth	Oct. 25	100000	100000	100000	£1	100000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
The West Australian *Sunday Times*, Ltd.	Wellington Street, Perth ...	„ 28	10000	10000	9600	£1	9600 0 0	*Ni*	*Nil.*	
David Symon, Ltd.	417 Hay Street, Perth	Nov. 25	15000	15000	4000	£1	4000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
The Collieburn Coal Development Co., Ltd.	293 St. George's Terrace, Perth	Dec. 2	20000	20000	10000	10000 at £1 ...	10000 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
The Crystal Stream Co., Ltd.	Victoria Avenue, N. Fremantle	„ 7	500	25	15	£2	30 0 0	*Nil*	*Nil.*	
The Aberfoyle Gold Mine, Ltd. ...	McNeil's Buildings, Barrack Street, Perth	„ 22	12500	100000	76027	50000 at £1 26027 at 1d.	50017 15 2	90 13 9	*Nil.*	
The St. Louis Lager Beer Syndicate, Ltd.	Watson's Buildings, Hay Street, Perth	„ 29	10000	100	940	£10	9395 0 0	5 0 0	*Nil*	Wound up.
Homeward Bound Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	Maritana Street, Kalgoorlie ...	„ 14	2000	200	200	£10	2000 0 0			

* No Return.

No. 23.—*No-Liability Companies registered during 1898.*

Name of Company.	Situation of Registered Office.	Date of Registration, 1898.	Nominal Capital.	Number of Shares.
		1898.	£	
The Monarch Gold Mining Company, No-Liability	Menzies Chambers, Shenton Street, Menzies	May 23	3125	25000
The Coolgardie Deep Lead Syndicate, No-Liability	15 Beaconsfield Chambers, Sylvester Street, Coolgardie	June 16	500	100
Kanowna Puddling Company, No-Liability	5 Mercer Street, Kanowna	„ 27	1000	1000
The Barrington Gold Mining Company, No-Liability	On the Mine, North Niagara	August 24	5000	500
The Goldfields Diamond Drilling Company, No-Liability	15 Venture Buildings, Bayley Street, Coolgardie	October 8	2000	200
The North Lead Alluvial Gold Mining Company, No-Liability	Forrest Street, Coolgardie	December 10	300	200

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1898,

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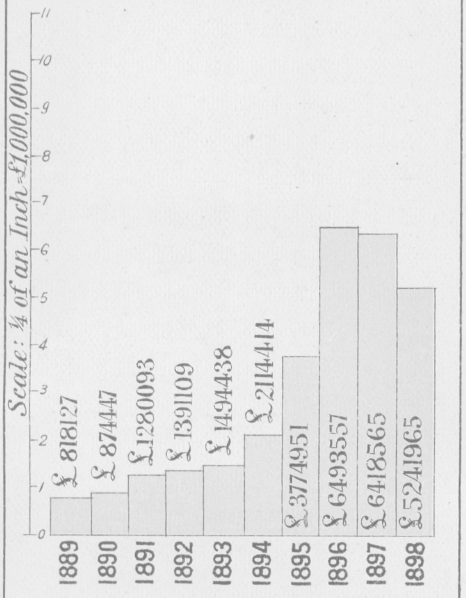

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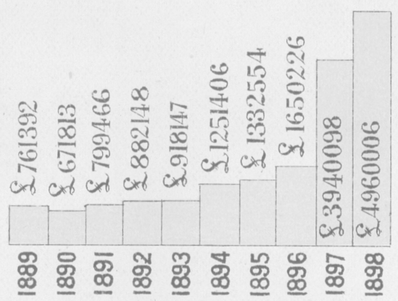

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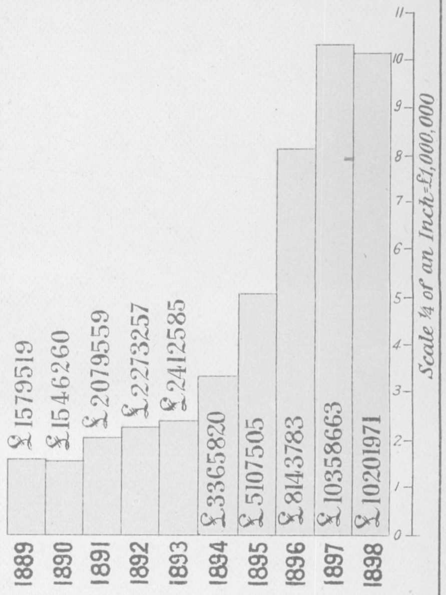

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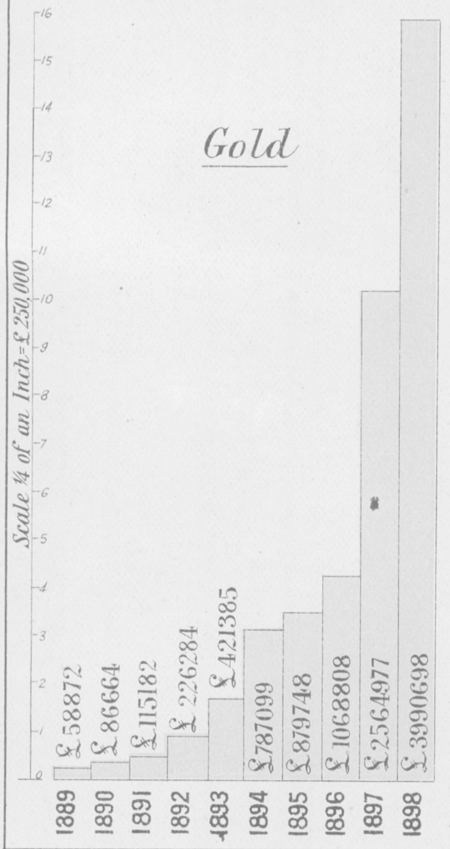

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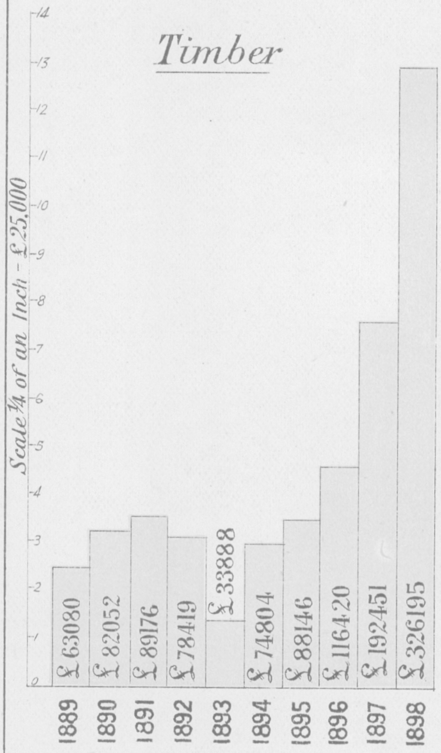

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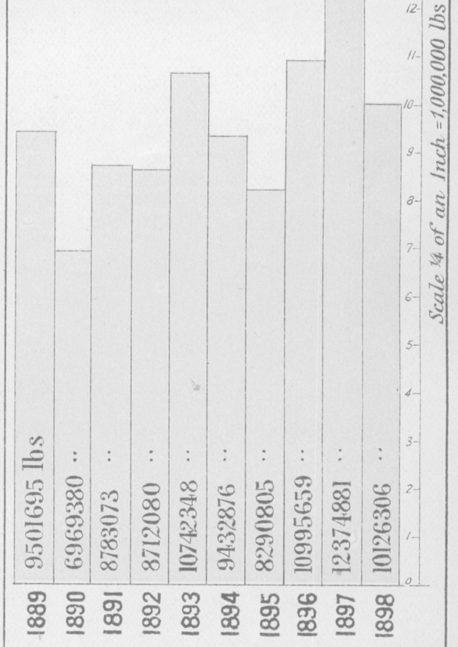

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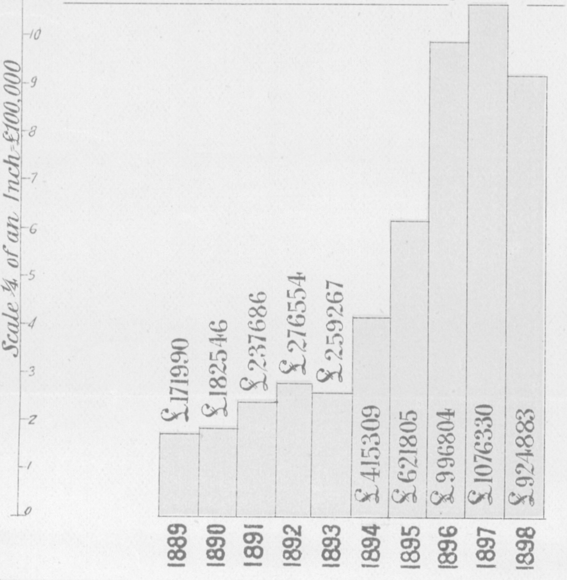

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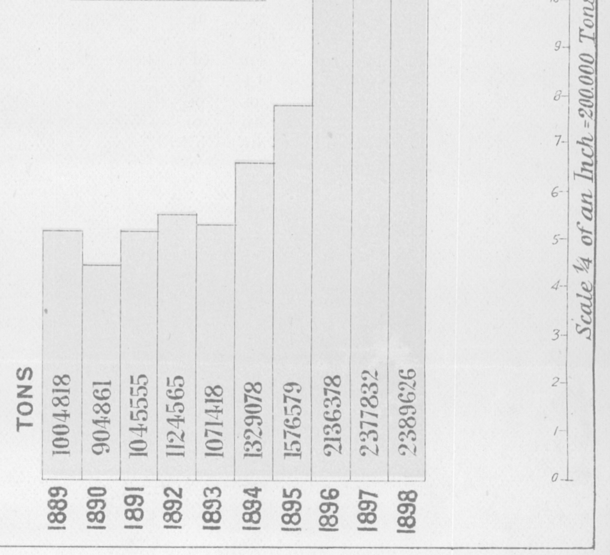

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PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

I.—TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

No. 1.—*Total Value in Sterling of the Imports and Exports of the Colony of Western Australia from and to each Country during 1898.*

COUNTRIES.	TOTAL IMPORTS THEREFROM.	EXPORTS THERETO.			EXCESS OF	
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufactures.	Total Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
UNITED KINGDOM	2,051,872	2,276,866	16,786	2,293,652	...	241,780
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES—						
Victoria	1,431,525	2,086,466	25,662	2,112,128	...	680,603
South Australia	651,224	256,171	25,217	281,388	369,836	
New South Wales	637,292	53,479	11,986	65,465	571,827	
Queensland	7,205	140	2,694	2,834	4,371	
New Zealand	9,101	2	303	305	8,796	
Tasmania	7,414	765	76	841	6,573	
Total	2,743,761	2,397,023	65,938	2,462,961	280,800	
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS—						
Canada	972	...	...	...	972	
Cape Colony	41	40,533	...	40,533	...	40,492
Ceylon	6,119	4,097	...	4,097	2,022	
Hong Kong	884	14,517	...	14,517	...	13,633
India	3,660	31,559	...	31,559	...	27,899
Malta	10	...	...	...	10	
Mauritius	567	1.037	...	1,037	...	470
Natal	...	20,785	...	20,785	...	20,785
Singapore	152,870	23,233	2,931	26,164	126,706	
Total	165,123	135,761	2,931	138,692	26,431	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—						
Argentine Republic	...	2,935	...	2,935	...	2,935
Belgium	15,767	2,892	232	3,124	12,643	
China	5	...	...	...	5	
Egypt	507	...	16	16	491	
France	12,717	4,496	5	4,501	8.216	
Germany	130,832	315	2,721	3,036	127,796	
Guam	...	...	50,946	50,946	...	50,946
Holland	78	...	...	..	78	
Japan	799	71	3	74	725	
Italy	3,251	61	...	61	3,190	
New Caledonia	...	...	8	8	...	8
Norway	4,921	...	...	...	4,921	
Siam	375	...	...	...	375	
Sweden	20,654	...	...	...	20,654	
Switzerland	14	...	...	...	14	
Timor	21	...	...	...	21	
United States of America	91,268	...	...	...	91,268	
Total	281,209	10,770	53,931	64,701	216,508	
SUMMARY.						
UNITED KINGDOM	2,051,872	2,276,866	16,786	2,293,652	...	241,780
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES	2,743,761	2,397,023	65,938	2,462,961	280,800	
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS	165,123	135,761	2.931	138,692	26,431	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES	281,209	10,770	53,931	64,701	216,508	
GRAND TOTAL	**5,241,965**	**4,820,420**	**139,586**	**4,960,006**	**281,959**	

Part IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 2.—*Value of Imports into Western Australia from each Country, for each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

Country.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom—Total ...	364,386	415,149	568,570	592,496	733,001	611,308	943,477	2,057,635	2,624,086	2,051,872
Australasian Colonies—										
Victoria	126,097	173,419	318,587	371,829	406,242	842,920	1,883,147	2,428,378	1,719,791	1,431,525
South Australia	197,452	173,663	219,461	246,841	233,764	473,680	667,115	1,203,919	945,380	651,224
New South Wales... ...	10,693	11,527	27,337	34,449	22,424	55,829	147,927	443,341	576,521	637,292
Queensland	702	38	66	479	721	1,109	3,089	6,270	8,705	7,205
New Zealand	25	3,192	19,222	25,335	748	461	745	20,157	22,048	9,101
Tasmania	...	...	62	819	1,101	72	519	3,077	4,855	7,414
Total Imports from Australasian Colonies ...	334,969	361,839	584,735	679,752	665,000	1,374,071	2,702,542	4,105,142	3,277,300	2,743,761
Other British Possessions—										
Singapore	42,141	45,249	67,512	59,413	60,596	48,480	66,235	164,363	163,172	152,870
Hong Kong	14,825	1,115	5,905	79	303	1,863	52	127	1,154	884
India	3,379	1,454	786	313	52	7,513	23,467	33,530	35,362	3,660
Mauritius	42,247	30,493	23,618	16,713	4,577	2,478	526	4,775	6,270	567
British Columbia	...	...	...	...	708	39				
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	
Ceylon	590	825	872	711	1,535	1,680	1,768	630	3,563	6,119
Malta	...	28	21	22	...	...	...	...	...	10
Gibraltar	...	...	27	. .	...	...	14	...	34	
Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	536	972
Cape Colony	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41
All other British Possessions	...	...	...	7	9	3				
Total Imports from other British Possession ...	103,182	79,164	98,741	77,258	67,780	62,056	92,062	203,425	210,100	165,123
Foreign Countries—										
United States of America...	13,131	14,624	25,639	29,774	25,170	14,878	23,047	72,077	160,055	91,268
Germany	...	...	28	243	34	253	7,371	33,293	77,156	130,832
France	932	296	749	1,524	1,154	3,145	3,858	5,431	12,515	12,717
Holland	...	...	...	...	...	32,117	9	...	15	78
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	16,356	1	154	4,131	15,767
Italy	23	12	...	...	2	185	473	844	3,502	3,251
Sweden	...	1,708	858	2,751	...	...	2,046	14,755	35,830	20,654
Norway	...	...	...	...	1,816	...	25	233	13,752	4,921
Africa (undefined) ...	...	...	26	5,776						
China	1,316	904	719	1,454	290	...	...	1	...	5
Brazil	183									
All other Foreign Countries	5	751	28	81	191	45	40	567	123	1,716
Total Imports from Foreign Countries ...	15,590	18,295	28,047	41,603	28,657	66,979	36,870	127,355	307,079	281,209

SUMMARY.

	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
United Kingdom	364,386	415,149	568,570	592,496	733,001	611,308	943,477	2,057,635	2,624,086	2,051,872
Australasian Colonies ...	334,969	361,839	584,735	679,752	665,000	1,374,071	2,702,542	4,105,142	3,277,300	2,743,761
Other British Possessions	103,182	79,164	98,741	77,258	67,780	62,056	92,062	203,425	210,100	165,123
Total, British ...	802,537	856,152	1,252,046	1,349,506	1,465,781	2,047,435	3,738,081	6,366,202	6,111,486	4,960,756
Foreign Countries... ...	15,590	18,295	28,047	41,603	28,657	66,979	36,870	127,355	307,079	281,209
Grand Total	818,127	874,447	1,280,093	1,391,109	1,494,438	2,114,414	*3774,951	†6493,557	6,418,565	5,241,965

* See footnote marked § on page 107. † See footnotes marked † and ‡ on page 107.

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 3.—*Value of Exports from Western Australia to each Country, for each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

COUNTRY.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
UNITED KINGDOM—Total ...	506,024	335,162	427,693	395,700	349,080	330,216	328,125	508,755	1,736,205	2,293,652
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES—										
Victoria	39,163	73,690	139,500	235,453	419,185	760,626	854,293	912,139	1,633,187	2,112,128
South Australia	108,295	113,235	85,612	66,022	40,448	34,038	50,873	37,836	313,152	281,388
New South Wales... ...	100	265	11,388	12,497	19,324	34,707	26,075	12,579	31,717	65,465
Queensland	...	...	...	...	...	15	777	226	692	2,834
New Zealand	...	1,242	890	250	400	13	...	...	1,055	305
Tasmania	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	179	415	841
Total Exports to Australasian Colonies ...	147,558	188,432	237,390	314,272	479,357	829,399	932,018	962,959	1,980,218	2,462,961
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS										
Singapore	50,462	84,436	86,641	124,752	49,091	52,055	33,462	57,190	85,874	26,164
Hong Kong	...	...	14,690	23,845	17,704	16,128	7,871	17,837	8,854	14,517
India	...	...	300	150	2,259	...	300	...	120	31,559
Mauritius	6,124	5,316	7,478	4,836	9,392	4,033	150	6,207	1,540	1,037
Cape Colony	...	...	...	...	640	13,566	377	...	27,339	40,533
Ceylon	2,125	...	...	...	100	...	...	160	...	4,097
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	70	8,579	38,632	34,690	20,785
Seychelle Islands	...	...	...	...	...	436				
Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...	100			
All other British Possessions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	
Total Exports to other British Possessions ...	58,711	89,752	109,109	153,583	79,186	86,288	50,839	120,026	158,457	138,692
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—										
United States of America	2,285	...	1390	...	...	28	150	5	120	
China	38,545	40,095	15,282	2,670	...	123	6,084	14,791		
Italy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61
Guam	50	50	...	3,620	75	50	...	28,240	120	50,946
Germany	1,448	...	...	4,439	7,352	2,679	50	3,957	2,580	3,036
France	536	7,300	7,476	340	175	2,264	8,985	11,493	7,633	4,501
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	2,935
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	100	411	...	555	3,124
Africa (undefined) ...	3,943	5,764	1,076							
Java	1,794	1,405	...	3,333	600	50	...	...	80	
Delagoa Bay	...	...	...	...	...	100	5,742			
Mahé	220	...	...	4,191	2,062					
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	53,886	
All other Foreign Countries	278	3,853	50	...	260	109	100	... ...	244	98
Total Exports to Foreign Countries	49,099	58,467	25,274	18,593	10,524	5,503	21,572	58,486	65,218	64,701

SUMMARY.

	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
UNITED KINGDOM	506,024	335,162	427,693	395,700	349,080	330,216	328,125	508,755	1,736,205	2,293,652
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES ...	147,558	188,432	237,390	314,272	479,357	829,399	932,018	962,959	1,980,218	2,462,961
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS	58,711	89,752	109,109	153,583	79,186	86,288	50,839	120,026	158,457	138,692
Total, British ...	712,293	613,346	774,192	863,555	907,623	1,245,903	1,310,982	1,591,740	3,874,880	4,895,305
FOREIGN COUNTRIES ...	49,099	58,467	25,274	18,593	10,524	5,503	21,572	58,486	65,218	64,701
GRAND TOTAL	761,392	671,813	799,466	882,148	918,147	1,251,406	1,332,554	1,650,226	3,940,098	4,960,006

Part IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 4.—*Total Trade (Value of Imports and Exports combined) of Western Australia with each Country for each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898.*

Country.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom—Total ...	870,410	750,311	996,263	988,196	1,082,081	941,524	1,271,602	2,566,390	4,360,291	4,345,524
Australasian Colonies—										
Victoria	165,260	247,109	458,087	607,282	825,427	1,603,546	2,737,440	3,340,517	3,352,978	3,543,653
South Australia	305,747	286,898	305,073	312,863	274,212	507,718	717,988	1,241,755	1,258,532	932,612
New South Wales ...	10,793	11,792	38,725	46,946	41,748	90,536	174,002	455,920	608,238	702,757
Queensland	702	38	66	479	721	1,124	3,866	6,496	9,397	10,039
New Zealand	25	4,434	20,112	25,585	1,148	474	745	20,157	23,103	9,406
Tasmania	...	...	62	869	1,101	72	519	3,256	5,270	8,255
Total Trade with Australasian Colonies ...	482,527	550,271	822,125	994,024	1,144,357	2,203,470	3,634,560	5,068,101	5,257,518	5,206,722
Other British Possessions—										
Singapore	92,603	129,685	154,153	184,165	109,687	100,535	99,697	221,553	249,046	179.034
Hong Kong	14,825	1,115	20,595	23,924	18,007	17,991	7,923	17,964	10,008	15,401
India	3,379	1,454	1,086	463	2,311	7,513	23,767	33,530	35,482	35,219
Mauritius	48,371	35,809	31,096	21,549	13,969	6,511	676	10,982	7,810	1,604
British Columbia	...	...	...	...	708	39				
Ceylon	2,715	825	872	711	1,635	1,680	1,768	790	3,563	10,216
Malta	...	28	21	22	...	...	...	...	...	10
Gibraltar	...	...	27	...	...	...	14	...	34	
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	70	8,579	38,632	34,699	20,785
Cape Colony	...	...	...	...	640	13,566	377	...	27,339	40,574
Seychelle	...	...	...	...	...	436				
Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	536	972
All other British Possessions	...	...	...	7	9	3	...	...	40	
Total Trade with other British Possessions ...	161,893	168,916	207,850	230,841	146,966	148,344	142,901	323,451	368,557	303,815
Foreign Countries—										
United States of America	15,416	14,624	27,029	29,774	25,170	14,906	23,197	72,082	160,175	91,268
Germany	1,448	...	28	4,682	7,386	2,932	7,421	37,250	79,736	133,868
France	1,468	7,596	8,225	1,864	1,329	5,409	12,843	16,924	20,148	17,218
Holland	...	...	...	...	...	32,117	9	...	15	78
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	16,456	412	154	4,686	18,891
Italy	23	12	...	...	2	185	473	844	3,502	3,312
Sweden	...	1,708	858	2,751	...	...	2,046	14,755	35,830	20,654
Norway	...	...	...	...	1,816	...	25	233	13,752	4,921
Africa (undefined) ...	3,943	5,764	1,102	5,776						
China	39,861	40,999	16,001	4,124	290	123	6,084	14,792	...	5
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	2,935
Brazil	183	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53,886	
Guam	50	50	...	3,620	75	50	...	28,240	120	50,946
Java	1,794	1,405	...	3,333	600	50	...	...	80	
Delagoa Bay	...	...	...	...	...	100	5,742			
Mahé	220	...	...	4,191	2,062					
All other Foreign Countries	283	4,604	78	81	451	154	140	567	367	1,814
Total Trade with Foreign Countries	64,689	76,762	53,321	60,196	39,181	72,482	58,442	185,841	372,297	345,910

SUMMARY.

United Kingdom	870,410	750,311	996,263	988,196	1,082,081	941,524	1,271,602	2,566,390	4,360,291	4,345,524
Australasian Colonies ...	482,527	550,271	822,125	994,024	1,144,357	2,203,470	3,634,560	5,068,101	5,257,518	5,206,728
Other British Possessions	161,893	168,916	207,850	230,841	146,966	148,344	142,901	323,451	368,557	303,815
Total, British	1,514,830	1,469,498	2,026,238	2,213,061	2,373,404	3,293,338	5,049,063	7,957,942	9,986,366	9,856,061
Foreign Countries ...	64,689	76,762	53,321	60,196	39,181	72,482	58,442	185,841	372,297	345,910
Grand Total	1,579,519	1,546,260	2,079,559	2.273,257	2,412,585	*3,365,820	†5,107,505	8,143,783	10,358,663	10,201,971

* See footnote marked § on page 107. † See footnotes marked † and ‡ on page 107.

Part IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 5.—*Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade of Western Australia, for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898, showing the value per head of mean population.*

Year.	Imports.		Exports.		Total Trade.	
	Total Value.	Value per Head.	Total Value.	Value per Head.	Total Value.	Value per Head.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
1889	818,127	19 1 9	761,392	17 15 4	1,579,519	36 17 1
1890	874,447	19 10 5	671,813	15 0 0	1,546,260	34 10 5
1891	1,280,093	25 10 8	799,466	15 18 11	2,079,559	41 9 7
1892	1,391,109	24 18 1	882,148	15 15 10	2,273,257	40 13 11
1893	1,494,438	24 4 4	918,147	14 17 7	2,412,585	39 1 11
1894	2,114,414	28 3 2	1,251,406	16 13 3	3,365,820	44 16 5
1895	*3,774,951	41 16 10	1,332,554	14 15 5	5,107,505	56 12 3
1896	†6,493,557	52 17 6	1,650,226	13 8 9	8,143,783	66 6 3
1897	6,418,565	41 4 3	3,940,098	25 5 11	10,358,663	66 10 2
1898	5,241,965	30 19 4	4,960,006	29 6 1	10,201,971	60 5 5

* See footnote marked § on page 107. † See footnotes marked † and ‡ on page 107.

No. 6.—*Percentage of the Value of Imports from each Country compared with Total Imports into Western Australia for each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898.*

Country.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
UNITED KINGDOM	44·54	47·48	44·42	42·59	49·05	28·91	24·99	31·69	40·88	39·14
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES—										
Victoria	15·41	19·83	24·89	26·74	27·18	39·87	49·89	37·41	26·79	27·31
South Australia	24·13	19·86	17·14	17·74	15·64	22·40	17·67	18·54	14·73	12·42
New South Wales	1·31	1·32	2·14	2·48	1·50	2·64	3·92	6·83	8·98	12·16
Queensland	0·09	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·05	0·08	0·09	0·14	0·14
New Zealand	...	0·37	1·51	1·82	0·05	0·02	0·02	0·31	0·34	0·17
Tasmania	...	...	...	0·06	0·07	...	0·01	0·05	0·08	0·14
Total from Australasian Colonies	40·94	41·38	45·68	48·87	44·49	64·98	71·59	63·23	51·06	52·34
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS—										
Singapore	5·15	5·17	5·27	4·28	4·05	2·29	1·75	2·53	2·54	2·91
Hong Kong	1·82	0·13	0·46	...	0·02	0·09	...	...	0·02	0·02
India	0·41	0·17	0·06	0·02	...	0·36	0·63	0·52	0·55	0·07
Mauritius	5·16	3·49	1·85	1·20	0·32	0·12	0·01	0·07	0·10	0·01
British Columbia	...	...	...	...	0·05					
Ceylon	0·07	0·09	0·07	0·05	0·10	0·08	0·05	0·01	0·06	0·12
Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·02
Total from other British Possessions	12·61	9·05	7·71	5·55	4·54	2·94	2·44	3·13	3·28	3·15
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—										
United States of America	1·62	1·68	2·00	2·14	1·69	0·70	0·62	1·11	2·49	1·74
Germany	...	...	...	0·02	...	0·01	0·20	0·51	1·20	2·50
France	0·11	0·03	0·06	0·11	0·08	0·15	0·10	0·08	0·20	0·24
Holland	...	...	...	...	...	1·53				
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	...	...	0·06	0·30
Italy	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·01	0·05	0·06
Sweden	...	0·19	0·07	0·20	...	...	0·05	0·23	0·56	0·40
Norway	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·22	0·10
Africa (undefined)	...	...	...	0·42						
China	0·16	0·10	0·06	0·10	0·02					
Brazil	0·02									
All other Foreign Countries ...	...	0·09	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·01	...	0·03
Total from Foreign Countries ...	1·91	2·09	2·19	2·99	1·92	3·17	0·98	1·95	4·78	5·37
	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

No. 7.—*Percentage of the Value of Exports to each country compared with Total Exports from Western Australia, for each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

COUNTRY.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
UNITED KINGDOM—Total	66·46	49·89	53·50	44·86	38·02	26·39	24·63	30·83	44·07	46·24
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES—										
Victoria	5·15	10·97	17·45	26·69	45·66	60·79	64·12	55·27	41·45	42·58
South Australia	14·22	16·86	10·71	7·48	4·41	2·72	3·82	2·30	7·95	5·67
New South Wales	0·01	0·04	1·42	1·42	2·10	2·77	1·96	0·76	0·80	1·32
Queensland	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·01	0·02	0·06
New Zealand	...	0·19	0·11	0·03	0·04	...	...	...	0·03	0·01
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·01	0·02
Total to Australasian Colonies ...	19·38	28·05	29·69	35·62	52·21	66·28	69·94	58·35	50·26	49·66
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS—										
Singapore	6·63	12·57	10·83	14·15	5·34	4·17	2·51	3·47	2·18	0·53
Hong Kong	...	...	1·84	2·70	1·93	1·29	0·59	1·08	0·23	0·29
India	...	...	0·04	0·02	0·25	...	0·02	...	...	0·64
Mauritius	0·80	0·79	0·94	0·54	1·02	0·32	0·01	0·38	0·04	0·02
Cape Colony	...	...	...	...	0·07	1·08	0·03	...	0·69	0·82
Ceylon	0·28	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	0·01	...	0·08
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·64	2·34	0·88	0·42
Seychelle Islands	...	...	...	...	...	0·03				
Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01			
Total to other British Possessions	7·71	13·36	13·65	17·41	8·62	6·89	3·81	7·28	4·02	2·80
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—										
United States of America	0·30	...	0·17	...	...	...	0·02			
China	5·06	5·96	1·92	0·30	...	0·01	0·46	0·90		
Guam	0·01	0·01	...	0·41	0·01	...	...	1·71	...	1·03
Germany	0·19	...	...	0·50	0·80	0·22	...	0·23	0·07	0·06
France	0·07	1·09	0·94	0·04	0·02	0·18	0·67	0·70	0·19	0·09
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·03	...	0·01	0·06
Africa (undefined)	0·52	0·86	0·13							
Java	0·24	0·21	...	0·38	0·07					
Delagoa Bay	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·43			
Mahé	0·03	...	...	0·48	0·22					
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	
All other Foreign Countries ...	0·03	0·57	...	...	0·03	0·01	0·01	...	0·01	
Total to Foreign Countries ...	6·45	8·70	3·16	2·11	1·15	0·44	1·62	3·54	1·65	1·30
	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

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No. 8.—*Percentage of the Value of the Total Trade with each Country compared with the Total Trade of Western Australia, for each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

COUNTRY.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
UNITED KINGDOM—Total	55·11	48·52	47·92	43·47	44·86	27·97	24·90	31·51	42·09	42·59
AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES—										
Victoria	10·46	15·99	22·03	26·71	34·20	47·66	53·59	41·02	32·37	34·74
South Australia	19·37	18·55	14·67	13·76	11·37	15·08	14·06	15·25	12·15	9·14
New South Wales	0·68	0·76	1·86	2·07	1·73	2·69	3·41	5·60	5·87	6·89
Queensland	0·04	...	...	0·02	0·03	0·03	0·08	0·08	0·09	0·10
New Zealand	...	0·29	0·97	1·13	0·05	0·01	0·01	0·25	0·23	0·09
Tasmania	...	...	...	0·04	0·05	...	0·01	0·04	0·05	0·08
Total with Australasian Colonies	30·55	35·59	39·53	43·73	47·43	65·47	71·16	62·24	50·76	51·04
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS—										
Singapore	5·87	8·39	7·41	8·10	4·55	3·00	1·95	2·73	2·41	1·76
Hong Kong	0·94	0·07	0·99	1·05	0·75	0·54	0·16	0·22	0·10	0·15
India	0·21	0·09	0·05	0·02	0·09	0·22	0·47	0·41	0·34	0·34
Mauritius	3·06	2·32	1·50	0·95	0·58	0·19	0·01	0·13	0·08	0·02
British Columbia	...	...	...	...	0·03					
Ceylon	0·17	0·05	0·04	0·03	0·07	0·05	0·03	0·01	0·03	0·10
Natal	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·47	0·33	0·20
Cape Colony	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·40	0·01	...	0·26	0·40
Seychelle Islands	...	...	...	...	...	0·01				
Canada...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·01
Total with other British Possessions	10·25	10·92	9·99	10·15	6·09	4·41	2·80	3·97	3·56	2·98
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—										
United States of America	0·98	0·95	1·31	1·32	1·04	0·44	0·45	0·88	1·55	0·90
Germany	0·09	...	...	0·21	0·30	0·09	0·15	0·46	0·77	1·31
France	0·09	0·49	0·38	0·08	0·06	0·16	0·25	0·21	0·19	0·17
Holland	...	...	...	...	...	0·96				
Belgium	...	...	...	..	...	0·49	0·01	...	0·05	0·18
Italy	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·01	0·01	0·03	0·03
Sweden	...	0·11	0·04	0·12	...	...	0·04	0·18	0·35	0·20
Norway...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·13	0·05
Africa	0·25	0·38	0·05	0·25						
China	2·52	2·65	0·78	0·18	0·01	...	0·12	0·18		
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03
Brazil	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	
Guam	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·50
Java	0·11	0·09	...	0·15	0·03					
Delagoa Bay	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11			
Mahé	0·02	...	...	0·18	0·09					
All other Foreign Countries ...	0·02	0·30	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·01	...	0·02
Total with Foreign Countries ...	4·09	4·97	2·56	2·65	1·62	2·15	1·14	2·28	3·59	3·39
	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

No. 9.—*Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade of the various Ports of the Colony for 1889, arranged according to value of Total Trade.*

Ports.	Value of			Excess of	
	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£
Fremantle	3,861,140	2,006,831	5,867,971	1,854,309	
Albany	233,261	2,092,892	2,326,153	...	1,859,631
Perth	762,286	*Nil*	762,286	762,286	
Geraldton	173,276	495,889	669,165	...	322,613
Cossack	30,862	118,159	149,021	...	87,297
Bunbury	67,476	16,478	83,954	50,998	
Broome	21,844	58,029	79,873	...	36,185
Vasse	18,024	48,019	66,043	...	29,995
Carnarvon	7,897	50,204	58,101	...	42,307
Esperance	50,287	4,176	54,463	46,111	
Onslow	3,415	31,886	35,301	...	28,471
Derby	5,817	22,313	28,130	...	16,496
*Eucla	*	15,130	15,130	...	15,130
Dongara	4,062	*Nil*	4,062	4,062	
Wyndham	2,318	*Nil*	2,318	2,318	
Total	5,241,965	4,960,006	10,201,971	281,959	

* Included in Esperance Returns.

No. 10.—*Classification of the Imports into Western Australia, 1898.*

CLASS AND ORDER.	VALUE.	VALUE.
CLASS I.—*Art and Mechanic Productions (specific) other than Textile Fabrics and Dress.*	£	£
Order 1. Books, &c.	69,314	
„ 2. Musical Instruments ...	14,746	
„ 3. Prints, Pictures, &c. ...	25,071	
„ 4. Carving, Figures, &c. ...	*Nil.*	
„ 5. Tackle for Sports and Games	3,503	
„ 6. Watches and Clocks ...	17,583	
„ 7. Surgical and Scientific Instruments	4,166	
„ 8. Arms, Ammunition, &c.	88,183	
„ 9. Machines, Tools, Implements, &c.	799,724	
„ 10. Carriages, Cycles, Harness, &c.	202,418	
„ 11. Ships, Boats, &c. ...	3,606	
„ 12. Building Material ...	42,601	
„ 13. Furniture	35,922	
„ 14. Chemicals	123,180	
Total Class I. ...		1,430,017
CLASS II.—*Textile Fabrics and Dress.*		
Order 15. Wool and Worsted Manufactures	11,411	
„ 16. Silk Manufactures * ...	*Nil.*	
„ 17. Cotton and Flax Manufactures *	*Nil.*	
„ 18. Manufactures of Mixed Materials	307,152	
„ 19. Dress	316,073	
„ 20. Manufactures of Fibrous Materials	51,231	
Total Class II. ...		685,867
CLASS III.—*Food, Drinks, &c.*		
Order 21. Animal Food	536,928	
„ 22. Vegetable Food... ...	762,130	
„ 23. Drinks, Stimulants and Narcotics	477,401	
Total Class III. ...		1,776,459
Forwarded	...	3,892,343
	£	£
Brought forward.	...	3,892,343
CLASS IV.—*Animal and Vegetable Substances, not included elsewhere.*		
Order 24. Animal Substances ...	75,114	
„ 25. Vegetable Substances ...	103,469	
„ 26. Oils	53,574	
Total, Class IV. ...		232,157
CLASS V.—*Minerals and Metals.*		
Order 27. Articles connected with Mining, N.O.E.* ...	*Nil.*	
„ 28. Coal, &c.	93,114	
„ 29. Stone, Clay, Earthenware, and Glass ...	48,269	
„ 30. Water	*Nil.*	
„ 31. Gold, Silver, Specie, and Precious Stones ...	162,191	
„ 32. Metals and Minerals, other than Gold and Silver, not included elsewhere	358,942	
Total, Class V. ...		662,516
CLASS VI.—*Live Animals and Plants.*		
Order 33. Animals	263,699	
„ 34. Plants	5,623	
Total, Class VI. ...		269,322
CLASS VII.—*Miscellaneous Matters.*		
Order 35. Miscellaneous Articles of Trade, &c.	66,580	
„ 36. Indefinite Articles ...	119,047	
Total, Class VII. ...		185,627
Total value of Imports into Western Australia	... £	5,241,965

*Distributed under other heads.

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No. 11.—*Quantities and values of General Imports into the Colony of Western Australia during the Year ended 31st December, 1898, showing in each case the country whence imported.*

All Duties, except those imposed on *Animals living*, by "The Stock Tax, 1893" (57 Vict., No. 4), and *Unmanufactured Tobacco*, by "The Tobacco (Unmanufactured) Duty Act, 1896" (60 Vict., No. 14), are collected under the provisions of "The Tariff Act, 1893" (57 Vict., No. 11), "The Customs Duties Repeal Acts of 1895 and 1896" (59 Vict., No. 8 and 60 Vict., No. 13), and "The Customs Duties Amendment Act, 1898" (62 Vict., No. 5).

* Repealed by 62 Vict., No. 5 (18th August, 1898.)

Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
Abdominal Belts and Trusses:									
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	140	...	140			
Victoria	2	2	4	16	3	19			
South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	11	11			
New South Wales ...	...	15	15	...	97	97			
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	3	3			
Singapore	...	...	...	2	...	2			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	33	...	33			
Germany	4	...	4	31	...	31			
	22	19	41	222	114	336	314	15 14 0	5 per cent.
Acid.									
Acetic:									
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	53	...	53			
Victoria	10	18	28	79	128	207			
South Australia ...	1	1	2	2	2	4			
New South Wales...	16	7	23	46	29	75			
	37	26	63	180	159	339	363	54 9 0	15 per cent.
Sulphuric:									
United Kingdom ...	45	...	45	39	...	39			
Victoria	210	449	659	164	214	378			
South Australia ...	3	7	10	2	9	11			
New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	2	2			
	258	457	715	205	225	430	430	64 10 0	15 per cent.
Tartaric:									
United Kingdom ...	100	...	100	595	...	595			
Victoria	10	33	43	31	234	265			
South Australia ...	4	10	14	14	38	52			
New South Wales...	...	5	5	...	35	35			
Singapore	...	...	...	1	...	1			
France	1	...	1	6	...	6			
	115	48	163	647	307	954	955	143 5 0	15 per cent.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	105	...	105	528	...	528			
Victoria	439	717	1,156	574	720	1,294			
South Australia ...	4	86	90	12	118	130			
New South Wales	3	60	63	14	82	96			
Singapore	3	...	3	19	...	19			
Germany	12	...	12	74	...	74			
	566	863	1,429	1,221	920	2,141	2,125	318 15 0	15 per cent.
Aerated and Mineral Waters:									
United Kingdom ...	1,541	...	1,541	1,070	...	1,070			
Victoria	8	345	353	10	173	183			
South Australia ...	10	8	18	4	10	14			
New South Wales ...	9	319	328	17	236	253			
Queensland	100	...	100	45	...	45			
Singapore	862	...	862	566	...	566			
Hong Kong	1	...	1	2	...	2			
France	60	...	60	50	...	50			
Germany	405	...	405	306	...	306			
Belgium...	1,861	...	1,861	1,433	...	1,433			
	4,857	672	5,529	3,503	419	3,922	3,451	690 4 0	20 per cent.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY.									
CHAFF-CUTTERS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	13	...	13	103	...	103			
Victoria	7	64	71	195	1,042	1,237			
South Australia ...	5	25	30	7	405	412			
	25	89	114	305	1,447	1,752	840	42 0 0	Free. From Aug. 18, '98, 5 per cent.
HARROWS:									
United Kingdom ...	15	...	15	39	...	39			
Victoria	...	21	21	...	83	83			
South Australia ...	...	15	15	...	51	51			
New South Wales...	...	3	3	...	15	15			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	16	...	16			
	22	39	61	55	149	204	...	...	Free.
HORSE-GEAR									
United Kingdom ...	6	...	6	24	...	24			
Victoria	...	7	7	...	35	35			
South Australia ...	...	8	8	...	33	33			
	6	15	21	24	68	92	24	1 4 0	Free. From Aug. 18, '98, 5 per cent.
HORSE-RAKES:									
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	3	3	...	...	Free.
PLOUGHS AND SHARES:									
United Kingdom ...	455	...	455	2,884	...	2,884			
Victoria	28	578	606	53	1,691	1,744			
South Australia ...	73	676	749	156	1,713	1,869			
New South Wales...	...	11	11	...	76	76			
U.S. of America ...	87	...	87	213	...	213			
	643	1,265	1,908	3,306	3,480	6,786	...	...	Free.
REAPERS, WINNOWERS, THRASHING, AND MOWING MACHINES:									
United Kingdom ...	71	...	71	506	...	506			
Victoria	11	53	64	69	1,399	1,468			
South Australia ...	59	297	356	626	5,822	6,448			
New South Wales...	1	1	2	29	3	32			
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Canada	173	...	173	972	...	972			
U.S. of America ...	670	...	670	5,390	...	5,390			
	986	351	1,337	7,593	7,224	14,817	10,064	503 4 0	Free. From Aug. 18, '98, 5 per cent.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	429	...	429	2,536	...	2,536			
Victoria	55	257	312	103	1,298	1,401			
South Australia ...	3	248	251	35	1,344	1,379			
New South Wales ..	...	167	167	...	660	660			
New Zealand ...	...	1	1	...	9	9			
France	4	...	4	39	...	39			
U.S. of America ...	544	...	544	2,085	...	2,085			
Germany	14	...	14	100	...	100			
	1,049	673	1,722	4,898	3,311	8,209	...	...	Free.
AIR BEDS AND CUSHIONS:									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	15	...	15			
Victoria	2	1	3	9	1	10			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	3	3			
New South Wales ...	...	2	2	...	27	27			
	4	4	8	24	31	55	55	5 10 0	10 per cent.

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	Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
		British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
ALKALIES.	BI-CARBONATE OF SODA :	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
	United Kingdom ...	1,574	...	1,574	681	...	681			
	Victoria	88	275	363	53	185	238			
	South Australia ...	27	34	61	23	21	44			
	New South Wales...	91	231	322	44	145	189			
	Singapore	2	...	2	2	...	2			
	France	2	...	2	1	...	1			
	U.S. of America ...	695	...	695	129	...	129			
		2,479	540	3,019	933	351	1,284	1,305	195 15 0	15 per cent.
	SODA ASH AND NITRATE OF POTASH :									
	United Kingdom ...	328	...	328	237	...	237			
	Victoria	...	92	92	...	126	126			
	South Australia ...	10	212	222	37	312	349			
	New South Wales...	...	59	59	...	68	68			
	Singapore	106	...	106	63	...	63			
		444	363	807	337	506	843	...	...	Free.
	SODA CAUSTIC :									
	United Kingdom ...	322	...	322	605	...	605			
	Victoria	18	36	54	45	56	101			
	South Australia ...	27	44	71	54	119	173			
	New South Wales...	1	27	28	1	86	87			
	Singapore	95	...	95	136	...	136			
		463	107	570	841	261	1,102	...	...	Free.
	SODA CRYSTALS :	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
	United Kingdom ...	94 4	...	94 4	280	...	280			
	Victoria	5 5	14 2	19 7	20	65	85			
	South Australia ...	10 10	3 1	13 11	56	18	74			
	New South Wales...	1 13	2 3	3 16	8	10	18			
	Singapore	3 10¾	...	3 10¾	21	...	21			
		115 2¾	19 6	134 8¾	385	93	478	134 18¾	269 17 6	2s. per cwt.
	SODA SILICATE :	packages	packages	packages						
	Victoria	1	4	5	1	8	9			
	South Australia ...	...	20	20	...	46	46			
	New South Wales...	...	3	3	...	5	5			
	Singapore	15	...	15	19	...	19			
		16	27	43	20	59	79	...	...	Free.
	N.O.E. :							£		
	United Kingdom ...	4	...	4	5	...	5			
	South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	2	2			
		4	1	5	5	2	7	7	0 7 0	5 per cent.
	ALUM :									
	United Kingdom ...	107	...	107	62	...	62			
	Victoria	3	2	5	2	2	4			
	South Australia ...	3	2	5	3	2	5			
	New South Wales ...	...	5	5	...	2	2			
		113	9	122	67	6	73	84	4 4 0	5 per cent.
AMMUNITION & EXPLOSIVES.	BLASTING GELATINE :									
	United Kingdom ...	1,725	...	1,725	6,767	...	6,767			
	Victoria	31	...	31	103	...	103			
	South Australia ...	40	...	40	192	...	192			
	Germany	1,200	...	1,200	3,970	...	3,970			
		2,996	...	2,996	11,032	...	11,032	...	...	Free.

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AMMUNITION AND EXPLOSIVES - *continued.*

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
CARTRIDGES:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	401	...	401	1,127	...	1,127			
Victoria	42	38	80	215	164	379			
South Australia ...	39	35	74	127	153	280			
New South Wales	4	4	8	28	25	53			
Singapore	17	...	17	124	...	124			
U.S. of America ...	156	...	156	419	...	419			
	659	77	736	2,040	342	2,382	2,320	232 0 0	10 per cent.
DETONATORS:									
United Kingdom ...	170	...	170	1,815	...	1,815			
Victoria	1	...	1	5	...	5			
South Australia ...	3	...	3	52	...	52			
New South Wales	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Germany	54	...	54	930	...	930			
	229	...	229	2,803	...	2,803	...	...	Free.
DYNAMITE:									
United Kingdom ...	1,400	...	1,400	3,855	...	3,855			
Victoria	50	...	50	138	...	138			
South Australia ...	80	...	80	269	...	269			
New South Wales	25	...	25	98	...	98			
	1,555	...	1,555	4,360	...	4,360	...	...	Free.
DYNAMITE GELATINE:									
United Kingdom ...	3,085	...	3,085	9,243	...	9,243			
Victoria	386	...	386	1,273	...	1,273			
South Australia ...	125	...	125	287	...	287			
Singapore	228	...	228	590	...	590			
Germany	2,400	...	2,400	6,860	...	6,860			
	6,224	...	6,224	18,253	...	18,253	...	...	Free
FIREWORKS:									
United Kingdom ...	3	...	3	15	...	15			
Victoria	105	12	117	102	43	145			
New South Wales...	1	1	2	4	1	5			
Singapore	52	...	52	45	...	45			
Hong Kong ...	3	...	3	3	...	3			
	164	13	177	169	44	213	213	42 12 0	20 per cent.
FUSE:									
United Kingdom ...	790	...	790	6,271	...	6,271			
Victoria	9	...	9	68	...	68			
South Australia ...	40	...	40	367	...	367			
New South Wales...	10	...	10	93	...	93			
Singapore	5	...	5	28	...	28			
Germany	22	...	22	165	...	165			
	876	...	876	6,992	...	6,992	...	...	Free.
GELIGNITE:									
United Kingdom ...	4,910	...	4,910	13,790	...	13,790			
Victoria	250	...	250	663	...	663			
South Australia ...	248	...	248	731	...	731			
Germany	8,000	...	8,000	18,000	...	18,000			
	13,408	...	13,408	33,184	...	33,184	...	...	Free.
GUN CAPS:									
United Kingdom ...	6	...	6	28	...	28			
Victoria	4	...	4	53	...	53			
South Australia ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Singapore	1	...	1	3	...	3			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	10	...	10			
	14	...	14	95	...	95	90	9 0 0	10 per cent.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
AMMUNITION AND EXPLOSIVES—*continued.*									
POWDER — GUN AND SPORTING:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£.	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1,100	...	1,100	113	...	113			
South Australia ...	40	...	40	5	...	5			
	1,140	...	1,140	118	...	118	1,565	26 1 8	4d. per lb.
POWDER, BLASTING:									
United Kingdom ...	208,000	...	208,000	3,569	...	3,569			
Germany	10,000	...	10,000	167	...	167			
	218,000	...	218,000	3,736	...	3,736	...	...	Free.
RACK-A-ROCK. SOLID:									
Victoria	43,200	...	43,200	1,658	...	1,658			
New South Wales	9,563	...	9,563	305	...	305			
	52,763	...	52,763	1,963	...	1,963	...	...	Free.
LIQUID;	packages	packages	packages						
Victoria	1,880	...	1,880	81	...	81			
New South Wales	6,210	...	6,210	238	...	238			
	8,090	...	8,090	319	...	319	...	...	Free.
SHOT:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
United Kingdom ...	8 8½	...	8 8½	137	...	137			
Victoria	0 15	0 8	1 3	21	9	30			
South Australia ...	0 17	0 17¾	1 14¾	18	21	39			
New South Wales...	0 2¼	...	0 2¼	2	...	2			
Singapore	1 7½	...	1 7½	24	...	24			
	11 10¼	1 5¾	12 16	202	30	232	13 10⅓	67 11 11	5s. per cwt.
N.O.E.:	packages	packages	packages						
Germany	2	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	Free.
ANCHORS:							£		
United Kingdom ...	157	...	157	223	...	223			
Victoria	...	3	3	...	1	1			
South Australia ...	2	...	2	2	...	2			
New South Wales ...	...	5	5	...	55	55			
Singapore	145	...	145	111	...	111			
	304	8	312	336	56	392	392	19 12 0	5 per cent.
ANIMALS, LIVING.									
BULLS FOR BREEDING:	No.	No.	No.						
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	94	...	94			
Victoria	...	26	26	...	878	878			
South Australia ...	...	44	44	...	782	782			
New South Wales	...	41	41	...	400	400			
	1	111	112	94	2,060	2,154 ✓	...	...	Free.
CALVES (under 6 months old):									
Victoria	...	15	15	...	59	59			
South Australia ...	...	7	7	...	15	15			
	...	22	22	...	74	74 ✓	...	...	Free.
CAMELS:							No.		
South Australia ...	...	106	106	...	2,180	2,180			
	...	106	106	...	2,180	2,180	106	212 0 0	40s. each.

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CATTLE FOR SLAUGHTER:	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	No.	£ s. d.	
Victoria	...	3,352	3,352	...	49,548	49,548			
South Australia ...	...	3,144	3,144	...	30,949	30,949			
New South Wales	...	9,532	9,532	...	89,562	89,562			
	...	16,028	16,028	...	170,059	170,059 ✓	16,028	20,295 15 0	30s. each. From 18th Aug., '98, 15s. each.
CATTLE FOR BREEDING (Cows):									
Victoria	...	145	145	...	1,596	1,596			
South Australia ...	...	95	95	...	861	861			
New South Wales	...	21	21	...	206	206			
	...	261	261	...	2,663	2,663 ✓	...	...	Free.
DOGS:									
United Kingdom ...	4	...	4	110	...	110			
Victoria	...	119	119	...	366	366			
South Australia ...	1	35	36	1	100	101			
New South Wales	...	8	8	...	58	58			
	5	162	167	111	524	635	167	167 0 0	20s. each.
DONKEYS:							£		
South Australia ...	...	6	6	...	10	10			
	...	6	6	...	10	10	10	1 10 0	15 per cent.
FOR THE ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS:	packages	packages	packages						
Victoria	...	79	79	...	1,031	1,031			
South Australia ...	...	4	4	...	106	106			
	...	83	83	...	1,137	1,137	...	...	Free.
GOATS:	No.	No.	No.						
South Australia ...	...	15	15	...	3	3	3	0 9 0	15 per cent.
HORSES:							No.		
United Kingdom	1	...	1	10	...	10			
Victoria	...	149	149	..	2,827	2,827			
South Australia ...	...	140	140	...	2,042	2,042			
New South Wales	...	22	22	...	425	425			
	1	311	312	10	5,294	5,304 ✓	312	312 0 0	20s. each.
HORSES FOR BREEDING:									
Victoria	...	12	12	...	195	195			
South Australia ...	...	91	91	...	1,338	1,338			
	...	103	103	...	1,533	1,533 ✓	...	...	Free.
MONKEYS:							£		
Victoria	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Singapore	14	...	14	7	...	7			
Cape Colony ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Timor	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	17	...	17	10	..	10	10	1 10 0	15 per cent.
PIGS:							No.		
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	10	...	10			
Victoria	...	2,373	2,373	...	2,648	2,648			
South Australia ...	...	1,787	1,787	...	2,829	2,829			
New South Wales	...	4,699	4,699	...	6,236	6,236			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	6	...	6			
	4	8,859	8,863	16	11,713	11,729 ✓	8,863	1,428 4 0	4s. each. From 18h Aug., '98, 2s each.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
ANIMALS, LIVING—*continued*									
PIGS FOR BREEDING:	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£		£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	11	...	11			
South Australia ...	...	13	13	...	61	61			
New South Wales...	...	12	12	...	66	66			
	1	25	26	11	127	138	...	...	Free.
POULTRY AND OTHER BIRDS:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	26	...	26	32	...	32			
Victoria	1	735	736	4	1,362	1,366			
South Australia ...	8	283	291	13	422	435			
New South Wales	2	120	122	1	203	204			
Singapore	31	...	31	15	...	15			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	5	...	5			
Germany	3	...	3	2	...	2			
	73	1,138	1,211	72	1,987	2,059	2,059	205 18 0	10 per cent.
SHEEP FOR SLAUGHTER:	No.	No.	No.				No.		
Victoria	...	20,154	20,154	...	12,237	12,237			
South Australia ...	...	18,923	18,923	...	14,336	14,336			
New South Wales	...	42,454	42,454	...	33,319	33,319			
	...	81,531	81,531	...	59,892	59,892	81,531	9.042 13 9	2s. 6d. each. From 18th Aug., '98, 1s. 3d. each.
SHEEP—RAMS:									
United Kingdom...	1	...	1	10	...	10			
Victoria	15	54	69	47	231	278			
South Australia ...	...	849	849	...	2,968	2,968			
	16	903	919	57	3,199	3,256	...	...	Free.
SHEEP—EWES:									
United Kingdom ...	3	...	3	15	...	15			
Victoria	...	17	17	...	69	69			
South Australia ...	...	276	276	...	722	722			
	3	293	296	15	791	806	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.:	packages	packages	packages				£		
Victoria	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	0 3 0	15 per cent.
APPAREL AND SLOPS:									
United Kingdom ...	4,846	...	4,846	141,493	...	141,493			
Victoria	304	713	1,017	9,434	27,129	36,563			
South Australia ...	154	252	406	3,045	7,978	11,023			
New South Wales ...	133	145	278	4,027	6,147	10,174			
Queensland	...	5	5	7	137	144			
New Zealand	1	2	3	21	29	50			
Tasmania	...	1	1	7	26	33			
Singapore	406	...	406	6,533	...	6,533			
India	1	...	1	38	...	38			
Ceylon	2	...	2	10	...	10			
Hong Kong	11	...	11	104	...	104			
U.S. of America ...	232	...	232	1,489	...	1,489			
Germany	18	...	18	291	...	291			
Egypt	...	...	...	1	...	1			
China	...	...	...	5	...	5			
Japan	4	...	4	24	...	24			
France	21	...	21	937	...	937			
	6,133	1,118	7,251	167,466	41,446	208,912	204,143	24,054 18 0	10 per cent. From 18th Aug., '98, 15 p. cent.
ARTISTS' MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	42	...	42	532	...	532			
Victoria	5	8	13	43	58	101			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	1	18	19			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	17	17			
Singapore	1	...	1	12	...	12			
France	1	...	1	3	...	3			
	49	12	61	591	93	684	684	102 12 0	15 per cent.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
Asbestos:	packages.	packages.	packages.	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United States	538	...	538	532	...	532			
Victoria	13	42	55	27	49	76			
South Australia ...	...	9	9	...	49	49			
Germany	20	...	20	6	...	6			
	571	51	622	565	98	663	...	...	Free.
Asphalt:									
United Kingdom ...	400	...	400	40	...	40			
Victoria	350	...	350	46	...	46			
New South Wales ...	...	25	25	...	64	64			
	750	25	775	86	64	150	...	...	Free.
Atlases, Maps, Charts, Globes, Copy-books, and Slates, for School use:									
United Kingdom ...	31	...	31	151	...	151			
Victoria	13	1	14	109	34	143			
South Australia ...	34	13	47	80	20	100			
New South Wales ...	17	2	19	18	47	65			
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1			
U.S. of America ...	41	...	41	45	...	45			
	137	16	153	404	101	505	...	...	Free.
Axle Grease:									
United Kingdom ...	304	...	304	144	...	144			
Victoria	78	315	393	53	231	284			
South Australia ...	3	155	158	6	73	79			
New South Wales ...	13	113	126	9	64	73			
Singapore	2	...	2	1	...	1			
U.S. of America ...	359	...	359	161	...	161			
	759	583	1,342	374	368	742	742	111 6 0	15 per cent.
Bags, Sacks, Bagging, in the piece:									
United Kingdom ...	18	...	18	156	...	156			
Victoria	470	905	1,375	3,083	4,555	7,638			
South Australia ...	294	708	1,002	2,052	3,932	5,984			
New South Wales ...	35	414	449	256	1,308	1,564			
Singapore	916	...	916	5,803	...	5,803			
India	512	...	512	3,171	...	3,171			
	2,245	2,027	4,272	14,521	9,795	24,316	...	...	Free.
Basket and Wicker Ware:									
United Kingdom ...	73	...	73	385	...	385			
Victoria	17	109	126	43	176	219			
South Australia ...	7	102	109	14	108	122			
New South Wales ...	24	3	27	23	16	39			
Singapore	39	...	39	54	...	54			
Hong Kong	1	...	1	3	...	3			
France	...	...	...	4	...	4			
Germany	45	...	45	275	...	275			
Japan	6	...	6	37	...	37			
	212	214	426	838	300	1,138	1,130	169 10 0	15 per cent.
Beans:	bushels	bushels	bushels				bushels		
United Kingdom ...	282	...	282	67	...	67			
Victoria	46	478¾	524¾	13	173	186			
South Australia ...	17¼	189	206¼	5	61	66			
New South Wales ...	26	110½	136½	10	32	42			
Singapore	223¼	...	223¼	44	...	44			
France	7	...	7	2	...	2			
U.S. of America ...	4	...	4	1	...	1			
	605½	778¼	1,383¾	142	266	408	1,338⅚	33 9 5	6d. per bushel.

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BEER.									
In Wood :	gallons	gallons	gallons	£	£	£	gallons	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	232,664	...	232,664	18,951	...	18,951			
Victoria	780	994	1,774	80	91	171			
South Australia ...	1,000	...	1,000	80	...	80			
Singapore	4,228	...	4,228	328	...	328			
Germany	8	...	8	1	...	1			
	238,680	994	239,674	19,440	91	19,531	219,454$\frac{7}{15}$	13,715 18 1	1s. 3d. per gallon.
In Bottle :									
United Kingdom ...	327,255	...	327,255	53,293	...	53,293			
Victoria	38,898	19,873	58,771	5,944	2,903	8,847			
South Australia ...	10,321	3,919	14,240	1,678	615	2,293			
New South Wales	5,633	1,660	7,293	758	253	1,011			
Singapore	16,457	...	16,457	2,771	...	2,771			
France	10,018	...	10,018	1,413	...	1,413			
Germany	38,219	...	38,219	5,451	...	5,451			
Belgium	4,454	...	4,454	589	...	589			
	451,255	25,452	476,707	71,897	3,771	75,668	505,231$\frac{7}{9}$	37,892 7 8	1s. 6d. per gallon.
Beer—Ginger, Hop, and Spruce.	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	32	...	32	16	...	16			
Victoria	...	15	15	...	39	39			
New South Wales ...	...	10	10	...	13	13			
Queensland	...	5	5	...	4	4			
Singapore	2	...	2	2	...	2			
	34	30	64	18	56	74	84	16 16 0	20 per cent.
Bees :									
South Australia ...	...	28	28	...	56	56	...	...	Free.
Beeswax :	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	22	...	22	1	...	1			
Victoria	7	63	70	1	4	5			
South Australia ...	19	491½	510½	1	30	31			
New South Wales ...	...	192	192	...	10	10			
	48	746½	794½	3	44	47✓	812½	6 15 5	2d. per lb.
Bellows, Smiths' :	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	49	...	49	258	...	258			
Victoria	10	12	22	43	22	65			
South Australia ...	16	...	16	32	...	32			
New South Wales ...	3	...	3	5	...	5			
Singapore	2	...	2	13	...	13			
	80	12	92	351	22	373	...	...	Free.
Bells for Places of Worship :									
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	4	4	...	...	Free.
Belting for Machinery :							£		
United Kingdom ...	175	...	175	5,923	...	5,923			
Victoria	12	63	75	228	1,904	2,132			
South Australia ...	3	29	32	106	1,047	1,153			
New South Wales ...	1	17	18	2	602	604			
Singapore	2	...	2	40	...	40			
Germany	8	...	8	201	...	201			
	201	109	310	6,500	3,553	10,053	903	45 3 0	Free. From 18/8/98, 5 per cent.; from Oct., 1898, free.

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Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	614	...	614	19,255	...	19,255			
Victoria	191	348	539	4,270	7,901	12,171			
South Australia ...	56	65	121	567	653	1,220			
New South Wales ...	43	35	78	609	460	1,069			
Queensland	1	1	2	63	8	71			
Singapore	6	...	6	84	...	84			
India	1	...	1	67	...	67			
France	2	...	2	141	...	141			
U.S. of America ...	15	...	15	376	...	376			
Germany	23	...	23	248	...	248			
	952	449	1,401	25,680	9,022	34,702	36,043	5,406 9 0	15 per cent.
Billiard Tables and Accessories:									
United Kingdom ...	30	...	30	434	...	434			
Victoria	17	354	371	230	4,564	4,794			
South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	2	2			
New South Wales ...	5	2	7	42	33	75			
Singapore	1	...	1	18	...	18			
	53	358	411	724	4,599	5,323	5,021	1,004 4 0	20 per cent.
Bird Cages:									
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	43	...	43			
Victoria	8	31	39	23	60	83			
South Australia ...	2	9	11	11	28	39			
New South Wales ...	...	5	5	...	11	11			
U.S. of America ...	34	...	34	77	...	77			
	54	45	99	154	99	253	253	50 12 0	20 per cent.
Biscuits:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ..	14,021	...	14,021	449	...	449			
Victoria	866	403,021	403,887	19	8,880	8,899			
South Australia ...	470	18,730	19,200	12	430	442			
New South Wales ...	...	38,483	38,483	...	794	794			
Tasmania	...	555½	555½	...	12	12			
Singapore	4,076	...	4,076	94	...	94			
France	701	...	701	34	...	34			
U.S. of America ...	203	...	203	6	...	6			
Germany	982	...	982	35	...	35			
Belgium	134	...	134	11	...	11			
Japan	359	...	359	4	...	4			
	21,812	460,789½	482,601½	664	10,116	10,780✓	474,542½	3,954 10 5	2d. per lb.
Blankets and Rugs:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	612	...	612	7,955	...	7,955			
Victoria	14	72	86	110	1,060	1,170			
South Australia ...	15	98	113	103	1,212	1,315			
New South Wales ...	5	8	13	55	89	144			
Singapore	48	...	48	541	...	541			
Hong Kong	3	...	3	32	...	32			
France	2	...	2	42	...	42			
Germany	22	...	22	211	...	211			
Japan	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	722	178	900	9,050	2,361	11,411	...	...	Free.
Blocks and Sheaves:									
United Kingdom ...	68	...	68	544	...	544			
Victoria	25	3	28	74	46	120			
South Australia ...	10	1	11	11	2	13			
New South Wales ...	2	...	2	15	25	40			
Singapore	11	...	11	74	...	74			
France	2	...	2	15	...	15			
U.S. of America ...	11	...	11	67	...	67			
	129	4	133	800	73	873	...	...	Free.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
BLUE:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	364	...	364	862	...	862			
Victoria	39	24	63	61	58	119			
South Australia ...	11	52	63	22	131	153			
New South Wales ...	2	13	15	4	28	32			
Singapore	1	...	1	2		2			
France	10	...	10	23	...	23			
	427	89	516	974	217	1,191	1,204	180 12 0	15 per cent.
BLUESTONE:									
United Kingdom ...	47	...	47	29	...	29			
Victoria	11	40	51	10	39	49			
South Australia ...	46	43	89	41	43	84			
U.S. of America ...	20	...	20	15	...	15			
	124	83	207	95	82	177	177	8 17 0	5 per cent.
BOATS:	No.	No.	No.						
United Kingdom ...	5	...	5	49	...	49			
Victoria	...	13	13	...	226	226			
New South Wales ...	1	6	7	10	55	65			
Singapore	11	...	11	508	...	508			
Hong Kong	18	...	18	67	...	67			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	30	...	30			
Cape Colony	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Norway...	7	...	7	25	...	25			
	44	19	63	691	281	972	973	194 12 0	20 per cent.
BOILER FLUID:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	67	...	67	148	...	148			
Victoria	...	70	70	...	208	208			
South Australia ...	...	39	39	...	23	23			
New South Wales ...	...	10	10	...	44	44			
	67	119	186	148	275	423	...	...	Free.
BOILERS, LAND AND MARINE:									
United Kingdom ...	1,074	...	1,074	4,763	...	4,763			
Victoria	69	184	253	338	2,883	3,221			
South Australia ...	6	126	132	272	3,034	3,306			
New South Wales ...	...	183	183	...	2,224	2,224			
Singapore	2	...	2	90	...	90		✓	
	1,151	493	1,644	5,463	8,141	13,604	1,515	75 15 0	Free. From 18th Aug., '98, 5 per cent.; parts 10 per cent.
BOOKS, PRINTED:									
United Kingdom ...	1,372	...	1,372	20,335	...	20,335			
Victoria	204	115	319	3,033	2,138	5,171			
South Australia ...	46	77	123	361	1,041	1,402			
New South Wales ...	46	62	108	465	986	1,451			
Queensland	...	4	4	...	37	37			
Singapore	11	...	11	70	...	70			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	21	...	21			
Germany	5	...	5	33	...	33			
	1,691	258	1,949	24,318	4,202	28,520	...	...	Free.
BOOKBINDERS' MACHINERY AND MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	9	...	9	204	...	204			
Victoria	6	...	6	59	...	59			
South Australia ...	1	11	12	51	80	131			
New South Wales ...	...	2	2	...	50	50			
Germany	3	...	3	101	...	101			
	19	13	32	415	130	545	...	...	Free. (Machinery 5 per cent. from 18th Aug., 1898.)

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.				
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.			Rate of Duty and when imposed.
BOOT POLISH AND BLACKING :	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£	s.	d.	
United Kingdom ...	129	...	129	507	...	507					
Victoria	12	102	114	37	625	662					
South Australia ...	2	28	30	6	117	123					
New South Wales ...	23	18	41	40	80	120					
France	2	...	2	11	...	11					
U.S. of America ...	60	...	60	104	...	104					
	228	148	376	705	822	1,527	1,581	237	3	0	15 per cent.
BOOTS.											
MEN'S, INVOICED AT OR UNDER 10s. PER PAIR :	doz. prs.	doz. prs.	doz. prs.				doz. pairs				
United Kingdom ...	3,068$\frac{9}{12}$	...	3,068$\frac{9}{12}$	11,443	...	11,443					
Victoria	128$\frac{3}{12}$	890$\frac{9}{12}$	1,019	484	3,222	3,706					
South Australia ...	30$\frac{2}{12}$	783$\frac{3}{12}$	813$\frac{5}{12}$	46	1,838	1,884					
New South Wales ...	36$\frac{2}{12}$	813$\frac{9}{12}$	849$\frac{11}{12}$	129	2,696	2,825					
Singapore	32$\frac{8}{12}$	...	32$\frac{8}{12}$	107	...	107					
France	12$\frac{11}{12}$	...	12$\frac{11}{12}$	45	...	45					
U.S. of America ...	15$\frac{7}{12}$	...	15$\frac{7}{12}$	57	...	57					
Germany	39$\frac{1}{12}$	...	39$\frac{1}{12}$	168	...	168					
	3,363$\frac{7}{12}$	2,487$\frac{9}{12}$	5,851$\frac{4}{12}$	12,479	7,756	20,235	6,286$\frac{6}{12}$	5,657	16	9	18s. per doz. pairs.
WOMEN'S, INVOICED AT OR UNDER 6s. PER PAIR :											
United Kingdom ...	808$\frac{1}{12}$	...	808$\frac{1}{12}$	2,184	...	2,184					
Victoria	32$\frac{9}{12}$	350$\frac{6}{12}$	383$\frac{3}{12}$	75	925	1,000					
South Australia ...	5$\frac{4}{12}$	105$\frac{6}{12}$	110$\frac{10}{12}$	7	237	244					
New South Wales	3$\frac{8}{12}$	137$\frac{10}{12}$	141$\frac{6}{12}$	9	348	357					
Singapore	$\frac{4}{12}$	...	$\frac{4}{12}$	1	...	1					
France	14	...	14	40	...	40					
Germany	1$\frac{5}{12}$	...	1$\frac{5}{12}$	5	...	5					
	865$\frac{7}{12}$	593$\frac{10}{12}$	1,459$\frac{5}{12}$	2,321	1,510	3,831	1,459$\frac{4}{12}$	729	13	2	10s. per doz. pairs.
SHOES AND SLIPPERS FOR CHILDREN :	packages	packages	packages				£				
United Kingdom ...	559	...	559	7,375	...	7,375					
Victoria	31	138	169	694	2,127	2,821					
South Australia ...	33	66	99	459	997	1,456					
New South Wales	10	79	89	74	1,825	1,899					
Singapore	9	...	9	117	...	117					
France	8	...	8	70	...	70					
Germany	6	...	6	78	...	78					
	656	283	939	8,867	4,949	13,816	13,761	1,376	2	0	10 per cent.
N.O.E. :											
United Kingdom ...	1,590	...	1,590	27,400	...	27,400					
Victoria	28	227	255	564	4,940	5,504					
South Australia ...	28	64	92	492	1,488	1,980					
New South Wales	20	135	155	543	4,148	4,691					
Queensland ...	...	1	1	5	27	32					
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	1	2	3					
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	1	1					
Singapore	40	...	40	617	...	617					
Ceylon	...	...	...	3	...	3					
Hong Kong ...	...	...	...	2	...	2					
France	28	...	28	362	...	362					
U.S. of America ...	20	...	20	271	...	271					
Germany	32	...	32	999	...	999					
Japan	2	...	2	15	...	15					
Egypt	...	...	...	1	...	1					
Norway	...	...	...	1	...	1					
	1,788	427	2,215	31,276	10,606	41,882	47,464	7,119	12	0	15 per cent.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
BOOTS and SHOES, VAMPS, UPPERS, and LACES:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	160	...	160	1,879	...	1,879			
Victoria	14	67	81	225	1,637	1,862			
South Australia ...	3	24	27	3	132	135			
New South Wales ...	7	50	57	8	234	242			
Singapore	2	...	2	10	...	10			
	186	141	327	2,125	2,003	4,128	4,074	407 8 0	10 per cent.
BOTTLES, EMPTY:									
United Kingdom ...	4,667	...	4,667	3,545	...	3,545			
Victoria	137	1,848	1,985	186	2,816	3,002			
South Australia ...	8	142	150	22	225	247			
New South Wales ...	170	568	738	139	979	1,118			
Singapore	875	...	875	397	...	397			
U.S. of America ...	10	...	10	67	...	67			
Germany	102	...	102	187	...	187			
Belgium	1	...	1	32	...	32			
	5,970	2,558	8,528	4,575	4,020	8,595	8,508	425 8 0	5 per cent.
BOTTLING PLANT, WIRE, AND CAPSULES:									
United Kingdom ...	145	...	145	586	...	586			
Victoria	38	112	150	403	644	1,047			
South Australia ...	5	7	12	33	23	56			
New South Wales ...	3	36	39	13	251	264			
Singapore	18	...	18	56	...	56			
Germany	236	...	236	493	...	493			
	445	155	600	1,584	918	2,502	2,463	123 3 0	5 per cent.
BRAN:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
Victoria	...	3,485 1	3,485 1	...	11,525	11,525			
South Australia ...	...	1,283 5	1,283 5	...	4,705	4,705			
New South Wales ...	...	4,013 16	4,013 16	...	13,320	13,320			
New Zealand	...	66 3	66 3	...	263	263			
	...	8,848 5	8,848 5	...	29,813	29,813	8,802 14	8,802 13 11	20s. per ton.
BRASSWARE:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	266	...	266	2,990	...	2,990			
Victoria	33	129	162	135	805	940			
South Australia ...	36	26	62	91	119	210			
New South Wales ...	5	23	28	46	191	237			
New Zealand	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Singapore	14	...	14	103	...	103			
France	2	...	2	25	...	25			
Germany	8	...	8	60	...	60			
	365	178	543	3,452	1,115	4,567	4,505	675 15 0	15 per cent.
BREWERY AND DISTILLING PLANT:									
United Kingdom ...	92	...	92	1,614	...	1,614			
Victoria	1	12	13	6	196	202			
New South Wales ...	1	3	4	1	119	120			
	94	15	109	1,621	315	1,936	1,901	95 1 0	5 per cent.
BREWING MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	55	...	55	331	...	331			
Victoria	6	81	87	30	465	495			
South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	7	7			
New South Wales ...	6	7	13	23	83	106			
Germany	2	...	2	6	...	6			
	69	90	159	390	555	945	945	141 15 0	15 per cent.

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BRICKS.									
Air:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	68	...	68	233	...	233			
Victoria	3	...	3	5	...	5			
South Australia ...	1	2	3	1	3	4			
Singapore	2	...	2	5	...	5			
	74	2	76	244	3	247	257	38 11 0	15 per cent.
Bath:									
United Kingdom ...	53	...	53	6	...	6			
Victoria	130	20	150	15	3	18			
South Australia ...	...	52	52	...	7	7			
New South Wales...	32	...	32	3	...	3			
	215	72	287	24	10	34	34	5 2 0	15 per cent.
Fire:	No.	No.	No.						
United Kingdom ...	243,242	...	243,242	913	...	913			
Victoria	...	47,615	47,615	...	148	148			
South Australia ...	...	104,902	104,902	...	806	806			
New South Wales	...	406	406	...	3	3			
Singapore	3,500	...	3,500	11	...	11			
	246,742	152,923	399,665	924	957	1,881	1,881	376 4 0	20 per cent.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	18,006	...	18,006	74	...	74			
Victoria	...	357,713	357,713	...	589	589			
South Australia ...	...	11,314	11,314	...	45	45			
	18,006	369,027	387,033	74	634	708	708	216 17 2	20 per cent. From Aug. 18, 1898, 15s. per 1,000.
Bristles and Bass:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	3	...	3			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	2	2			
	1	1	2	3	2	5	5	0 5 0	5 per cent.
Brooms and Brushes:									
United Kingdom ...	335	...	335	3,833	...	3,833			
Victoria	109	194	303	343	571	914			
South Australia ...	141	100	241	452	309	761			
New South Wales ...	9	10	19	50	93	143			
Singapore	23	...	23	33	...	33			
France	1	...	1	8	...	8			
U.S. of America ...	53	...	53	406	...	406			
Germany	5	...	5	11	...	11			
Italy	5	...	5	24	...	24			
	681	304	985	5,160	973	6,133 ✓	6,005	600 10 0	10 per cent
Broom and Brush Makers' Material:									
United Kingdom ...	4	...	4	73	...	73			
Victoria	4	63	67	24	128	152			
South Australia ...	...	...	...	...	39	39	64 62		
New South Wales ...	...	17	17	...	65	65			
	8	80	88	97	232	329 ✓	...	...	Free.
BULLION.									
Gold:									
Victoria	...	1	1	...	213	213	...	...	Free.
Silver:									
Victoria	...	2	2	...	206	206	...	...	Free.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
BUNGS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
Victoria	1	27	28	4	53	57			
South Australia ...	...	10	10	...	43	43			
New South Wales ...	25	...	25	29	...	29			
France	1	...	1	15	...	15			
	27	37	64	48	96	144	144	7 4 0	5 per cent.
BUNTING, IN THE PIECE:									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	10	...	10			
New South Wales ...	1	...	1	11	...	11			
Singapore	3	...	3	2	...	2			
	5	...	5	23	...	23	23	1 3 0	5 per cent.
BUTTER:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	44,643	...	44,643	2,195	...	2,195			
Victoria	...	3,128,212	3,128,212	...	147,845	147,845			
South Australia ...	...	151,515	151,515	...	6,982	6,982			
New South Wales ...	...	739,451	739,451	...	36,512	36,512			
Queensland	...	2,520	2,520	...	138	138			
New Zealand	...	33,320	33,320	...	1,679	1,679			
Singapore	694	...	694	49	...	49			
India	1,600	...	1,600	54	...	54			
France	150	...	150	6	...	6			
Germany	207	...	207	7	...	7			
	47,294	4,055,018	4,102,312	2,311	193,156	195,467	4,138,685	34,489 0 10	2d. per lb.
CABLES AND CHAINS:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	380	...	380	1,636	...	1,636			
Victoria	10	13	23	30	60	90			
South Australia ...	1	4	5	3	25	28			
New South Wales ...	1	12	13	6	49	55			
Singapore	72	...	72	235	...	235			
	464	29	493	1,910	134	2,044	2,044	102 4 0	5 per cent.
CAKES AND PUDDINGS:									
United Kingdom ...	107	...	107	211	...	211			
Victoria	31	9,388	9,419	43	15,078	15,121			
South Australia ...	...	399	399	...	674	674			
New South Wales ...	...	255	255	...	381	381			
Queensland	...	1	1	...	3	3			
New Zealand	...	17	17	...	18	18			
Tasmania	...	8	8	...	13	13			
Singapore	13	...	13	24	...	24			
Germany	2	...	2	4	...	4			
	153	10,068	10,221	282	16,167	16,449	16,480	2,472 0 0	15 per cent.
CANARY SEED:									
United Kingdom ...	54	...	54	105	...	105			
Victoria	10	101	111	16	146	162			
South Australia ...	2	55	57	2	53	55			
New South Wales ...	...	4	4	...	4	4			
Singapore	3	...	3	3	...	3			
Belgium	19	...	19	13	...	13			
	88	160	248	139	203	342	336	50 8 0	15 per cent.
CANDLES:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	71,765½	...	71,765½	1,067	...	1,067			
Victoria ...	6,238	20,812½	27,050½	122	390	512			
South Australia ...	10,961	25,256	36,217	189	464	653			
New South Wales ...	3,325	2,583	5,908	56	44	100			
Singapore	2,711	...	2,711	41	...	41			
India	12	...	12	1	...	1			
France	2,500	...	2,500	30	...	30			
Germany	41,300	...	41,300	590	...	590			
	138,812½	48,651½	187,464	2,096	898	2,994	235,683½	1,964 0 7	2d. per lb.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
Candlemakers' Material:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	67	...	67	370	...	370			
Victoria	466	103	569	1,065	242	1,307			
South Australia ...	...	200	200	...	698	698			
New South Wales ...	...	186	186	...	442	442			
Singapore	6	...	6	29	...	29			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	9	...	9			
Belgium	2	...	2	16	...	16			
	546	489	1,035	1,489	1,382	2,871	...	...	Free.
Cane, n.o.e.:									
Victoria	...	286	286	...	112	112			
Singapore	558	...	558	59	...	59			
	558	286	844	59	112	171	171	8 11 0	5 per cent.
Canvas:									
United Kingdom ...	560	...	560	6,843	...	6,843			
Victoria	13	8	21	151	63	214			
South Australia ...	16	11	27	111	90	201			
New South Wales ...	...	2	2	...	8	8			
Singapore	79	...	79	715	...	715			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	12	...	12			
	670	21	691	7,832	161	7,993	7,982	399 2 0	5 per cent.
Canvas Goods, n.o.e.:									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	7	...	7			
Victoria	...	3	3	...	14	14			
South Australia ...	4	14	18	16	62	78			
Norway	10	...	10	50	...	50			
	15	17	32	73	76	149	149	22 7 0	15 per cent.
Cardboard for Box-making:									
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	50	...	50			
Victoria	8	...	8	25	...	25			
South Australia ...	2	8	10	9	27	36			
New South Wales ...	...	5	5	...	4	4			
Germany	4	...	4	10	...	10			
	28	13	41	94	31	125	...	...	Free.
Cardboard (Unprinted), in the Flat:									
United Kingdom ...	54	...	54	422	...	422			
Victoria	13	7	20	80	22	102			
South Australia ...	14	9	23	66	40	106			
New South Wales ...	2	3	5	8	21	29			
U.S. of America ...	10	...	10	31	...	31			
	93	19	112	607	83	690	689	68 18 0	10 per cent.
Carpeting, Mats, Matting, Oil, and other Floor Cloths:									
United Kingdom ...	1,227	...	1,227	10,912	...	10,912			
Victoria	92	91	183	1,018	928	1,946			
South Australia ...	62	46	108	435	242	677			
New South Wales ...	2	25	27	13	185	198			
Singapore	760	...	760	1,904	...	1,904			
Hong Kong	57	...	57	9	...	9			
France	5	...	5	24	...	24			
U.S. of America ...	23	...	23	100	...	100			
Japan	19	...	19	29	...	29			
Germany	111	...	111	375	...	375			
	2,358	162	2,520	14,819	1,355	16,174	16,001	1,600 2 0	10 per cent.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
CART AND CARRIAGE MAKERS' MATERIAL:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1,251	...	1,251	2,147	...	2,147			
Victoria	204	470	674	474	1,086	1,560			
South Australia ...	238	195	433	211	382	593			
New South Wales ...	2	40	42	10	163	173			
U.S. of America ...	325	...	325	1,250	...	1,250			
	2,020	705	2,725	4,092	1,631	5,723	...	...	Free.
CARTS, CARRIAGES, AND WAGONS:									
United Kingdom ...	16	...	16	200	...	200			
Victoria	2	147	149	100	3,202	3,302			
South Australia ...	1	81	82	24	773	797			
New South Wales ...	3	111	114	77	995	1,072			
U.S. of America ...	55	...	55	418	...	418			
	77	339	416	819	4,970	5,789	5,643	1,128 12 0	20 per cent.
CARTRIDGE REFILLERS AND RECAPPERS:									
Victoria	2	1	3	2	2	4			
South Australia ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	3	1	4	3	2	5	5	0 10 0	10 per cent.
CARTRIDGE CASES:									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	4	...	4			
Victoria	2	2	4	12	9	21			
South Australia ...	1	1	2	1	1	2			
New South Wales ...	2	...	2	11	...	11			
	6	3	9	28	10	38	38	3 16 0	10 per cent.
CEMENT:	casks	casks	casks				casks		
United Kingdom ...	25,906	...	25,906	8,932	...	8,932			
Victoria	289	915	1,204	154	425	579			
South Australia ...	63	113	176	39	67	106			
New South Wales ..	1,625	170	1,795	785	52	837			
Singapore	250	...	250	158	...	158			
Belguim	700	...	700	308	...	308			
Germany	22,046	...	22,046	8,458	...	8,458			
	50,879	1,198	52,077	18,834	544	19,378	52,410½	5,241 1 0	2s. per cask.
CHAFF:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
Victoria	...	1,557 1	1,557 1	...	6,141	6,141			
South Australia ...	...	560 0	560 0	...	2,102	2,102			
New South Wales ...	...	22 0	22 0	...	108	108			
Tasmania	...	9 18	9 18	...	38	38			
	...	2,148 19	2,148 19	...	8,389	8,389	2,126 8½	3,189 12 10	30s. per ton.
CHALK, PREPARED:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	6	...	6	7	...	7			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	8	8			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	1	1			
	6	2	8	7	9	16	...	...	Free

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.			Rate of Duty and when imposed.
CHEESE:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£	s.	d.	
United Kingdom ..	8,732	...	8,732	326	...	326					
Victoria	315	800,784	801,099	7	16,633	16,640					
South Australia ...	...	24,230	24,230	...	544	544					
New South Wales ...	...	126,012	126,012	...	2,645	2,645					
Queensland	...	102	102	...	3	3					
New Zealand	...	40,923	40,923	...	773	773					
Singapore	1,039	...	1,039	36	...	36					
Germany	810	...	810	25	...	25					
Belgium	2,161	...	2,161	57	...	57					
Italy	19	...	19	2	...	2					
Holland	230	...	230	7	...	7					
	13,306	992,051	1,005,357	460	20,598	21,058 ✓	997,010⅙	11,190	16	3	3d. per lb. From Aug. 18th, 1898 2d. per lb.
CHICORY:											
United Kingdom ...	7,616	...	7,616	64	...	64					
Victoria	9,928	...	9,928	132	...	132					
South Australia ...	696	56	752	7	1	8					
France	896	...	896	8	...	8					
	19,136	56	19,192	211	1	212 ✓	22,364	279	11	0	3d. per lb.
CHICORY ROOT:	packages	packages	packages				£				
United Kingdom ...	150	...	150	53	...	53					
Victoria	100	108	208	58	68	126					
South Australia ...	5	...	5	5	...	5					
Belgium	130	...	130	49	...	49					
Germany	30	...	30	11	...	11					
	415	108	523	176	68	244 ✓	244	36	12	0	15 per cent.
CIDER AND PERRY:	gallons	gallons	gallons				gallons				
United Kingdom ...	1,124	...	1,124	284	...	284					
Victoria	51	20	71	11	4	15					
South Australia ...	...	10	10	...	1	1					
Singapore	25	...	25	8	...	8					
France	3	...	3	1	...	1					
Germany	1	...	1	1	...	1					
	1,204	30	1,234	305	5	310	878⅔	43	18	8	1s. per gal.
CIGARS:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.				
United Kingdom ...	3,968½	...	3,968½	2,109	...	2,109					
Victoria	6,485½	3,626¼	10,111¾	2,438	1,755	4,193					
South Australia ...	3,921	1,477	5,398	2,289	983	3,272					
New South Wales ...	4,888½	3,091¾	7,980¼	1,058	1,254	2,312					
Singapore	12,418¼	...	12,418¼	3,157	...	3,157					
Ceylon	81	...	81	18	...	18					
India	244¼	...	244¼	67	...	67					
Malta	1½	...	1½	1	...	1					
Egypt	20	...	20	20	...	20					
Belgium	621	...	621	169	...	169					
France	2,056¼	...	2,056¼	761	...	761					
Germany	6,359½	...	6,359½	2,199	...	2,199					
	41,065¼	8,195	49,260¼	14,286	3,992	18 278 ✓	[illegible],198	18,059	8	1	6s. per lb.
CIGARETTES:											
United Kingdom ...	42,032	...	42 032	13,296	...	13,296					
Victoria	1,990½	1,263¾	3,254¼	617	446	1,063					
South Australia ...	284½	625¼	909¾	118	176	294					
New South Wales ...	5,080½	2,131	7,211½	1,786	715	2,501					
New Zealand	...	115	115	...	30	30					
Singapore	431¾	...	431¾	162	...	162					
Ceylon	4½	...	4½	2	...	2					
India	2½	...	2½	1	...	1					
Egypt	182½	...	182½	101	...	101					
France	2	...	2	1	...	1					
U.S. of America ...	4,654¼	...	4,654¼	1,587	...	1,587					
Germany	55	...	55	10	...	10					
	54,720	4,135	58,855	17,681	1,367	19,048 ✓	61,401	18,420	5	8	6s. per lb.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
Clocks and Watches:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	252	...	252	8,542	...	8,542			
Victoria	73	62	135	1,701	941	2,642			
South Australia ...	28	29	57	556	412	968			
New South Wales ...	25	67	92	1,646	2,079	3,725			
Queensland	...	1	1	3	7	10			
New Zealand	...	1	1	1	3	4			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	17	...	17	152	...	152			
Hong Kong	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Cape Colony	1	...	1	1	...	1			
France	5	...	5	74	...	74			
U.S. of America ...	213	...	213	1,288	...	1,288			
Belgium	...	...	...	20	...	20			
Germany	9	...	9	155	...	155			
	624	160	784	14,140	3,443	17,583	17,387	1,987 4 0	10 per cent. From 18th Aug., '98, 15 per cent.
Closets, Earth:									
Victoria	2	2	4	8	32	40	40	6 0 0	15 per cent.
Coal:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	3,789 17	...	3,789 17	1,895	...	1,895			
Victoria	...	2,886 10	2,886 10	...	3,696	3,696			
South Australia ...	...	223 4	223 4	...	188	188			
New South Wales ...	...	125,280 16	125,280 16	...	78,450	78,450			
Singapore	20 0	...	20 0	17	...	17			
	3,809 17	128,390 10	132,200 7	1,912	82,334	84 246	...	...	Free.
Cocoa and Chocolate:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.						
United Kingdom ...	134,427	...	134,427	7,195	...	7,195			
Victoria	18,641	...	18,641	1,063	...	1,063			
South Australia ...	7,852	...	7,852	425	...	425			
New South Wales ...	4,666	310	4,976	251	43	294			
Singapore	1,216	...	1,216	60	...	60			
France	42	...	42	2	...	2			
Belgium	288	...	288	37	...	37			
Germany	830	...	830	63	...	63			
	167,962	310	168,272	9,096	43	9,139	...	...	Free.
Cocoa. — In Slabs:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
Victoria	568	...	568	33	...	33	...	...	Free.
Cocoa. — Nibs:									
United Kingdom ...	28	...	28	2	...	2	...	...	Free.
Coffee. — Raw:									
United Kingdom ...	36,875	...	36,875	1,763	...	1,763			
Victoria	48,146	...	48,146	2,280	...	2,280			
South Australia ...	6,800	...	6,800	298	...	298			
New South Wales	2,352	...	2,352	73	...	73			
Singapore	1 877	...	1,877	48	...	48			
Ceylon	3,676	...	3,676	147	...	147			
	99,726	...	99,726	4,609	...	4,609	...	...	Free.
Coffee. — Roast and Ground:									
United Kingdom...	378	...	378	17	...	17			
Victoria	420	495	915	24	21	45			
South Australia ...	618	216	834	29	13	42			
New South Wales	...	67	67	...	4	4			
Singapore	726	...	726	41	...	41			
	2,142	778	2,920	111	38	149	3,299	41 4 9	3d. per lb.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
COFFEE—*continued.*									
MIXED WITH CHICORY:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom...	2,035	...	2,035	83	...	83			
Victoria	943	1,201	2,144	39	44	83			
South Australia ...	503	384	887	17	19	36			
New South Wales	192	408	600	11	13	24			
Singapore	112	...	112	4	...	4			
France	43	...	43	4	...	4			
	3,828	1,993	5,821	158	76	234	13,655⅓	341 7 8	6d. per lb.
ESSENCE WITH CHICORY:									
United Kingdom ...	6,093	...	6,093	353	...	353			
Victoria	185	1,313	1,498	12	67	79			
South Australia ...	481	14	495	26	1	27			
France	43	...	43	4	...	4			
	6,802	1,327	8,129	395	68	463	...	...	6d. per lb.
COIN.									
GOLD:	packages	packages	packages						
Victoria	...	27	27	...	135,000	135,000	...	...	Free.
SILVER:									
Victoria	2	...	2	210	...	210	...	...	Free.
BRONZE:									
Victoria	6	...	6	90	...	90	...	...	Free.
COKE:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	6,581 12	...	6,581 12	6,274	...	6,274			
Victoria	...	164 6	164 6	...	305	305			
South Australia ...	...	37 16	37 16	...	76	76			
New South Wales ...	...	407 18	407 18	...	605	605			
Germany	617 8	...	617 8	1,607	...	1,607			
	7,199 0	610 0	7,809 0	7,881	986	8,867	...	...	Free.
CONDENSERS:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	378	...	378			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	690	690			
	2	3	5	378	690	1,068	1,068	160 4 0	15 per cent.
CONFECTIONERY:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	165,330¼	...	165,330¼	6,332	...	6,332			
Victoria	2,192½	10,993¾	13,186¼	99	463	562			
South Australia ...	920	8,412	9,332	24	346	370			
New South Wales ...	942	1,421	2,363	51	62	113			
Singapore	5,669½	...	5,669½	135	...	135			
France	1,614	...	1,614	45	...	45			
Japan	178	...	178	1	...	1			
U.S. of America ...	13,129	...	13,129	337	...	337			
Germany	49	...	49	5	...	5			
	190,024¼	20,826¾	210,851	7,029	871	7,900	215,812½	3,596 17 6	4d. per lb.
COPPER.									
ROD:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	49	...	49	335	...	335			
Victoria	2	6	8	4	50	54			
South Australia ...	...	29	29	...	110	110			
New South Wales...	...	9	9	...	12	12			
Singapore	6	...	6	29	...	29			
Germany	2	...	2	9	...	9			
	59	44	103	377	172	549	...	...	Free.

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COPPER—*continued*.									
SHEET:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	50	...	50	1,100	...	1,100			
Victoria	3	24	27	30	508	538			
South Australia ...	8	17	25	140	390	530			
Singapore	11	...	11	160	...	160			
Belgium	20	...	20	317	...	317			
Germany	11	...	11	317	...	317			
	103	41	144	2,064	898	2,962	...	...	Free.
WIRE:									
United Kingdom ...	21	...	21	140	...	140			
Victoria	4	4	8	8	28	36			
South Australia ...	1	1	2	18	4	22			
New South Wales	1	1	2	11	4	15			
Singapore	1	...	1	15	...	15			
	28	6	34	192	36	228	...	...	Free.
INGOT:									
Victoria	...	198	198	...	107	107			
South Australia ...	...	330	330	...	145	145			
New South Wales	...	315	315	...	156	156			
Germany	32	...	32	14	...	14			
	32	843	875	14	408	422	...	...	Free.
WARES, OF ALL KINDS:									
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	216	...	216			
Victoria	11	9	20	69	37	106			
South Australia ...	9	1	10	12	6	18			
New South Wales	3	6	9	24	37	61			
Singapore	2	...	2	1	...	1			
	39	16	55	322	80	402	402	60 6 0	15 per cent.
CORDAGE:									
United Kingdom ...	3,348	...	3,348	6,630	...	6,630			
Victoria	145	756	901	400	1,429	1,829			
South Australia ...	270	385	655	573	728	1,301			
New South Wales ...	9	299	308	38	536	574			
Singapore	504	...	504	988	...	988			
Hong Kong	2	...	2	3	...	3			
France	30	...	30	136	...	136			
U.S. of America ...	24	...	24	76	...	76			
	4,332	1,440	5,772	8,844	2,693	11,537	11,466	975 1 8	5 per cent. From 18th Aug., 1898: Coir Rope, 5s. per cwt.; Cordage, N.O.E., 8s. per cwt.
CORDIALS, NON-SPIRITUOUS:									
United Kingdom ...	533	...	533	282	...	282			
Victoria	48	365	413	34	393	427			
South Australia ...	1	50	51	3	55	58			
New South Wales ...	25	...	25	55	...	55			
Singapore	42	...	42	26	...	26			
	649	415	1,064	400	448	848	795	159 0 0	20 per cent.
CORKS:									
United Kingdom ...	369	...	369	1,990	...	1,990			
Victoria	73	100	173	476	725	1,201			
South Australia ...	21	33	54	70	138	208			
New South Wales ...	28	52	80	222	337	559			
Singapore	2	...	2	8	...	8			
France	11	...	11	92	...	92			
Germany	1	...	1	3	...	3			
Belgium	1	...	1	7	...	7			
	506	185	691	2,868	1,200	4,068	4,020	201 0 0	5 per cent.

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CORN.									
BARLEY:	bushels	bushels	bushels	£	£	£	bushels.	£ s. d.	
Victoria	...	5,836½	5,836½	...	1,155	1,155			
South Australia ...	...	110	110	...	25	25			
New South Wales	...	350	350	...	46	46			
	...	6,296½	6,296½	...	1,226	1,226	3,725	62 1 8	4d. per bushel.
BARLEY, MALTING:									
Victoria	...	1,837¼	1,837¼	...	476	476			
South Australia ...	...	4	4	...	1	1			
New South Wales	...	15,663	15,663	...	3,295	3,295			
	...	17,504¼	17,504¼	...	3,772	3,772	20,106⅓	502 13 2	6d. per bushel.
MAIZE AND GRAM:									
United Kingdom ...	22	...	22	9	...	9			
Victoria	69½	20,156	20,225½	2	2,100	2,102			
South Australia ...	...	162½	162½	...	27	27			
New South Wales...	...	4,991¼	4,991¼	...	657	657			
Singapore	295	...	295	55	...	55			
	386½	25,309¾	25,696¼	66	2,784	2,850	19,911⅙	497 15 8	6d. per bushel.
OATS:									
Victoria	3	649,743¼	649,746¼	1	72,407	72,408			
South Australia ...	...	15,148½	15,148½	...	1,679	1,679			
New South Wales...	...	41,245½	41,245½	...	4,918	4,918			
Queensland ...	...	1,088	1,088	...	123	123			
New Zealand ...	...	18,019¼	18,019¼	...	2,245	2,245			
Tasmania	...	4,812½	4,812½	...	505	505			
	3	730,057	730,060	1	81,877	81,878	727,903¾	12,131 14 7	4d. per bushel.
RYE:									
Victoria	8	147½	155½	2	34	36			
South Australia ...	...	13½	13½	...	3	3			
New South Wales...	...	77	77	...	16	16			
	8	238	246	2	53	55	247	4 2 4	4d. per bushel.
WHEAT:									
Victoria	...	212,844½	212,844½	...	41,225	41,225			
South Australia ...	...	43,517½	43,517½	...	8,961	8,961			
New South Wales...	...	34,003½	34,003½	...	6,487	6,487			
New Zealand ...	...	405	405	...	103	103			
Tasmania	...	800	800	...	130	130			
	...	291,570½	291,570½	...	56,906	56,906	288,664⅚	7,216 12 5	6d. per bushel.
CORNICES AND CEILING ROSES:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	6	...	6			
Victoria	...	26	26	...	138	138			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	1	1			
New South Wales ...	...	33	33	...	190	190			
	2	62	64	6	329	335	338	67 12 0	20 per cent.
COTTON WASTE:									
United Kingdom ...	361	...	361	1,632	...	1,632			
Victoria	27	...	27	160	...	160			
South Australia ...	49	...	49	305	...	305			
New South Wales ...	2	...	2	8	...	8			
Singapore	14	...	14	33	...	33			
	453	...	453	2,138	...	2,138	...	...	Free.

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CRICKET AND OTHER OUT-DOOR GAMES:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	134	...	134	1,785	...	1,785			
Victoria	25	35	60	280	339	619			
South Australia ...	21	39	60	108	308	416			
New South Wales ...	...	6	6	1	125	126			
Queensland	...	...	...	1	...	1			
Singapore	10	...	10	36	...	36			
France	2	...	2	44	...	44			
Germany	1	...	1	7	...	7			
	193	80	273	2,262	772	3,034	3,027	302 14 0	10 per cent.
CRUCIBLES AND RETORTS:									
United Kingdom ...	350	...	350	2,787	...	2,787			
Victoria	8	34	42	58	183	241			
South Australia ...	24	54	78	125	192	317			
New South Wales ...	1	4	5	57	24	81			
Singapore	11	...	11	68	...	68			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	8	...	8			
Germany	3	...	3	7	...	7			
	399	92	491	3,110	399	3,509	...	...	Free.
CUTLERY:									
United Kingdom ...	214	...	214	5,418	...	5,418			
Victoria	9	11	20	84	136	220			
South Australia ...	14	23	37	204	363	567			
New South Wales ...	2	8	10	21	195	216			
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	16	...	16	236	...	236			
Italy	...	...	...	2	...	2			
France	2	...	2	111	...	111			
U.S. of America ...	3	...	3	32	...	32			
Germany	9	...	9	192	...	192			
Belgium	...	...	...	1	...	1		✓	
	269	42	311	6,301	696	6,997	6,981	1,047 3 0	15 per cent.
CYANIDE:									
United Kingdom ...	2,036	...	2,036	23,957	...	23,957			
Victoria	191	14	205	2,346	132	2,478			
South Australia ...	139	13	152	1,764	462	2,226			
New South Wales ...	90	106	196	1,053	1,232	2,285			
Singapore	145	...	145	1,545	...	1,545			
Germany	310	...	310	2,991	...	2,991			
Belgium	130	...	130	1,291	...	1,291			
	3,041	133	3,174	34,947	1,826	36,773	...	...	Free.
DENTISTS' MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	49	...	49	595	...	595			
Victoria	24	8	32	285	79	364			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	9	9			
New South Wales ...	...	4	4	42	24	66			
	73	15	88	922	112	1,034	1,034	103 8 0	10 per cent.
DISINFECTANTS:									
United Kingdom ...	754	...	754	897	...	897			
Victoria	52	162	214	70	182	252			
South Australia ...	53	56	109	60	127	187			
New South Wales ...	3	74	77	10	100	110			
Singapore	56	...	56	62	...	62			
Germany	7	...	7	16	...	16			
	925	292	1,217	1,115	409	1,524	...	...	Free.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
DIVING APPARATUS (1):	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	37	...	37	1,314	...	1,314			
New South Wales ...	1	1	2	8	16	24			
Singapore	106	...	106	2,787	...	2,787			
	144	1	145	4,109	16	4,125	...	...	Free.
DIVING APPARATUS (2):									
Victoria	5	...	5	34	...	34	34	1 14 0	5 per cent.
DOG COLLARS:									
United Kingdom ...	12	...	12	29	...	29			
Victoria	1	21	22	4	44	48			
South Australia ...	...	10	10	...	25	25			
New South Wales ...	1	1	2	2	3	5			
	14	32	46	35	72	107	107	21 8 0	20 per cent.
DOORS:	No.	No.	No.						
United Kingdom ...	32	...	32	16	...	16			
Victoria	13	359	372	21	271	292			
South Australia ...	...	507	507	...	157	157			
New South Wales ...	1,059	817	1,876	483	347	830			
U.S. of America ...	8,730	...	8,730	3,004	...	3,004			
	9,834	1,683	11,517	3,524	775	4,299	4,086	1,036 1 0	20 per cent. From Aug. 18, '98—not exceeding 1½in., 3s. each; over 1½in., not exceeding 1¾in., 4s. each; over 1¾in., 5s. each.
DRAPERY:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	428	...	428	4,671	...	4,671			
Victoria	77	64	141	893	1,032	1,925			
South Australia ...	99	84	183	1,575	1,594	3,169			
New South Wales ...	21	22	43	168	348	516			
Singapore	146	...	146	853	...	853			
Hong Kong	...	...	...	1	...	1			
France	5	...	5	39	...	39			
Germany	5	...	5	193	...	193			
	781	170	951	8,393	2,974	11,367	11,176	✓ 558 16 0	5 per cent.
DRAPERY:									
United Kingdom ...	2,931	...	2,931	89,978	...	89,978			
Victoria	257	258	515	8,174	6,297	14,471			
South Australia ...	209	222	431	4,134	4,512	8,646			
New South Wales ...	61	145	206	2,404	3,779	6,183			
Queensland	...	1	1	1	3	4			
New Zealand	...	1	1	...	10	10			
Singapore	376	...	376	7,409	...	7,409			
Hong Kong	4	...	4	51	...	51			
India	..	...	...	3	...	3			
Japan	7	...	7	40	...	40			
Timor	13	...	13	7	...	7			
France	9	...	9	256	...	256			
U.S. of America ...	13	...	13	211	...	211			
	3,880	627	4,507	112,668	14,601	127,269	126,722	12,672 4 0	10 per cent.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
DRAPERY:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	3,671	...	3,671	107,233	...	107,233			
Victoria	222	545	767	7,460	15,540	23,000			
South Australia ...	194	193	387	3,733	4,898	8,631			
New South Wales ...	59	114	173	1,175	3,950	5,125			
Queensland	6	13	19	148	251	399			
New Zealand	...	1	1	2	26	28			
Tasmania	...	...	...	3	12	15			
Singapore	190	...	190	4,689	...	4,689			
Ceylon	1	...	1	25	...	25			
Hong Kong	3	...	3	71	...	71			
India	2	...	2	73	...	73			
Malta	1	...	1	9	...	9			
Belgium...	21	...	21	774	...	774			
Japan	7	...	7	499	...	499			
Italy	2	...	2	14	...	14			
Switzerland	1	...	1	14	...	14			
France	11	...	11	605	...	605			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	188	...	188			
Germany	32	...	32	927	...	927			
	4,428	866	5,294	127,642	24,677	152,319	152,196	22,829 8 0	15 per cent.
DRIPPING:									
Victoria	...	1,167	1,167	...	1,523	1,523			
South Australia ...	...	214	214	...	410	410			
New South Wales ...	...	1,243	1,243	...	1,598	1,598			
Queensland	...	237	237	...	377	377			
	...	2,861	2,861	...	3,908	3,908	3,911	586 13 0	15 per cent.
DRUGS AND APOTHECARIES' WARES:									
United Kingdom ...	4,476	...	4,476	28,145	...	28,145			
Victoria	645	1,986	2,631	2,910	7,662	10,572			
South Australia ...	390	661	1,051	1,191	2,542	3,733			
New South Wales ...	307	487	794	1,836	3,345	5,181			
Queensland	...	...	...	...	4	4			
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	2	2			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	226	...	226	591	...	591			
Hong Kong	1	...	1	13	...	13			
India	...	...	...	1	...	1			
Belgium...	70	...	70	70	...	70			
Japan	2	...	2	13	...	13			
Italy	1	...	1	16	...	16			
France	72	...	72	331	...	331			
U.S. of America ...	584	...	584	2,285	...	2,285			
Germany	312	...	312	1,034	...	1,034			
	7,086	3,134	10,220	38,436	13,556	51,992	52,003	7,800 ✓ 9 0	15 per cent.
DYERS' MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	14	...	14			
Victoria	...	7	7	...	22	22			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	30	30			
	10	10	20	14	52	66	...	...	Free.
EARTHEN AND CHINA WARE:									
United Kingdom ...	1,416	...	1,416	8,508	...	8,508			
Victoria	94	561	655	357	1,018	1,375			
South Australia ...	39	150	189	298	637	935			
New South Wales ...	40	211	251	342	826	1,168			
Queensland	7	...	7	22	...	22			
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	79	...	79	378	...	378			
Japan	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Italy	15	...	15	31	...	31			
France	6	...	6	105	...	105			
U.S. of America ...	6	...	6	7	...	7			
Germany	110	...	110	728	...	728			
	1,813	922	2,735	10,778	2,483	13,261	12,906	1,935 18 0	15 per cent.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
EARTHENWARE DRAIN PIPES:	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
Victoria	...	40,701	40,701	...	1,203	1,203			
South Australia	...	160	160	...	22	22			
New South Wales	...	790	790	...	16	16			
	...	41,651	41,651	...	1,241	1,241	1,241	186 3 0	15 per cent.
EARTH SCOOPS:	packages	packages	packages						
Victoria	...	3	3	...	11	11			
South Australia	...	13	13	...	41	41			
New South Wales	...	2	2	...	18	18			
	...	18	18	...	70	70	70	10 10 0	15 per cent.
EGGS:	doz.	doz.	doz.				doz.		
Victoria	...	97,386	97,386	...	5,238	5,238			
South Australia	...	865,895	865,895	...	44,497	44,497			
New South Wales	...	61,206	61,206	...	2,847	2,847			
Singapore	3,480	...	3,480	85	...	85			
	3,480	1,024,487	1,027,967	85	52,582	52,667	1,027,967½	8,566 7 11	2d. per doz.
ELECTRIC BELLS, CABLES, AND LIGHTING MATERIAL:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom	142	...	142	3,025	...	3,025			
Victoria	18	71	89	244	2,273	2,517			
South Australia	3	1	4	51	3	54			
New South Wales	12	71	83	171	1,325	1,496			
Singapore	7	...	7	167	...	167			
U.S. of America	3	...	3	3	...	3			
Germany	17	...	17	363	...	363			
	202	143	345	4,024	3,601	7,625	7,600	380 0 0	5 per cent.
ENAMELLED WARE, OF ALL KINDS:									
United Kingdom	425	..	425	1,841	...	1,841			
Victoria	45	40	85	173	120	293			
South Australia	65	65	130	221	213	434			
New South Wales	10	9	19	45	59	104			
Singapore	34	...	34	169	...	169			
France	5	...	5	27	...	27			
U.S. of America	1	...	1	5	...	5			
Germany	176	...	176	917	...	917			
Belgium	7	...	7	48	...	48			
	768	114	882	3,446	392	3,838	3,800	380 0 0	10 per cent.
ENGINE PACKING:									
United Kingdom	207	...	207	2,303	..	2,303			
Victoria	54	14	68	523	77	600			
South Australia	37	22	59	275	192	467			
New South Wales	2	2	4	5	124	129			
Singapore	15	...	15	112	...	112			
Germany	21	...	21	165	...	165			
Belgium	5	...	5	32	...	32			
	341	38	379	3,415	393	3,808	...	...	Free.
ESSENCES, BEING SPIRITUOUS COMPOUNDS:	gallons	gallons	gallons				gallons		
United Kingdom	218	...	218	630	...	630			
Victoria	32	198	230	78	492	570			
South Australia	8	40	48	20	65	85			
New South Wales	31	76	107	46	116	162			
Singapore	1	...	1	2	...	2			
France	4	...	4	13	...	13			
	294	314	608	789	673	1,462	652	521 11 10	16s. per gal.

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ESSENCES, NON-SPIRITUOUS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	23	...	23	171	...	171			
Victoria	7	25	32	33	130	163			
South Australia ...	...	4	4	2	7	9			
New South Wales ...	5	7	12	3	53	56			
Singapore	1	...	1	3	...	3			
France	1	...	1	3	...	3			
Italy	1	...	1	18	...	18			
	38	36	74	233	190	423	401	60 3 0	15 per cent.
FANCY GOODS AND TOYS:									
United Kingdom ...	735	...	735	6,239	...	6,239			
Victoria	96	163	259	490	752	1,242			
South Australia ...	95	118	213	587	556	1,143			
New South Wales ...	76	73	149	351	551	902			
Queensland	...	...	...	...	3	3			
New Zealand	...	15	15	...	31	31			
Singapore	138	...	138	488	...	488			
Ceylon	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Hong Kong	2	...	2	5	...	5			
India	2	...	2	15	...	15			
Belgium	5	...	5	114	...	114			
Japan	3	...	3	10	...	10			
France	9	...	9	55	...	55			
Germany	227	...	227	1,769	...	1,769			
U.S. of America ...	44	...	44	148	...	148			
	1,433	369	1,802	10,273	1893	12,166	11,661	2,332 4 0	20 per cent.
FARINACEOUS FOODS.									
ARROWROOT:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.						
United Kingdom ...	1,686	...	1,686	18	...	18			
Victoria	5,097	...	5,097	69	...	69			
South Australia ...	2,146	...	2,146	34	...	34			
	8,929	...	8,929	121	...	121 ✓	...	...	Free.
SAGO:									
United Kingdom ...	3,443	...	3,443	15	...	15			
Victoria	34,627	...	34,627	166	...	166			
South Australia ...	18,578	...	18,578	82	...	82			
Singapore	21,636	...	21,636	87	...	87			
	78,284	...	78,284	350	...	350 ✓	...	...	Free.
TAPIOCA:									
United Kingdom ...	5,863	...	5,863	27	...	27			
Victoria	41,140	...	41,140	256	...	256			
South Australia ...	6,350	...	6,350	31	...	31			
New South Wales	3,400	...	3,400	14	...	14			
Singapore	253,973	...	253,973	1,209	...	1,209			
	310,726	...	310,726	1,537	...	1,537 ✓	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	231,338	...	231,338	3,986	...	3,986			
Victoria	40,150	87,313	127,463	796	670	1,466			
South Australia ...	47,233	6,897	54,130	726	113	839			
New South Wales ...	17,776	4,544	22,320	229	63	292			
Singapore	4,471	...	4,471	97	...	97			
Hong Kong ...	178	...	178	1	...	1			
France	9,907	...	9,907	62	...	62			
Japan	300	...	300	1	...	1			
Italy	1,550	...	1,550	29	...	29			
U.S. of America ...	3,445	...	3,445	62	...	62			
	356,348	98,754	455,102	5,989	846	6,835	...	...	Free.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
Felt, Roofing:									
United Kingdom ...	54	...	54	44	...	44			
Victoria...	...	24	24	...	50	50			
South Australia ...	10	3	13	5	3	8			
New South Wales ...	6	3	9	14	4	18			
Singapore	1	...	1	2	...	2			
	71	30	101	65	57	122	109	16 7 0	15 per cent.
Filters:									
United Kingdom ...	62	...	62	301	...	301			
Victoria	14	22	36	64	75	139			
South Australia ...	4	6	10	10	217	227			
New South Wales ...	1	3	4	2	66	68			
	81	31	112	377	358	735	755	75 10 0	10 per cent.
Firearms and Accessories:									
United Kingdom ...	82	...	82	841	...	841			
Victoria	71	30	101	502	150	652			
South Australia ...	44	15	59	228	71	299			
New South Wales ...	14	7	21	125	51	176			
Queensland	...	3	3	...	2	2			
New Zealand	...	2	2	...	11	11			
Singapore	19	...	19	134	...	134			
Cape Colony	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Belgium...	3	...	3	41	...	41			
Italy	1	...	1	3	...	3			
Norway	1	...	1	1	...	1			
France	1	...	1	52	...	52			
U.S. of America ...	15	...	15	213	...	213			
Germany	4	...	4	29	...	29			
	256	57	313	2,171	285	2,456	2,416	241 12 0	10 per cent.
Fire-clay:									
United Kingdom ...	316	...	316	224	...	224			
Victoria	...	175	175	...	46	46			
South Australia ...	...	679	679	...	350	350			
	316	854	1,170	224	396	620	...	...	Free.
Fire-engines:									
United Kingdom ...	12	...	12	1,017	...	1,017			
Victoria	...	6	6	...	76	76			
	12	6	18	1,017	76	1,093	...	...	Free.
Fish. Dried and Salted:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	31,834	...	31,834	370	...	370			
Victoria	17,693	29,169	46,862	270	667	937			
South Australia ...	1,280	6,278	7,558	21	112	133			
New South Wales	32,553	4,940	37,493	602	89	691			
Singapore	1,281	...	1,281	19	...	19			
Hong Kong ...	258	...	258	8	...	8			
Japan	12	...	12	1	...	1			
	84,911	40,387	125,298	1,291	868	2,159	*	*	1d. per lb.

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* Quantity and duty included with Pickled and Preserved Fish.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
FISH—*continued.*									
PICKLED AND PRESERVED:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	487,759	...	487,759	8,814	...	8,814			
Victoria	102,654	116,438	219,092	2,201	2,778	4,979			
South Australia ...	83,112	59,070	142,182	1,639	1,248	2,887			
New South Wales	173,377	48,254	221,631	3,073	1,048	4,121			
Queensland ...	...	624	624	...	13	13			
New Zealand ...	480	1,512	1,992	7	55	62			
Singapore	12,402	...	12,402	247	...	247			
Hong Kong ...	1,138	...	1,138	15	...	15			
India	36	...	36	2	...	2			
Belgium	500	...	500	17	...	17			
France	7,806	...	7,806	208	...	208			
U.S. of America ...	35,230	...	35,230	778	...	778			
Germany	1,785	...	1,785	100	...	100			
	906,279	225,898	1,132,177	17,101	5,142	22,243	*1,264,868	†5,270 5 8	1d. per lb.
SHELL:	packages	packages	packages				£		
Victoria	...	2,021	2,021	...	1,998	1,998			
South Australia ...	...	49	49	..	23	23			
New South Wales	...	18	18	...	20	20			
Queensland ...	...	30	30	...	27	27			
	...	2,118	2,118	...	2,068	2,068	2,068	310 4 0	15 per cent.
FISHING MATERIAL, FANCY:									
United Kingdom ...	22	...	22	409	...	409			
Victoria	8	1	9	33	1	34			
South Australia ...	6	...	6	18	...	18			
New South Wales ...	2	...	2	7	...	7			
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	39	1	40	468	1	469	459	91 16 0	20 per cent.
FISHING NETS:									
United Kingdom ...	13	...	13	179	...	179			
Victoria	...	43	43	...	156	156			
South Australia ...	...	2	2	1	5	6			
New South Wales ...	...	6	6	...	16	16			
Singapore	5	...	5	9	...	9			
	18	51	69	189	177	366	366	54 18 0	15 per cent.
FLOCK, KAPOCK, AND HORSEHAIR:									
United Kingdom ...	92	...	92	357	...	357			
Victoria	1,615	377	1,992	2,520	477	2,997			
South Australia ...	97	522	619	226	158	384			
New South Wales ...	16	16	32	74	24	98			
Singapore	414	...	414	827	...	827			
France	1	...	1	2	...	2			
	2,235	915	3,150	4,006	659	4,665	...	...	Free.

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* Including Dried and Salted Fish.

† Including duty collected on Dried and Salted Fish.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
Flour :	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	£	£	£	tons cwts.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	0 3	...	0 3	2	...	2			
Victoria	20 0	4,513 10¾	4,533 10¾	246	45,563	45,809			
South Australia ...	...	5,724 14¼	5,724 14¼	...	61,130	61,130			
New South Wales ...	15 18	4,417 0	4,432 18	185	47,254	47,439			
Tasmania	...	6 0	6 0	...	54	54			
Singapore	163 15¼	...	163 15¼	1,934	...	1,934			
Hong Kong	2 0	...	2 0	17	...	17			
India	1 10	...	1 10	13	...	13			
Cape Colony	0 1	...	0 1	1	...	1			
Timor	2 0	...	2 0	12	...	12			
	205 7¼	14,661 5	14,866 12¼	2,410	154,001	156,411 ✓	14,860 6¾	22,290 10 ✓ 2	30s. per ton.
Flour, Self-raising :	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	1,560	...	1,560	42	...	42			
Victoria	...	30,629	30,629	...	278	278			
South Australia ...	...	36,090	36,090	...	259	259	157,009		
New South Wales ...	...	2,184	2,184	...	19	19			
	1,560	68,903	70,463	42	556	598 ✓	71,057	296 1 ✓ 5	1d. per lb.
Forges, Anvils, and Vices :	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	523	...	523	859	...	859			
Victoria	8	11	19	23	46	69			
South Australia ...	34	17	51	93	29	122			
New South Wales ...	3	...	3	4	...	4			
Singapore	59	...	59	101	...	101			
U. S. of America ...	23	...	23	113	...	113			
	650	28	678	1,193	75	1,268	...	...	Free.
Fruits.									
Bottled and Tinned :							£		
United Kingdom ...	1,802	...	1,802	1,438	...	1,438			
Victoria	10,134	20,089	30,223	3,812	9,829	13,641			
South Australia ...	964	1,938	2,902	397	985	1,382			
New South Wales...	22,044	3,842	25,886	8,534	1,535	10,069			
New Zealand ...	...	20	20	...	9	9			
Tasmania	...	1,182	1,182	...	637	637			
Singapore	7,051	...	7,051	2,240	...	2,240			
Hong Kong ...	9	...	9	4	...	4			
France	56	...	56	49	...	49			
U.S. of America ...	1,346	...	1,346	602	...	602			
Germany	501	...	501	402	...	402			
Japan	4	...	4	1	...	1			
	43,911	27,071	70,982	17,479	12,995	30,474 ✓	30,417	4,562 11 0	15 per cent.
Currants :	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	129,057	...	129,057	1,110	...	1,110			
Victoria	31,395	131,736	163,131	315	1,468	1,783			
South Australia ...	139,866	60,799	200,665	1,125	558	1,683			
New South Wales..	...	4,617	4,617	...	51	51			
Singapore	6,009	...	6,009	67	...	67			
France	56	...	56	1	...	1			
	306,383	197,152	503,535	2,618	2,077	4,695 ✓	525,200½	4,376 13 5	2d. per lb.

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Fruits—continued.									
Dates:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	71,233	...	71,233	389	...	389			
Victoria	28,548	3,129	31,677	228	22	250			
South Australia ...	28,146	11,761	39,907	189	77	266			
New South Wales...	8,390	695	9,085	58	5	63			
Singapore	1,392	...	1,392	12	...	12			
Egypt	15,000	...	15,000	106	...	106			
	152,709	15,585	168,294	982	104	1,086 ✓	180,501	752 1 9	1d. per lb.
Raisins:									
United Kingdom ...	75,568	...	75,568	1,049	...	1,049			
Victoria	12,617	77,718	90,335	246	1,223	1,469			
South Australia ...	32,346	50,349	82,695	502	878	1,380			
New South Wales...	5,324	7,334	12,658	87	136	223			
Singapore	3,079	...	3,079	38	...	38			
France	2,715	...	2,715	31	...	31			
Belgium	1,500	...	1,500	15	...	15			
Egypt	19,049	...	19,049	275	...	275			
	152,198	135,401	287,599	2,243	2,237	4,480 ✓	275,052⅓	3,438 3 1	3d. per lb.
Dried: n.o.e.									
United Kingdom ...	11,181	...	11,181	256	...	256			
Victoria	10,183	45,930½	56,113½	219	955	1,174			
South Australia ...	2,086	47,118	49,204	37	849	886			
New South Wales	5,112	10,869	15,981	120	171	291	3	804	
Tasmania	...	1,080	1,080	...	23	23			
Singapore	1,661½	...	1,661½	31	...	31			
France	1,998	...	1,998	26	...	26			
U.S. of America ...	1,509	...	1,509	29	...	29			
	33,730½	104,997½	138,728	718	1,998	2,716 ✓	138,738⅔	1,734 4 8	3d. per lb.
Green, all kinds:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	299	...	299	167	...	167			
Victoria	609	18,624	19,233	321	6,622	6,943			
South Australia ...	79	7,220	7,299	41	2,476	2,517			
New South Wales...	67	23,181	23,248	44	5,330	5,374			
Queensland ...	...	36	36	...	8	8			
Singapore	692	...	692	333	...	333			
Ceylon	2	...	2	10	...	10			
Italy	4,100	...	4,100	1,893	...	1,893			
	5,848	49,061	54,909	2,809	14,436	17,245 ✓	17,245	1,724 10 0	10 per cent.
Pulp:		lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
Victoria	...	360	360	...	4	4 ✓	360	3 0 0	2d. per lb.
Furniture.									
Bedsteads:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	541	...	541	3,107	...	3,107			
Victoria	105	104	209	458	510	968			
South Australia ...	24	30	54	49	170	219			
New South Wales	37	4	41	13	29	42			
Singapore	10	...	10	15	...	15			
France	5	...	5	13	...	13			
Germany	19	...	19	19	...	19			
	741	138	879	3,674	709	4,383	3,962	198 2 0	5 per cent.

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FURNITURE—*continued.*									
MAKERS' MATERIAL:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	229	...	229			
Victoria	1	8	9	51	81	132			
South Australia ...	...	23	23	...	54	54			
New South Wales	...	1	1	...	4	4			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	3	...	3			
	16	32	48	283	139	422	...	...	Free.
WIRE MATTRESSES:									
United Kingdom ...	55	...	55	203	...	203			
Victoria	69	174	243	69	374	443			
South Australia ..	5	127	132	9	125	134			
New South Wales	7	8	15	7	19	26			
Singapore	8	...	8	19	...	19			
Germany	50	...	50	70	...	70			
	194	309	503	377	518	895	782	117 6 0	15 per cent
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	691	...	691	4,125	...	4,125			
Victoria	320	2,479	2,799	1,204	7,397	8,601			
South Australia ...	24	266	290	89	646	735			
New South Wales...	150	177	327	463	504	967			
Queensland ...	...	1	1	...	2	2			
Singapore	3,178	...	3,178	1,750	...	1,750			
Ceylon	1	...	1	24	...	24			
Hong Kong ...	102	...	102	45	...	45			
France	7	...	7	37	...	37			
Belgium	9	...	9	30	...	30			
Japan	31	...	31	73	...	73			
Norway	11	...	11	6	...	6			
U.S. of America ...	520	...	520	1,764	...	1,764			
Germany	883	...	883	2,035	...	2,035			
	5,927	2,923	8,850	11,645	8,549	20,194	20,419	4,083 16 0	20 per cent.
GAME (DEAD).									
POULTRY:									
United Kingdom ...	29	...	29	11	...	11			
Victoria	...	113	113	...	919	919			
South Australia ...	...	19	19	...	45	45			
	29	132	161	11	964	975 ✓	975	97 10 0	10 per cent.
RABBITS AND HARES:									
United Kingdom ...	...	...	...	1	...	1			
Victoria	...	463	463	...	375	375			
South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	6	6	14 12		
New South Wales...	...	93	93	...	55	55			
	...	558	558	1	436	437 ✓	437	65 11 0	15 per cent.
GARDEN ROLLERS:									
United Kingdom ...	15	...	15	20	...	20			
Victoria	2	3	5	9	18	27			
South Australia ...	2	...	2	10	...	10			
New South Wales ...	...	2	2	...	29	29			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	7	...	7			
	20	5	25	46	47	93	93	9 6 0	10 per cent.

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GINGER.									
WHOLE:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	7,574	...	7,574	122	...	122			
Victoria	6,741	124	6,865	158	2	160			
South Australia ...	3,821	...	3,821	62	...	62			
New South Wales...	344	1,853	2,197	9	41	50			
Singapore	1,552	...	1,552	23	...	23			
	20,032	1,977	22,009	374	43	417	21,575½	179 15 11	2d. per lb.
GROUND:									
United Kingdom ...	1,421	...	1,421	27	...	27			
Victoria	1,231	1,409	2,640	34	43	77			
South Australia ...	770	140	910	18	3	21			
New South Wales...	95	...	95	3	...	3			
France	119	...	119	2	...	2			
	3,636	1,549	5,185	84	46	130	4,867½	81 2 6	4d. per lb.
GLASS.									
COLOURED, FOR CHURCH WINDOWS:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	71	...	71			
Victoria	7	...	7	56	...	56			
	9	...	9	127	...	127	...	...	Free.
SHEET:									
United Kingdom ...	2,457	...	2,457	3,907	...	3,907	£		
Victoria	211	218	429	474	395	869			
South Australia ...	237	283	520	189	230	419			
New South Wales...	1	1	2	1	2	3			
Singapore	9	...	9	5	...	5			
Belgium	1,639	...	1,639	1,405	...	1,405			
Germany	1,373	...	1,373	847	...	847			
	5,927	502	6,429	6,828	627	7,455	7,453	745 6 0	10 per cent.
WARE:									
United Kingdom ...	928	...	928	4,825	...	4,825			
Victoria	41	130	171	319	743	1,062			
South Australia ...	81	88	169	568	671	1,239			
New South Wales...	34	74	108	161	373	534			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	153	...	153	586	...	586			
Hong Kong ...	...	...	...	1	...	1			
France	3	...	3	18	...	18			
Belgium	107	...	107	438	...	438			
U.S. of America ...	72	...	72	183	...	183			
Germany	222	...	222	878	...	878			
	1,641	292	1,933	7,977	1,789	9,766	9,793	1,468 19 0	15 per cent.
GLUCOSE:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwt.		
United Kingdom ...	7 13	...	7 13	77	...	77			
Victoria	2 5½	6 7¼	8 12¾	29	78	107			
South Australia ...	...	0 16	0 16	...	17	17			
New South Wales ...	3 0	6 17¾	9 17¾	31	79	110			
U.S. of America ...	0 5½	...	0 5½	2	...	2			
	13 4	14 1	27 5	139	174	313	22 10	44 19 11	2s. per cwt.

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GLUE:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	21,337	...	21,337	382	...	382			
Victoria	1,965	7,896	9,861	38	153	191			
South Australia ...	722	7,485	8,207	12	123	135			
	24,024	15,381	39,405	432	276	708	41,431	172 12 7	1d. per lb.
GOLD AND SILVER LEAF:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	41	...	41	654	...	654			
Victoria	4	3	7	25	9	34			
South Australia ...	1	2	3	19	20	39			
New South Wales ...	1	2	3	38	65	103			
Singapore	1	...	1	21	...	21			
Germany	1	...	1	2	...	2			
	49	7	56	759	94	853	823	164 12 0	20 per cent.
GOVERNMENT STORES:									
United Kingdom ...	20,952	...	20,952	79,485	...	79,485			
Victoria	142	844	986	804	3,584	4,388			
South Australia ...	114	463	577	585	4,520	5,105			
New South Wales ...	34	568	602	411	2,368	2,779			
Singapore	4,263	...	4,263	12,855	...	12,855			
U.S. of America ...	23	...	23	251	...	251			
Germany	7	...	7	110	...	110			
	25,535	1,875	27,410	94,501	10,472	104,973	...	...	Free.
GOVERNOR'S STORES:									
United Kingdom ...	12	...	12	160	...	160	...	...	Free.
Germany	2	...	2	2	...	2			
	14	...	14	162	...	162	...	...	Free.
GRAPHOSCOPES AND STEREOSCOPES:									
Victoria	3	4	7	41	39	80			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	12	12			
	3	5	8	41	51	92	52	10 8 0	20 per cent.
HAIR, FANCY, AND WIGS:									
United Kingdom ...	6	...	6	100	...	100			
Victoria	...	3	3	4	33	37			
South Australia ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
New South Wales ...	2	1	3	37	5	42			
Queensland	...	1	1	...	7	7			
	9	5	14	142	45	187	168	33 12 0	20 per cent.
HAMMOCKS:									
United Kingdom ...	5	...	5	15	...	15			
Victoria	...	3	3	...	2	2			
South Australia ...	1	4	5	6	3	9			
New South Wales ...	...	2	2	...	2	2			
	6	9	15	21	7	28	25	5 0 0	20 per cent.

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HAND TRUCKS AND PARTS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Victoria...	4	...	4	5	...	5			
U. S. of America ...	27	...	27	58	...	58			
	32	...	32	64	...	64	64	12 16 0	20 per cent.
HARNESS AND SADDLERY.									
OIL, LEATHER DRESSING, AND COMPOSITION:									
United Kingdom ...	16	...	16	80	...	80			
Victoria	8	16	24	23	46	69			
South Australia ...	6	29	35	31	144	175			
New South Wales ...	3	7	10	12	10	22			
U. S. of America ...	44	...	44	67	...	67			
	77	52	129	213	200	413	413	20 13 0	5 per cent.
RIDING SADDLES AND FLAPS:									
United Kingdom ...	35	...	35	196	...	196			
Victoria	3	48	51	4	236	240			
South Australia ...	15	78	93	95	597	692			
New South Wales ...	4	8	12	37	59	96			
Singapore	1	...	1	4	...	4			
Germany	1	...	1	4	...	4			
	59	134	193	340	892	1,232	1,169	233 16 0	20 per cent.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	81	...	81	1,012	...	1,012			
Victoria	10	101	111	53	1,000	1,053			
South Australia ...	10	131	141	140	1,440	1,580			
New South Wales ...	2	22	24	13	273	286			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	4	4			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	2	2			
Singapore	6	...	6	34	...	34			
France	1	...	1	7	...	7			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	49	...	49			
Germany	1	...	1	55	...	55			
	118	254	372	1,363	2,719	4,082	4,013	601 19 0	15 per cent.
HATS AND BONNETS.									
HATS AND CAPS FOR MEN:									
United Kingdom ...	581	...	581	9,467	...	9,467			
Victoria	28	30	58	197	345	542			
South Australia ...	33	53	86	501	758	1,259			
New South Wales	7	37	44	122	516	638			
Queensland ...	...	1	1	...	9	9			
New Zealand ...	...	4	4	...	1	1			
Tasmania	...	4	4	...	1	1			
Singapore	77	...	77	596	...	596			
Ceylon	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Germany	27	...	27	675	...	675			
Japan	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	755	129	884	11,561	1,630	13,191	13,131	1,554 14 0	10 per cent. From 18th Aug., 1898, 15 per cent.
SHAPES:									
United Kingdom ...	118	...	118	1,125	...	1,125			
Victoria	...	4	4	...	51	51			
South Australia ...	9	5	14	61	24	85			
New South Wales	1	...	1	18	...	18			
	128	9	137	1,204	75	1,279	1,282	64 2 0	5 per cent.

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Hats & Bonnets—*continued.* N.O.E. :	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom	115	...	115	3,467	...	3,467			
Victoria	4	8	12	76	128	204			
South Australia	4	2	6	65	53	118			
New South Wales	...	6	6	4	129	133			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	3	3			
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Tasmania ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
India	...	...	...	3	...	3			
	123	16	139	3,615	315	3,930	4,010	601 10 0	15 per cent.
Hay :	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
Victoria	...	174 19	174 19	...	600	600			
South Australia ...	...	23 3	23 3	...	94	94			
New South Wales ...	...	178 7¼	178 7¼	...	545	545			
Singapore	7 0	...	7 0	22	...	22			
	7 0	376 9¼	383 9¼	22	1,239	1,261	400 17¾	601 6 7	30s. per ton.
Hemp Seed :	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	9	...	9			
Victoria	1	46	47	1	55	56			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	5	5			
New South Wales ...	...	2	2	...	2	2			
	15	51	66	10	62	72	72	10 16 0	15 per cent.
Hessian :									
United Kingdom ...	124	...	124	1,051	...	1,051			
Victoria	4	12	16	13	159	172			
South Australia ...	8	5	13	36	69	105			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	13	13			
Singapore	1	...	1	9	...	9			
	137	18	155	1,109	241	1,350	1,303	65 3 0	5 per cent.
Hides, Green :	No.	No.	No.				No.		
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	1	1			
New South Wales ...	...	16	16	...	7	7			
	...	17	17	...	8	8	13⅔	1 0 0	1s. 6d. each.
Honey :	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
Victoria	...	85,088	85,088	...	1,446	1,446			
South Australia ...	...	33,327	33,327	...	607	607			
New South Wales ...	...	48,966	48,966	...	800	800			
Queensland	...	5,849	5,849	...	94	94			
Singapore	184	...	184	4	...	4			
Cape Colony	84	...	84	1	...	1			
	268	173,230	173,498	5	2,947	2,952	166,851	1,390 8 6	2d. per lb.
Hop Bitters :	packages	packages	packages				£		
Victoria	...	20	20	...	12	12			
South Australia ...	...	10	10	...	9	9			
	...	30	30	...	21	21	24	3 12 0	15 per cent.

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HOPS:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	46,233½	...	46,233½	2,126	...	2,126			
Victoria	25 065	97,281	122,346	1,111	5,295	6,406			
South Australia ...	3,694	11,912	15,606	135	487	622			
New South Wales ...	11,691	63,231	74,922	447	3,187	3,634			
Germany	3,290	...	3,290	153	...	153			
	89,973½	172,424	262,397½	3,972	8,969	12,941 ✓	271,934½	4,532 4 10	4d. per lb.
HOSE, OF ALL KINDS:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	103	...	103	2,385	...	2,385			
Victoria	42	5	47	726	130	856			
South Australia ...	22	...	22	436	19	455			
New South Wales ...	8	2	10	92	13	105			
Singapore	2	...	2	41	...	41			
U.S. of America ...	10	...	10	123	...	123			
Germany	5	...	5	77	...	77			
	192	7	199	3,880	162	4,042	...	...	Free.
ICE CREAM MACHINES AND COOLERS:							£		
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	25	...	25			
Victoria	2	14	16	7	70	77			
South Australia ...	29	...	29	50	...	50			
New South Wales ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
New Zealand	1	...	1	72	...	72			
U.S. of America ...	141	...	141	290	...	290			
	183	14	197	444	71	515	515	51 10 0	10 per cent.
INCUBATORS:									
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	90	...	90			
Victoria	...	15	15	...	52	52			
South Australia ...	...	9	9	...	27	27			
New South Wales ...	...	3	3	...	11	11			
Queensland	...	1	1	...	3	3			
U.S. of America ...	4	...	4	14	...	14			
	18	28	46	104	93	197	194	29 2 0	15 per cent.
INDIA-RUBBER GOODS:									
United Kingdom ..	34	...	34	842	...	842			
Victoria	25	15	40	244	155	399			
South Australia ...	2	1	3	11	14	25			
New South Wales ...	2	4	6	26	43	69			
Singapore	2	...	2	7	...	7			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	15	...	15			
	67	20	87	1,145	212	1,357	1,229	184 7 0	15 per cent.
INDIA-RUBBER STAMPS:									
United Kingdom ...	7	...	7	16	...	16			
Victoria	...	14	14	1	14	15			
South Australia ...	2	2	4	15	3	18			
New South Wales ...	2	4	6	11	33	44			
Singapore	3	...	3	25	...	25			
	14	20	34	68	50	118	118	23 12 0	20 per cent.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
INK:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	299	...	299	1,659	...	1,659			
Victoria	30	77	107	153	380	533			
South Australia ...	25	56	81	110	136	246			
New South Wales ...	2	28	30	8	148	156			
Singapore	13	...	13	22	...	22			
U.S. of America ...	53	...	53	41	...	41			
	422	161	583	1,993	664	2,657	2,619	130 19 0	5 per cent.
INSTRUMENTS — SURGICAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND OPTICAL:									
United Kingdom ...	164	...	164	1,809	...	1,809			
Victoria	44	115	159	446	534	980			
South Australia ...	19	30	49	125	177	302			
New South Wales ...	21	39	60	424	359	783			
Queensland	...	1	1	3	1	4			
Singapore	2	...	2	28	...	28			
France	2	...	2	8	...	8			
Belgium...	...	...	...	1	...	1			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	9	...	9			
Germany	11	...	11	150	...	150			
	270	185	455	3,003	1,071	4,074	3,932	393 4 0	10 per cent.
IRON.									
BAR AND ROD:									
United Kingdom ...	37,187	...	37,187	20,750	...	20,750			
Victoria	5,429	95	5,524	2,384	126	2,510			
South Australia ...	2,269	2	2,271	685	16	701			
New South Wales...	264	...	264	129	...	129			
Singapore	911	...	911	188	...	188			
Germany	441	...	441	68	...	68			
Belgium	141	...	141	64	...	64			
Norway	6,804	...	6,804	967	...	967			
	53,446	97	53,543	25,235	142	25,377	...	...	Free.
CAMP OVENS:	No.	No.	No.						
United Kingdom ...	2,509	...	2,509	143	...	143			
Victoria	25	131	156	4	39	43			
South Australia ...	133	78	211	18	10	28			
New South Wales...	...	51	51	...	4	4			
Singapore	21	...	21	2	...	2			
	2,688	260	2,948	167	53	220	218	21 16 0	10 per cent.
SASHWEIGHTS:									
United Kingdom ...	82,147	...	82,147	1,230	...	1,230			
Victoria	2,465	1,410	3,875	63	37	100			
South Australia ...	...	863	863	...	22	22			
New South Wales...	1,695	61	1,756	36	6	42			
Norway	3,100	...	3,100	39	...	39			
	89,407	2,334	91,741	1,368	65	1,433	1,433	214 19 0	15 per cent.
CASTINGS:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	40	...	40	115	...	115			
Victoria	2	50	52	24	227	251			
South Australia ...	1	20	21	2	41	43			
New South Wales...	...	10	10	...	52	52			
Singapore	6	...	6	98	...	98			
Germany	37	...	37	89	...	89			
	86	80	166	328	320	648	648	97 4 0	15 per cent.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
DOORS:	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	212	...	212			
Victoria	...	4	4	...	86	86			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	54	54			
New South Wales...	1	1	2	9	40	49			
	15	8	23	221	180	401 ✓	401	80 4 0	20 per cent.
GALVANISED CORRUGATED:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
United Kingdom ...	7,630 3½	...	7,630 3½	117,949	...	117,949			
Victoria	645 2	158 4¾	803 6¾	10,100	2,517	12,617			
South Australia ...	314 5¾	1 10	315 15¾	4,968	26	4,994			
New South Wales...	27 11½	...	27 11½	454	...	454			
Singapore	78 0¼	...	78 0¼	1,101	...	1,101			
	8,695 3	159 14¾	88,54 17¾	134,572	2,543	137,115	2,360 6⅚	2,360 6 10	Free. From 18/8/'98, 20s. per ton
GALVANISED, PLAIN:							£		
United Kingdom ...	582 11	...	582 11	9,065	...	9,065			
Victoria	19 18	...	19 18	336	...	336			
South Australia ...	41 2	19 8	60 10	712	328	1,040			
New South Wales...	1 10	...	1 10	26	...	26			
Singapore	2 10	..	2 10	28	...	28			
	647 11	19 8	666 19	10,167	328	10,495	...	...	Free
GAS, WATER, AND DRAIN PIPES:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	42,278	...	42,278	29,879	...	29,879			
Victoria	5,178	2,045	7,223	5,057	3,192	8,249			
South Australia ...	2,220	3,557	5,777	1,497	3,340	4,837			
New South Wales...	163	917	1,080	196	743	939			
Singapore	8,075	...	8,075	6,023	...	6,023			
U.S. of America ...	1,119	...	1,119	634	...	634			
Germany	2,286	...	2,286	1,415	...	1,415			
	61,319	6,519	67,838	44,701	7,275	51,976	51,927	2,596 7 0	5 per cent.
GATES AND HURDLES:									
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	39	...	39			
Victoria	...	26	26	...	125	125			
Singapore	18	...	18	27	...	27			
	28	26	54	66	125	191	191	9 11 0	5 per cent.
GIRDERS, COLUMNS, AND JOISTS:									
United Kingdom ...	557	...	557	1,121	...	1,121			
Victoria	42	170	212	132	1,137	1,269			
South Australia ...	...	122	122	...	364	364			
New South Wales...	41	180	221	156	610	766			
Singapore	236	...	236	421	...	421			
Belgium	239	...	239	373	[illegible]	373			
Germany	137	...	137	237	...	237			
	1,252	472	1,724	2,440	2,111	4,551	4,551	682 13 0	15 per cent.

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GRATES AND STOVES:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1,957	...	1,957	3,062	...	3,062			
Victoria	139	273	412	317	502	819			
South Australia ...	31	56	87	55	131	186			
New South Wales	4	6	10	13	16	29			
Singapore	107	...	107	125	...	125			
U.S. of America ...	117	...	117	170	...	170			
Germany	28	...	28	110	...	110			
Sweden	10	...	10	34	...	34			
	2,393	335	2,728	3,886	649	4,535	4,175	417 10 0	10 per cent.
HOOP:									
United Kingdom ...	2,704	...	2,704	807	...	807			
Victoria	395	...	395	121	...	121			
South Australia ...	40	...	40	12	...	12			
New South Wales	141	...	141	48	...	48			
Singapore	350	...	350	105	...	105			
Belgium	225	...	225	64	...	64			
Germany	60	...	60	17	...	17			
	3,915	..	3,915	1,174	...	1,174	...	...	Free.
PIG:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	782 0	...	782 0	1,968	...	1,968			
Victoria	182 0	4 0	186 0	905	23	928			
South Australia ...	90 11	55 13	146 4	328	207	535			
U.S. of America ...	293 15	...	293 15	693	...	693			
	1,348 6	59 13	1,407 19	3,894	230	4,124	...	...	Free.
PLATE:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	1,586	...	1,586	808	...	808			
Victoria	402	8	410	244	12	256			
South Australia ...	64	...	64	41	...	41			
New South Wales	...	3	3	...	3	3			
	2,052	11	2,063	1,093	15	1,108	...	...	Free.
SHEET:									
United Kingdom ...	2,605	...	2,605	1,545	...	1,545			
Victoria	457	...	457	305	...	305			
South Australia ...	113	...	113	87	...	87			
Germany	60	...	60	136	...	136			
	3,235	...	3,235	2,073	...	2,073	...	...	Free.
SAFES:									
United Kingdom ...	195	...	195	1,776	...	1,776			
Victoria	10	18	28	340	298	638			
South Australia ...	11	16	27	73	150	223			
New South Wales...	4	8	12	45	81	126			
Singapore	11	...	11	145	...	145			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	103	...	103			
Japan	1	...	1	2	...	2			
	239	42	281	2,484	529	3,013	2,954	443 2 0	15 per cent.

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IRON—*continued.*											
TANKS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£	s.	d.	
United Kingdom ...	2,995	...	2,995	8,107	...	8,107					
Victoria	36	319	355	63	1,310	1,373					
South Australia ...	182	186	368	1,083	1,921	3,004					
New South Wales...	6	47	53	16	123	139					
Singapore	59	...	59	179	...	179					
France	22	...	22	52	...	52					
Germany	17	...	17	61	...	61					
	3,317	552	3,869	9,561	3,354	12,915 ✓	12,952	1,295	4	0	10 per cent.
WIRE NETTING:											
United Kingdom ...	6,941	...	6,941	3,562	...	3,562					
Victoria	1,293	...	1,293	969	...	969					
South Australia ...	1,154	...	1,154	658	...	658					
New South Wales...	214	7	221	143	5	148					
Singapore	321	...	321	255	...	255					
Belgium	14	...	14	8	...	8					
Germany	150	...	150	32	...	32					
	10,087	7	10,094	5,627	5	5,632 ✓	...	...			Free.
WIRE, OTHER THAN FENCING:											
United Kingdom ...	90	...	90	304	...	304					
Victoria	42	20	62	80	45	125					
South Australia ...	12	23	35	10	30	40					
New South Wales...	1	7	8	1	5	6					
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	2	...	2					
Germany	5	...	5	9	...	9					
Belgium	1	...	1	1	...	1					
	152	50	202	407	80	487 ✓	505	25	5	0	5 per cent. From Nov. 1898, 15 per cent.
IRON AND STEEL WIRE, STANDARDS & STAPLES, FOR FENCING:											
United Kingdom ...	4,860	...	4,860	3,421	...	3,421					
Victoria	8,105	328	8,433	4,305	340	4,645					
South Australia ...	4,087	304	4,391	2,935	229	3,164					
New South Wales	568	220	788	494	111	605					
Singapore	1,856	...	1,856	1,048	...	1,048					
U.S. of America ...	4,392	...	4,392	1,953	...	1,953					
Germany	7,042	...	7,042	4,345	...	4,345					
Belgium	450	...	450	335	...	335					
	31,360	852	32,212	18,836	680	19,516 ✓	...	...			Free.
IRONMONGERY AND HARDWARE:											
United Kingdom ...	4,527	...	4,527	27,345	...	27,345					
Victoria	509	1,731	2,240	3,079	6,728	9,807					
South Australia ...	268	496	764	1,462	3,225	4,687					
New South Wales ...	80	263	343	612	1,443	2,055					
Queensland	...	...	...	1	2	3					
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	2	2					
Singapore	275	...	275	655	...	655					
France	13	...	13	141	...	141					
U.S. of America ...	715	...	715	2,251	...	2,251					
Italy	...	...	...	1	...	1					
Germany	66	...	66	326	...	326					
Belgium	16	...	16	125	...	125					
	6,469	2,490	8,959	35,998	11,400	47,398	47,055	7,058	5	0	15 per cent.

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JAMS, JELLIES, AND PRESERVES:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom	4,872	...	4,872	6,247	...	6,247			
Victoria	519	29,267	29,786	559	29,507	30,066			
South Australia	62	5,446	5,508	68	6,324	6,392			
New South Wales	74	2,375	2,449	90	2,588	2,678			
Queensland	...	10	10	...	12	12			
New Zealand	...	25	25	...	23	23			
Tasmania	...	822	822	...	923	923			
Singapore	501	...	501	541	...	541			
Hong Kong	68	...	68	22	...	22			
Cape Colony	3	...	3	3	...	3			
Japan	1	...	1	1	...	1			
France	135	...	135	117	...	117			
Germany	2	...	2	1	...	1			
	6,237	37,945	44,182	7,649	39,377	47,026	47,279	7,091 17 0	15 per cent.
JAPANNED WARE:									
United Kingdom	15	...	15	68	...	68			
Victoria	8	6	14	53	14	67			
South Australia	7	2	9	8	3	11			
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	31	8	39	130	17	147	147	29 8 0	20 per cent.
JEWELLERY:									
United Kingdom	332	...	332	13,284	...	13,284			
Victoria	25	38	63	1,188	3,307	4,495			
South Australia	13	12	25	240	304	544			
New South Wales	47	59	106	2,074	3,208	5,282			
Queensland	...	...	...	6	7	13			
New Zealand	...	1	1	4	2	6			
Tasmania	...	4	4	9	32	41			
Singapore	13	...	13	16	...	16			
Ceylon	1	...	1	17	...	17			
Cape Colony	...	...	...	2	...	2			
India	...	...	...	2	...	2			
Belgium	1	...	1	11	...	11			
France	4	...	4	83	...	83			
U.S. of America	21	...	21	84	...	84			
Germany	6	...	6	46	...	46			
	463	114	577	17,066	6,860	23,926	23,898	4,779 12 0	20 per cent.
LAMPS, ELECTRIC:									
United Kingdom	29	...	29	401	...	401			
Victoria	1	10	11	14	99	113			
South Australia	2	...	2	15	...	15			
New South Wales	2	17	19	31	171	202			
Singapore	1	...	1	38	...	38			
Germany	2	...	2	29	...	29			
	37	27	64	528	270	798	817	81 14 0	10 per cent.
LAMPWARE, N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom	412	...	412	2,569	...	2,569			
Victoria	261	227	488	1,003	1,402	2,405			
South Australia	289	184	473	600	558	1,158			
New South Wales	68	111	179	510	870	1,380			
New Zealand	...	...	...	1	...	1			
Singapore	80	...	80	417	...	417			
Hong Kong	2	...	2	3	...	3			
U.S. America	1,732	...	1,732	2,129	...	2,129			
Germany	235	...	235	510	...	510			
Belgium	1	...	1	7	...	7			
Egypt	...	...	...	2	...	2			
Timor	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	3,081	522	3,603	7,752	2,830	10,582	10,447	1,044 14 0	10 per cent.

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LARD:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	722	...	722	17	...	17			
Victoria	48	37,540½	37,588½	1	844	845			
South Australia ...	...	3,376	3,376	...	74	74			
New South Wales ...	...	24,252	24,252	...	491	491			
Queensland	...	214	214	...	5	5			
Singapore	86	...	86	1	...	1			
	856	65,382½	66,238½	19	1,414	1,433	66,860½	557 3 5	2d. per lb.
LEAD—SHEET, PIG, SCRAP, AND PIPING:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	197 10	...	197 10	2,108	...	2,108			
Victoria	185 15	29 12	215 7	2,751	388	3,139			
South Australia ...	8 1	2 7	10 8	115	31	146			
New South Wales ...	...	0 19	0 19	...	32	32			
Singapore	1 0	...	1 0	11	...	11			
Germany	0 18	...	0 18	12	...	12			
	393 4	32 18	426 2	4,997	451	5,448	...	...	Free.
LEAD, STRIP:	packages	packages	packages				£		
Victoria	...	1	1	...	2	2	2	0 6 0	15 per cent.
LEAD, RED AND WHITE:									
United Kingdom ...	14,409	...	14,409	5,057	...	5,057			
Victoria	430	274	704	184	134	318			
South Australia ...	151	59	210	77	17	94			
New South Wales ...	50	40	90	14	12	26			
Singapore	133	...	133	43	...	43			
Germany	1	...	1	5	...	5			
	15,174	373	15,547	5,380	163	5,543	5,547	554 14 0	10 per cent.
LEATHER.									
AMERICAN PATENT:									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	16	...	16			
Victoria	2	1	3	16	5	21			
South Australia ...	2	2	4	9	9	18			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	6	...	6			
	6	3	9	47	14	61	57	2 17 0	5 per cent.
FRENCH CALF:									
United Kingdom ...	18	...	18	337	...	337			
Victoria	8	54	62	168	241	409			
South Australia ...	...	50	50	...	476	476			
New South Wales	2	15	17	39	185	224			
	28	119	147	544	902	1,446	1,426	71 6 0	5 per cent.
KID SKINS:									
Victoria	2	...	2	14	...	14			
New South Wales	...	1	1	...	36	36			
	2	1	3	14	36	50	50	2 10 0	5 per cent.

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LEATHER—*continued.*									
KIP, SOLE AND HARNESS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	11	...	11	171	...	171			
Victoria	30	294	324	738	7,559	8,297			
South Australia ...	9	211	220	128	4,457	4,585			
New South Wales ...	21	230	251	323	4,890	5,213			
Singapore	1	...	1	11	...	11			
	72	735	807	1,371	16,906	18,277	18,251	2,737 13 0	15 per cent.
ROANS:									
Victoria	1	...	1	7	...	7			
New South Wales ...	...	6	6	...	4	4			
	1	6	7	7	4	11	11	0 11 0	5 per cent.
SATIN HIDES:									
Victoria	...	1	1	...	7	7	7	0 7 0	5 per cent.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	128	...	128	1,242	...	1,242			
Victoria	85	156	241	878	1,822	2,700			
South Australia ...	16	90	106	148	810	958			
New South Wales ...	19	144	163	295	996	1,291			
Singapore	...	...	...	1	...	1			
France	1	...	1	2	...	2			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	78	...	78			
	254	390	644	2,644	3,628	6,272	6,228	311 8 0	5 per cent
MANUFACTURED GOODS:									
United Kingdom ...	263	...	263	2,781	...	2,781			
Victoria	18	150	168	177	1,486	1,663			
South Australia ...	21	30	51	192	371	563			
New South Wales ...	4	39	43	46	280	326			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	6	6			
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	6	...	6	57	...	57			
France	18	...	18	27	...	27			
U.S. of America ...	3	...	3	10	...	10			
Germany	15	...	15	405	...	405			
Belgium	...	...	...	10	...	10			
Japan	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	349	219	568	3,706	2,144	5,850	6,043	906 9 0	15 per cent.
LIMEJUICE:									
United Kingdom ...	1,036	...	1,036	540	...	540			
Victoria	9	277	286	27	229	256			
South Australia ...	4	141	145	10	72	82			
New South Wales ...	11	98	109	9	121	130			
Singapore	148	...	148	96	...	96			
France	5	...	5	3	...	3			
Germany	1	...	1	3	...	3			
	1,214	516	1,730	688	422	1,110 ✓	1,073	214 12 0	20 per cent.
LINSEED, WHOLE:	bushels	bushels	bushels				bushels		
United Kingdom ...	76½	...	76½	21	...	21			
Victoria	197	113	310	53	42	95			
South Australia ...	16	131	147	5	19	24			
	289½	244	533½	79	61	140 ✓	475	11 17 6	6d. per bushel.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
LITHOGRAPHIC PRESSES AND MACHINERY:									
United Kingdom ...	15	...	15	48	...	48			
Victoria	...	11	11	...	211	211			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	5	5			
	15	12	27	48	216	264	...	...	Free. From 18th Aug., 1889, machinery, 5 per cent.
MACHINERY.									
CREAM SEPARATORS:									
United Kingdom ...	14	...	14	78	...	78			
Victoria	...	4	4	...	51	51			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	7	7			
New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	47	47			
	14	6	20	78	105	183	59	2 19 0	Free. From 18th Aug, 1898, 5 per cent.
ELECTRICAL:									
United Kingdom ...	64	...	64	1,336	...	1,336			
Victoria	...	4	4	...	78	78			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	42	42			
New South Wales...	3	11	14	13	347	360			
	67	16	83	1,349	467	1,816	109	5 9 0	Free. From 18th Aug, 1898, 5 per cent.
FLOUR MILL:									
Victoria	...	6	6	...	116	116			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	11	11			
Singapore... ...	1	...	1	12	...	12			
	1	7	8	12	127	139	67	3 7 0	Free. From 18th Aug, 1898, 5 per cent.
ICE-MAKING:									
United Kingdom ...	180	...	180	345	...	345			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	12	12			
New South Wales...	...	23	23	...	255	255			
Germany	21	...	21	663	...	663			
	201	24	225	1,008	267	1,275	475	23 15 0	Free. From 18th Aug, 1898, 5 per cent.
MINING:									
United Kingdom ...	9,747	...	9,747	91,679	...	91,679			
Victoria	345	4,342	4,687	2,826	37,068	39,894			
South Australia ...	145	8,076	8,221	469	77,366	77,835			
New South Wales...	12	793	805	189	11,403	11,592			
Queensland ...	...	4	4	...	28	28			
Singapore	1,358	...	1,358	8,682	...	8,682			
France	2	...	2	5	...	5			
U.S. of America ...	281	...	281	5,011	...	5,011			
Germany	824	...	824	12,965	...	12,965			
	12,714	13,215	25,929	121,826	125,865	247,691	81,451	4,072 11 0	Free. From 18th Aug, 1898, 5 per cent.
PARTS OF:									
United Kingdom ...	1,288	...	1,288	3,784	...	3,784			
Victoria	287	1,353	1,640	2,614	3,942	6,556			
South Australia ...	50	787	837	199	2,916	3,115			
New South Wales...	7	134	141	56	567	623			
Tasmania	...	10	10	...	9	9			
Singapore	553	...	553	914	...	914			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	41	...	41			
Germany	105	...	105	685	...	685			
Belgium	1	...	1	4	...	4			
	2,298	2,284	4,582	8,297	7,434	15,731	15,707	1,570 14 0	10 per cent. from Aug. 8th, 1898, previous to which free as machinery.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
MACHINERY—c'td. N.O.E.:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1,679	...	1,679	26,279	...	26,279			
Victoria	178	2,619	2,797	2,759	16,927	19,686			
South Australia ...	6	1,722	1,728	340	22,477	22,817			
New South Wales	194	274	468	2,259	3,155	5,414			
Singapore	180	...	180	3,180	...	3,180			
France	1	...	1	4	...	4			
U.S. of America ...	73	...	73	358	...	358			
Germany	184	...	184	8,101	...	8,101			
	2,495	4,615	7,110	43,280	42,559	85,839	37,298	1,864 18 0	Free. From 18th Aug, 1898, 5 per cent.
MALT:	bushels	bushels	bushels				bushels		
United Kingdom ...	91,384	...	91,384	26,040	...	26,040			
Victoria	1,069¾	2,147¾	3,217½	352	668	1,020			
South Australia ...	3,599¼	1,762¾	5,362	1,160	564	1,724			
New South Wales ...	54½	423	477½	21	127	148			
	96,107½	4,333½	100,441	27,573	1,359	28,932 ✓	102,590⅑	15,388 10 5	3s. per bushel.
MANTELPIECES:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	23	...	23	110	...	110			
Victoria	34	483	517	73	1,094	1,167			
South Australia ...	6	8	14	18	18	36			
New South Wales ...	2	4	6	10	12	22			
Belgium	8	...	8	152	...	152			
	73	495	568	363	1,124	1,487	1,411	282 4 0	20 per cent.
MANURE. Bone Dust:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	10 0	...	10 0	42	...	42			
Victoria	...	1,287 11	1,287 11	...	6,009	6,009			
South Australia ...	...	157 18	157 18	...	740	740			
New South Wales	...	988 0	988 0	...	4,495	4,495			
	10 0	2,433 9	2,443 9	42	11,244	11,286	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	78 0	...	78 0	231	...	231			
Victoria	...	493 6	493 6	...	2,142	2,142			
South Australia ...	...	370 5	370 5	...	1,696	1,696			
New South Wales...	...	95 10	95 10	...	483	483			
Hong Kong ...	1 10	...	1 10	5	...	5			
Germany ...	120 0	..	120 0	375	...	375			
	199 10	959 1	1,158 11	611	4,321	4,932	...	...	Free.
MARBLE, STONE, AND SLATE (IN THE ROUGH):	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	167	...	167	100	...	100			
Victoria	22,126	1,659	23,785	226	976	1,202			
South Australia ...	...	568	568	...	97	97			
New South Wales ...	...	11,665	11,665	...	529	529			
U.S. of America ...	38,800	...	38,800	189	...	189			
Italy	126	...	126	58	...	58			
	61,219	13,892	75,111	573	1,602	2,175	2,175	108 15 0	5 per cent.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
MARBLE, STONE, AND SLATE (WROUGHT):	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	27	...	27	106	...	106			
Victoria	67	1,104	1,171	65	1,206	1,271			
South Australia ...	4	12	16	9	23	32			
New South Wales ...	22	21	43	78	51	129			
Singapore	9	...	9	10	...	10			
Germany	1	...	1	7	...	7			
Italy	40	...	40	108	...	108			
	170	1,137	1,307	383	1,280	1,663	1,668	333 12 0	20 per cent.
MATCHES AND VESTAS:									
United Kingdom	3,738	...	3,738	4,027	...	4,027			
Victoria	634	526	1,160	805	735	1,540			
South Australia ...	210	149	359	339	305	644			
New South Wales ...	136	249	385	177	315	492			
Singapore	97	...	97	282	...	282			
Germany	488	...	488	691	...	691			
Belgium	33	...	33	39	...	39			
Italy	322	...	322	506	...	506			
	5,658	924	6,582	6,866	1,355	8,221	8,100	1,215 0 0	15 per cent.
MEATS.									
BACON:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	25,357	...	25,357	609	...	609			
Victoria	...	1,021,532	1,021,532	...	32,498	32,498			
South Australia ...	...	28,055	28,055	...	954	954			
New South Wales	...	1,132,164	1,132,164	...	31,932	31,932			
Queensland ...	...	35,838	35,838	...	988	988			
New Zealand ...	...	11,821	11,821	...	370	370			
Singapore	3,311	...	3,311	92	...	92			
	28,668	2,229,410	2,258,078	701	66,742	67,443 ✓	2,256,646	25,272 1 8 ✓	3d per lb. From Aug. 18th, 1898, 2d. per lb.
EXTRACT OF:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	120	...	120	1,134	...	1,134			
Victoria	11	43	54	61	135	196			
South Australia ...	6	21	27	48	124	172			
New South Wales	...	7	7	...	20	20			
Queensland ...	...	230	230	...	533	533			
Singapore	4	...	4	22	...	22			
France	3	...	3	18	...	18			
	144	301	445	1,283	812	2,095 ✓	1,948	292 4 0	15 per cent.
FRESH:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	95	...	95	1	...	1			
Victoria	...	209,896	209,896	...	2,584	2,584			
New South Wales	...	39,917	39,917	...	528	528			
	95	249,813	249,908	1	3,112	3,113 ✓	249,908	1,176 14 6	1½d. per lb. From Aug. 18th, 1898, ¾d. per lb,
HAMS:									
United Kingdom ...	96,854½	...	96,854½	2,958	...	2,958			
Victoria	154	148,391½	148,545½	6	5,941	5,947			
South Australia ...	1,141	7,927½	9,068½	35	290	325			
New South Wales	...	53,281	53,281	...	1,887	1,887			
Queensland ...	...	1,991	1,991	...	73	73			
New Zealand ...	...	503	503	...	22	22			
Singapore	7,512	...	7,512	262	...	262			
U.S. of America ...	198	...	198	5	...	5			
Germany	244	...	244	13	...	13			
	106,103½	212,094	318.197½	3,279	8,213	11,492 ✓	326,032½	3,521 18 8	3d. per lb. From Aug. 18th, 1898, 2d. per lb.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities. British and Foreign produce.	Quantities. Australasian produce.	Quantities. Total.	Value. British and Foreign produce.	Value. Austra-lasian produce.	Value. Total.	Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse. Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected. £	s.	d.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
MEATS—continued.											
PRESERVED:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£	s.	d.	
United Kingdom ...	11,748	...	11,748	384	...	384					
Victoria	3,350	1,119,379	1,122,729	93	21,669	21,762					
South Australia ...	2,578	429,499	432,077	39	7,951	7,990					
New South Wales...	170	1,496,543	1,496,713	8	28,417	28,425					
Queensland ...	...	164,772	164,772	...	2,779	2,779					
New Zealand ...	...	11,310	11,310	...	382	382					
Tasmania	...	1,200	1,200	...	24	24					
Singapore	4,314	...	4,314	172	...	172					
Hong Kong ...	945	...	945	10	...	10					
France	573	...	573	40	...	40					
U.S. of America ...	12,090	...	12,090	227	...	227					
Germany	2,754	...	2,754	125	...	125					
Belgium	863	...	863	42	...	42					
Italy	8	...	8	1	...	1					
	39,393	3,222,703	3,262,096	1,141	61,222	62,363	3,760,041⅓	8,901	5	2	¾d. per lb. From 18th Aug., 1898, ½d. per lb.
SALT BEEF:											
Victoria	129	22,294	22,423	4	247	251					
South Australia ...	280	9,086	9,366	16	113	129					
New South Wales...	...	28,005	28,005	...	222	222					
Queensland ...	...	2,400	2,400	...	21	21					
	409	61,785	62,194	20	603	623	63,791⅓	309	1	3	1½d. per lb. From 18th Aug., 1898, ½d. per lb.
SALT PORK:											
Victoria	...	148,428	148,428	...	3,861	3,861					
South Australia ...	...	352	352	...	9	9					
New South Wales...	...	6,011	6,011	...	87	87	4,592				
Queensland ...	...	120	120	...	2	2					
	...	154,911	154,911	...	3,959	3,959	150,632	1,255	5	4	2d. per lb.
TONGUES:											
United Kingdom ...	2,591	...	2,591	173	...	173					
Victoria	9	121,400	121,409	1	4,873	4,874					
South Australia ...	72	14,695	14,767	3	623	626					
New South Wales...	...	84,763	84,763	...	3,119	3,119	13,929				
Queensland ...	...	7,757	7,757	...	243	243					
New Zealand ...	...	7,684	7,684	...	303	303					
France	150	...	150	9	...	9					
	2,822	236,299	239,121	186	9,161	9,347	242,382½	2,814	14	2	3d. per lb. From 18th Aug., 1898, 2d. per lb.
POTTED AND FISH IN PASTE:	packages.	packages.	packages.				£				
United Kingdom ...	425	...	425	710	...	710					
Victoria	152	90	242	177	231	408					
South Australia ...	241	177	418	151	227	378					
New South Wales	17	44	61	51	59	110					
Queensland ...	...	50	50	...	46	46					
Singapore	34	...	34	55	...	55					
France	11	...	11	47	...	47					
U.S. of America ...	124	...	124	79	...	79					
Belgium	1	...	1	3	...	3					
	1,005	361	1,366	1,273	563	1,836	1,989	298	7	0	15 per cent.
METAL LATHING:											
United Kingdom ...	38	...	38	256	...	256					
Victoria	28	358	386	25	315	340					
New South Wales ...	...	7	7	...	33	33					
	66	365	431	281	348	629	519	77	17	0	15 per cent.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES. British and Foreign produce.	QUANTITIES. Australasian produce.	QUANTITIES. Total.	VALUE. British and Foreign produce.	VALUE. Australasian produce.	VALUE. Total.	ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE. Quantities or Values entered.	ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE. Total Amount of Duty collected.	ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE. Rate of Duty and when imposed.
METALS, N.O.E.:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	135	...	135	617	...	617			
Victoria	49	127	176	315	424	739			
South Australia ...	50	136	186	287	475	762			
New South Wales ...	19	58	77	72	146	218			
Germany	8	...	8	53	...	53			
Singapore	31	...	31	341	...	341			
	292	321	613	1,685	1,045	2,730	...	...	Free.
METERS, GAS AND WATER:									
United Kingdom ...	19	...	19	829	...	829			
Victoria	8	30	38	105	339	444			
South Australia ...	6	13	19	46	127	173			
New South Wales ...	2	2	4	18	63	81			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	36	45	81	999	529	1,528	1,528	152 16 0	10 per cent.
MILK, PRESERVED:									
United Kingdom ...	79,297	...	79,297	59,913	...	59,913			
Victoria	314	3,393	3,707	253	2,414	2,667			
South Australia ...	1,108	623	1,731	921	442	1,363			
New South Wales ...	360	329	689	300	240	540			
Singapore	1,960	...	1,960	1,441	...	1,441			
France	1,922	...	1,922	1,515	...	1,515			
U.S. of America ...	300	...	300	188	...	188			
Germany	3,110	...	3,110	2,364	...	2,364			
Belgium	1,215	...	1,215	964	...	964			
Norway	3	...	3	3	...	3			
Holland	20	...	20	13	...	13			
	89,609	4,345	93,954	67,875	3,096	70,971	72,112	10,816 16 0	15 per cent.
MILK AND CREAM, CONCENTRATED:									
Victoria	...	2,131	2,131	...	2,079	2,079	73,190		
New South Wales ...	...	84	84	...	148	148			
	...	2,215	2,215	...	2,227	2,227	2,227	334 1 0	15 per cent.
MILLBOARDS AND STRAWBOARDS:									
United Kingdom ...	132	...	132	394	...	394			
Victoria	11	20	31	24	37	61			
South Australia ...	27	8	35	57	27	84			
New South Wales ...	1	42	43	1	39	40			
Germany	16	...	16	23	...	23			
	187	70	257	499	103	602	578	28 18 0	5 per cent.
MOLASSES AND GOLDEN SYRUP:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	29 12	...	29 12	545	...	545			
Victoria	...	18 1	18 1	...	362	362			
South Australia ...	0 2	164 0	164 2	2	2,896	2,898			
New South Wales ...	...	12 11	12 11	...	58	58			
Singapore	0 16	...	0 16	16	...	16			
France	0 17	...	0 17	21	...	21			
	31 7	194 12	225 19	584	3,316	3,900	...	...	Free

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
MOULDINGS, GILT:									
United Kingdom ...	27	...	27	349	...	349			
Victoria	8	8	16	53	51	104			
South Australia ...	167	...	167	105	...	105			
Singapore	2	...	2	42	...	42			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	75	...	75			
Germany	14	...	14	222	...	222			
	223	8	231	846	51	897	941	94 2 0	10 per cent.
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.									
CONCERTINAS AND ACCORDEONS:									
United Kingdom ...	5	...	5	22	...	22			
Victoria	1	2	3	3	6	9			
South Australia ...	1	...	1	27	...	27			
Singapore	3	..	3	33	...	33			
Germany	5	...	5	108	...	108			
	15	2	17	193	6	199	226	33 18 0	15 per cent.
ORGANS AND HARMONIUMS:									
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	196	...	196			
Victoria	22	1	23	182	10	192			
South Australia ...	10	6	16	136	77	213			
New South Wales	6	4	10	46	35	81			
Singapore	1	...	1	20	...	20			
U.S. of America ...	19	...	19	176	...	176			
Germany	1	...	1	18	...	18			
	69	11	80	774	122	896	896	167 8 0	15 per cent. From Aug. 18, '98, £3 each.
PIANOS:									
United Kingdom ...	98	...	98	2,750	...	2,750			
Victoria	51	2	53	1,168	58	1,226			
South Australia ...	31	8	39	609	203	812			
New South Wales	34	5	39	1,102	108	1,210			
Tasmania	1	...	1	15	...	15			
Singapore	10	...	10	166	...	166			
Germany	180	...	180	3,707	...	3,707			
U.S. America ...	1	...	1	23	...	23			
	406	15	421	9,540	369	9,909	10,489	1,768 15 0	15 per cent. From Aug. 18, '98, Upright Pianos, £5 each; Grand or Semi-Grand, £15 each.
VIOLINS:									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	11	...	11			
Victoria	3	...	3	14	...	14			
South Australia ...	3	...	3	4	...	4			
New South Wales...	...	3	3	...	6	6			
	8	3	11	29	6	35	36	5 8 0	15 per cent.
FOR PLACES OF WORSHIP:									
United Kingdom ...	26	...	26	373	...	373			
Victoria	2	...	2	20	...	20			
South Australia ...	4	...	4	66	...	66			
New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	5	5			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	29	...	29			
	33	1	34	488	5	493	...	..	Free.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—*continued.*									
FOR BANDS OF DEFENCE FORCES:									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	55	...	55			
Victoria	1	...	1	21	...	21			
New South Wales...	2	...	2	91	...	91			
	5	...	5	167	...	167	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	88	...	88	1,130	...	1,130			
Victoria	14	30	44	97	430	527			
South Australia ...	11	4	15	115	45	160			
New South Wales...	29	20	49	552	303	855			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	2	2			
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	7	...	7	45	...	45			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	11	...	11			
Germany	18	...	18	301	...	301			
Belgium	2	...	2	9	...	9			
Italy	...	...	...	2	...	2			
	170	54	224	2,262	781	3,043	2,902	435 6 0	15 per cent.
MUSIC:									
United Kingdom ...	36	...	36	1,105	...	1,105			
Victoria	23	19	42	152	79	231			
South Australia ...	1	4	5	7	12	19			
New South Wales ...	5	15	20	132	180	312			
Belgium	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Germany	1	...	1	11	...	11			
	67	38	105	1,409	271	1,680	1,663	83 3 0	5 per cent.
MUSTARD:									
United Kingdom ...	243	...	243	2,154	...	2,154			
Victoria	42	95	137	131	269	400			
South Australia ...	54	61	115	221	280	501			
New South Wales ...	1	8	9	8	24	32			
Singapore	7	...	7	37	...	37			
France	12	...	12	23	...	23			
Germany	4	...	4	11	...	11			
	363	164	527	2,585	573	3,158	3,210	481 10 0	15 per cent.
NAILS, TACKS, BOLTS, RIVETS, SPIKES, AND WASHERS:									
United Kingdom ...	10,859	...	10,859	10,466	...	10,466			
Victoria	1,050	2,493	3,543	1,197	3,029	4,226			
South Australia ...	488	1,049	1,537	611	1,167	1,778			
New South Wales ...	8	215	223	31	293	324			
Singapore	743	...	743	690	...	690			
France	1	...	1	4	...	4			
Belgium	1,018	...	1,018	1,239	...	1,239			
U.S. of America ...	1,205	...	1,205	1,992	...	1,992			
Germany	1,632	...	1,632	960	...	960			
Norway	200	...	200	73	...	73			
	17,204	3,757	20,961	17,263	4,489	21,752	...	...	Free.

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NUTS.									
Almond and Cocoa-nuts:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	78	...	78	370	...	370			
Victoria	113	163	276	54	265	319			
South Australia ...	51	471	522	75	823	898			
New South Wales...	4	32	36	13	29	42			
Singapore	7	...	7	12	...	12			
France	5	...	5	7	...	7			
	258	666	924	531	1,117	1,648 ✓	1,688	253 4 0	15 per cent.
N.O.E.:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	11,530	...	11,530	132	...	132			
Victoria	15,329	254	15,583	108	6	114			
South Australia ...	5,768	...	5,768	86	...	86			
New South Wales...	13,744	219	13,963	158	5	163			
Singapore	1,299	...	1,299	8	...	8			
France	689	...	689	13	...	13			
	48,359	473	48,832	505	11	516 ✓	49,968	416 8 0	2d. per lb.
OAKUM:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	127	...	127	65	...	65			
Victoria	2	...	2	2	...	2			
South Australia ...	4	84	88	3	41	44			
Singapore	34	...	34	23	...	23			
	167	84	251	93	41	134	...	...	Free.
OARS:							£		
United Kingdom ...	6	...	6	4	...	4			
Victoria	2	4	6	16	30	46			
Singapore	5	...	5	11	...	11			
U.S. of America ...	124	...	124	137	...	137			
	137	4	141	168	30	198	198	19 16 0	10 per cent.
OATMEAL:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons. cwts.		
United Kingdom ...	5 6½	...	5 6½	89	...	89			
Victoria	0 5	651 10¼	651 15¼	5	10,059	10,064			
South Australia ...	...	53 4	53 4	...	815	815			
New South Wales ...	...	32 14¼	32 14¼	...	531	531			
New Zealand	...	16 2	16 2	...	216	216			
Singapore	1 15¼	...	1 15¼	28	...	28			
Germany	0 1	..	0 1	1	...	1			
France	0 3	...	0 3	3	...	3			
	7 10¾	753 10½	761 1¼	126	11,621	11,747 ✓	598 0½	598 0 6	20s. per ton. From Aug. 18, '98, free.
OIL.									
Castor (Refined):	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	597	...	597	307	...	307			
Victoria	30	22	52	20	27	47			
South Australia ...	7	33	40	5	22	27			
France	6	...	6	4	...	4			
	640	55	695	336	49	385 ✓	372	55 16 0	15 per cent.

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OIL—*continued.*									
COD, REFINED:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	65	...	65	132	...	132			
Victoria	2	2	4	4	7	11			
South Australia ...	3	1	4	11	3	14			
	70	3	73	147	10	157	157	7 17 0	5 per cent.
EUCALYPTUS:									
United Kingdom ...	10	...	10	25	...	25			
Victoria	...	192	192	...	721	721			
South Australia ...	...	215	215	...	643	643			
New South Wales...	...	6	6	...	22	22			
	10	413	423	25	1,386	1,411	1,411	282 4 0	20 per cent.
FISH AND VEGETABLE:	gallons	gallons	gallons						
United Kingdom:	34,572	...	34,572	2,977	...	2,977			
Victoria	28,938	5,536	34,474	3,287	629	3,916			
South Australia ...	19,536	19,492	39,028	2,358	1,987	4,345			
New South Wales...	812	3,546	4,358	118	350	468			
Singapore	11,077	...	11,077	1,245	...	1,245			
Hong Kong ...	170	...	170	13	...	13			
India	735	...	735	83	...	83			
U.S. of America ...	3,920	...	3,920	317	...	317			
	99,760	28,574	128,334	10,398	2,966	13,364	...	...	Free.
KEROSENE:									
United Kingdom ...	38,101	...	38,101	828	...	828			
Victoria	149,861	...	149,861	4,736	...	4,736			
South Australia ...	42,318	...	42,318	1,455	...	1,455			
New South Wales...	6,400	...	6,400	192	...	192			
Singapore	5,248	...	5,248	218	...	218			
U.S. of America ...	815,330	...	815,330	17,621	...	17,621			
Germany	40	...	40	5	...	5			
	1,057,298	...	1,057,298	25,055	...	25,055	...	...	Free.
MINERAL, N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	10,847	...	10,847	836	...	836			
Victoria	55,659	3,770	59,429	5,663	393	6,056			
South Australia ...	10,646	546	11,192	709	24	733			
New South Wales...	2,390	2,417	4,807	266	177	443			
Singapore	63	...	63	6	...	6			
U.S. of America ...	9,726	...	9,726	454	...	454			
Germany	12	...	12	19	...	19			
	89,343	6,733	96,076	7,953	594	8,547	...	...	Free.
SALAD:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	414	...	414	368	...	368			
Victoria	19	32	51	30	33	63			
South Australia ...	109	118	227	95	95	190			
New South Wales...	4	85	89	4	51	55			
Singapore	11	...	11	9	...	9			
France	2	...	2	2	...	2			
Germany	24	...	24	19	...	19			
	583	235	818	527	179	706 ✓	679	101 17 0	15 per cent.

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Oil—continued.									
Sandalwood:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	5	...	5			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	4	4			
South Australia ...	...	6	6	...	6	6			
Germany	7	...	7	6	...	6			
	8	7	15	11	10	21	21	4 4 0	20 per cent.
Turpentine:	gallons	gallons	gallons						
United Kingdom ...	701	...	701	66	...	66			
Victoria	2,306	...	2,306	225	...	225			
South Australia ...	1,567	...	1,567	159	...	159			
New South Wales...	2,224	...	2,224	229	...	229			
Singapore	33	...	33	4	...	4			
U.S. of America ...	5,170	...	5,170	422	...	422			
	12,001	...	12,001	1,105	...	1,105	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	379	...	379	482	...	482			
Victoria	57	102	159	105	124	229			
South Australia ...	23	242	265	24	213	237			
New South Wales...	40	44	84	17	57	74			
Singapore	51	...	51	36	...	36			
U.S. of America ...	41	...	41	33	...	33			
France	40	...	40	27	...	27			
Germany	6	...	6	3	...	3			
	637	388	1,025	727	394	1,121	1,133	169 19 0	15 per cent.
Oil Cake:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
Victoria	...	1 0	1 0	...	6	6			
New South Wales ...	15 10	12 10	28 0	60	73	133			
Singapore	67 6¼	...	67 6¼	248	...	248			
	82 16¼	13 10	96 6¼	308	79	387	94 7⅙	47 3 7	10s. per ton
Oilmen's Stores, n.o.e.:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	3,889	...	3,889	6,908	...	6,908			
Victoria	289	2,313	2,602	450	2,659	3,109			
South Australia ...	260	685	945	622	886	1,508			
New South Wales ...	73	222	295	108	361	469			
Queensland	...	24	24	...	36	36			
New Zealand	...	3	3	...	5	5			
Tasmania	...	64	64	...	67	67			
Singapore	333	...	333	729	...	729			
Hong Kong	3	...	3	22	...	22			
Ceylon	12	...	12	17	...	17			
France	36	...	36	84	...	84			
U.S. of America ...	25	...	25	54	...	54			
Germany	9	...	9	9	...	9			
Belgium	10	...	10	22	...	22			
Japan	14	...	14	11	...	11			
Italy	1	...	1	4	...	4			
	4,954	3,311	8,265	9,040	4,014	13,054	12,505	1,875 15 0	15 per cent.

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ONIONS:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	£	£	£	tons cwts.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	21 9		21 9	141		141			
Victoria	...	1,239 19¾	1,239 19¾	...	7,982	7,982			
South Australia ...	...	304 12¾	304 12¾	...	2,482	2,482			
New South Wales ...	...	34 4¼	34 4¼	...	313	313			
Tasmania	...	3 6	3 6	...	17	17			
Singapore	80 19¾	...	80 19¾	850	...	850			
Italy	10 0	...	10 0	102	...	102			
	112 8¾	1,582 2¾	1,694 11½	1,093	10,794	11,887	1,695 8⅚	1,695 8 10	20s. per ton.
OPIUM:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	22¼	...	22¼	13	...	13			
Victoria	1,020	...	1,020	1,488	...	1,488			
South Australia ...	276½	...	276½	412	...	412			
New South Wales ...	289¾	...	289¾	443	...	443			
Hong Kong	96	...	96	138	...	138			
Germany	2	...	2	1	...	1			
	1,706½	...	1,706½	2,495	...	2,495	1,909½	2,864 5 0	30s. per lb.
PAINTS AND COLOURS:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	11,713	...	11,713	5,640	...	5,640			
Victoria	259	278	537	359	414	773			
South Australia ...	377	393	770	337	424	761			
New South Wales ...	9	51	60	22	109	131			
Singapore	830	...	830	276	...	276			
France	1	...	1	4	...	4			
U.S. of America ...	41	...	41	111	...	111			
Germany	5	...	5	12	...	12			
Belgium	2	...	2	11	...	11			
Cape Colony	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	13,238	722	13,960	6,773	947	7,720	7,802	780 4 0	10 per cent.
PAPER.									
CIRCULARS AND ADVERTISING MATTER:									
United Kingdom ...	284	...	284	794	...	794			
Victoria	27	196	223	139	971	1,110			
South Australia ...	5	52	57	38	128	166			
New South Wales	32	52	84	121	209	330			
New Zealand ...	...	2	2	...	2	2			
Singapore	25	...	25	49	...	49			
France	1	...	1	1	...	1			
U.S. of America ...	13	...	13	41	...	41			
Germany	4	...	4	67	...	67			
Belgium	4	...	4	6	...	6			
	395	302	697	1,256	1,310	2,566	2,555	383 5 0	15 per cent.
BAGS:									
United Kingdom ...	479	...	479	1,610	...	1,610			
Victoria	37	121	158	92	309	401			
South Australia ...	104	159	263	283	303	586			
New South Wales	40	169	209	104	309	413			
Singapore	38	...	38	43	...	43			
France	6	...	6	49	...	49			
U.S. of America ...	331	...	331	241	...	241			
Germany	9	...	9	19	...	19			
	1,044	449	1,493	2,441	921	3,362	3,389	508 7 0	15 per cent.

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PAPER—*continued.*									
PRINTING, FOR NEWSPAPERS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	439	...	439	3,048	...	3,048			
Victoria	49	138	187	292	653	945			
South Australia ...	...	77	77	...	300	300			
Vew South Wales	67	652	719	273	2,741	3,014			
New Zealand ...	...	3	3	...	10	10			
Singapore	5	...	5	24	...	24			
U.S. of America ...	25	...	25	85	...	85			
Germany	282	...	282	693	...	693			
	867	870	1,737	4,415	3,704	8,119	...	...	Free.
UNPRINTED, IN THE FLAT:									
United Kingdom ...	1,857	...	1,857	10,298	...	10,298			
Victoria	180	433	613	1,184	2,323	3,507			
South Australia ...	166	106	272	656	873	1,529			
New South Wales ...	42	202	244	148	1,094	1,242			
Singapore	24	...	24	62	...	62			
France	5	...	5	11	...	11			
U.S. of America ...	56	...	56	334	...	334			
Germany	277	...	277	502	...	502			
Belgium	10	...	10	40	...	40			
	2,617	741	3,358	13,235	4,290	17,525	...	...	Free.
WALL:									
United Kingdom ...	139	...	139	998	...	998			
Victoria	1	4	5	1	3	4			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	20	20			
New South Wales ...	...	12	12	...	99	99			
Singapore	2	...	2	7	...	7			
	142	19	161	1,006	122	1,128	1,128	169 4 0	15 per cent.
PAPIER-MACHE WARES:									
Victoria	2	...	2	1	...	1			
Singapore	1	...	1	11	...	11			
Belgium	1	...	1	3	...	3			
	4	...	4	15	...	15	15	3 0 0	20 per cent.
PARAFFINE WAX:									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	3	...	3			
Victoria	741	...	741	1,561	...	1,561			
South Australia ...	24	...	24	75	...	75			
U.S. of America ...	40	...	40	63	...	63			
	807	...	807	1,702	...	1,702	...	...	Free.
PATENT FUEL:									
Victoria	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	Free.
PEAS.									
SPLIT:	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.				cwts.		
United Kingdom ...	745¾	...	745¾	301	...	301			
Victoria	10½	473	483½	7	300	307			
South Australia ...	17¾	132½	150¼	10	69	79			
New South Wales ...	...	50½	50½	...	30	30			
Singapore	13	...	13	7	...	7			
France	22	...	22	14	...	14			
	809	656	1,465	339	399	738 ✓	1,453½	145 7 0	2s. per cwt.

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PEAS—*cotd.* WHOLE :	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	£	£	£	bushels.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	15½	...	15½	3	...	3			
Victoria	24	4,758¼	4,782¼	6	768	774			
South Australia ...	...	349¾	349¾	...	85	85			
New South Wales...	...	166¾	166¾	...	50	50			
Singapore	84¼	...	84¼	13	...	13			
	123¾	5,274¾	5,398½	22	903	925 ✓	4,653	116 6 6	6d. per bushel.
PEEL, CANDIED :	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	25,808	...	25,808	343	...	343			
Victoria	504	1,106	1,610	9	23	32			
South Australia ...	439	1,569	2,008	8	28	36			
New South Wales ...	...	112	112	...	2	2			
Singapore	154	...	154	2	...	2			
	26,905	2,787	29,692	362	53	415 ✓	27,179	339 14 9	3d. per lb.
PEPPER. GROUND :									
United Kingdom ...	952½	...	952½	49	...	49			
Victoria	8,701½	674	9,375½	392	58	450			
South Australia ...	6,368½	...	6,368½	271	...	271			
New South Wales...	112	...	112	3	...	3			
Singapore	282	...	282	12	...	12			
France	9	...	9	1	...	1			
	16,425½	674	17,099½	728	58	786	17,218⅔	215 4 8	3d. per lb.
WHOLE ;									
Victoria	17,050¼	...	17,050¼	603	...	603			
South Australia ...	5,650	...	5,650	208	...	208			
Singapore	21,183	...	21,183	622	...	622			
	43,883¼	...	43,883¼	1,433	...	1,433	38,003	158 6 11	1d. per lb.
PERAMBULATORS :	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	32	...	32	264	...	264			
Victoria	45	17	62	180	139	319			
South Australia ...	2	1	3	4	1	5			
New South Wales ...	1	4	5	2	17	19			
Singapore	2	...	2	5	...	5			
France	1	...	1	6	...	6			
U.S. of America ...	20	...	20	160	...	160			
	103	22	125	621	157	778	820	82 0 0	10 per cent.
PERFUMERY AND POMADES :									
United Kingdom ...	312	...	312	2,006	...	2,006			
Victoria	30	73	103	290	158	448			
South Australia ...	17	35	52	88	114	202			
New South Wales ...	21	50	71	108	131	239			
Queensland	...	1	1	...	1	1			
Singapore	29	...	29	45	...	45			
Ceylon	10	...	10	18	...	18			
Hong Kong	1	...	1	3	...	3			
France	20	...	20	521	...	521			
U.S. of America ...	7	...	7	47	...	47			
Germany	40	...	40	396	...	396			
Belgium	5	...	5	134	...	134			
	492	159	651	3,656	404	4,060	3,913	782 12 0	20 per cent.

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PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIAL:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	223	...	223	2,576	...	2,576			
Victoria	136	52	188	991	420	1,411			
South Australia ...	28	12	40	246	48	294			
New South Wales ...	31	48	79	310	503	813			
Singapore	5	...	5	13	...	13			
Cape Colony	1	...	1	10	...	10			
France	2	...	2	3	...	3			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	8	...	8			
Germany	44	...	44	334	...	334			
Japan	1	...	1	10	...	10			
	472	112	584	4,501	971	5,472	5,405	540 10 0	10 per cent.
PHOTOGRAPHS:									
United Kingdom ...	13	...	13	46	...	46			
Victoria	...	12	12	...	252	252			
South Australia ...	...	6	6	...	60	60			
New South Wales ...	...	3	3	...	9	9			
Hong Kong	4	...	4	3	...	3			
Germany	1	...	1	4	...	4			
	18	21	39	53	321	374	...	...	Free.
PICKLES:									
United Kingdom ...	6,869	...	6,869	3,376	...	3,376			
Victoria	265	155	420	209	129	338			
South Australia ...	240	444	684	141	272	413			
New South Wales ...	65	380	445	36	233	269			
Singapore	420	...	420	227	...	227			
France	33	...	33	22	...	22			
	7,892	979	8,871	4,011	634	4,645	4,468	670 4 0	15 per cent.
PICTURE FRAMES & BACKS:									
United Kingdom ...	53	...	53	272	...	272			
Victoria	9	48	57	24	211	235			
South Australia ...	3	26	29	9	26	35			
New South Wales ...	2	21	23	9	85	94			
Singapore	9	...	9	9	...	9			
Germany	15	...	15	89	...	89			
	91	95	186	412	322	734	733	146 12 0	20 per cent.
PITCH:									
United Kingdom ...	403	...	403	139	...	139			
Victoria	59	178	237	26	128	154			
South Australia ...	3	6	9	5	7	12			
New South Wales ...	38	181	219	112	476	588			
Singapore	50	...	50	17	...	17			
	553	365	918	299	611	910	...	...	Free.
PLANTS, SEEDS, AND BULBS:									
United Kingdom ...	32	...	32	147	...	147			
Victoria	...	553	553	...	2,180	2,180			
South Australia ...	...	366	366	...	2,074	2,074			
New South Wales ...	2	179	181	15	1,120	1,135			
Singapore	16	...	16	6	...	6			
France	2	...	2	23	...	23			
Germany	2	...	2	53	...	53			
Belgium	2	...	2	5	...	5			
	56	1,098	1,154	249	5,374	5,623	...	...	Free.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Dut and whe imposed.
PLATE, ELECTRO:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	194	...	194	5,411	...	5,411			
Victoria	54	64	118	752	695	1,447			
South Australia ...	19	25	44	301	540	841			
New South Wales ...	5	22	27	76	449	525			
Queensland	...	...	...	1	2	3			
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	3	3			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	2	2			
Singapore	4	...	4	99	...	99			
India	...	...	...	4	...	4			
France	2	...	2	3	...	3			
U.S. of America ...	22	...	22	261	...	261			
Germany	5	...	5	115	...	115			
	305	111	416	7,023	1,691	8,714	8,248	1,237 4 0	15 per cent.
PLATE, SILVER AND GOLD:									
United Kingdom ...	54	...	54	886	...	886			
Victoria	10	16	26	70	97	167			
South Australia ...	...	7	7	4	37	41			
New South Wales ...	1	7	8	41	21	62			
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	2	2			
Singapore	2	...	2	3	...	3			
Germany	1	...	1	12	...	12			
	68	30	98	1,016	157	1,173	1,128	225 12 0	20 per cent.
PLASTER OF PARIS:	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.				cwts.		
United Kingdom ...	233	...	233	42	...	42			
Victoria	19¾	...	19¾	5	...	5			
South Australia ...	4½	14½	19	2	2	4			
New South Wales ...	18	½	18½	3	1	4			
U.S. of America ...	4,363½	...	4,363½	455	...	455			
Germany	196½	...	196½	35	...	35			
	4,835¼	15	4,850¼	542	3	545	4,525	452 10 0	2s. per cwt.
PLAYING CARDS:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	22	...	22	74	...	74			
Victoria	8	5	13	63	4	67			
South Australia ...	20	6	26	194	3	197			
New South Wales ...	9	...	9	52	...	52			
Singapore	3	...	3	3	...	3			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	59	...	59			
	67	11	78	445	7	452	444	88 16 0	20 per cent.
POLLARD:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.				tons cwts.		
Victoria	...	1,009 10½	1,009 10½	...	3,415	3,415			
South Australia ...	...	141 10½	141 10½	...	558	558			
New South Wales ...	...	813 6¾	813 6¾	...	2,858	2,858			
New Zealand	...	19 12½	19 12½	...	75	75			
	...	1,984 0¼	1,984 0¼	...	6,906	6,906	1,973 $5\frac{5}{12}$	1,973 5 5	20s. per ton.
POTATOES:									
United Kingdom ...	2 2	...	2 2	28	...	28			
Victoria	...	7,113 15¼	7,113 15¼	...	58,138	58,138			
South Australia ...	...	158 11¾	158 11¾	...	1,435	1,435			
New South Wales ...	...	866 10¾	866 10¾	...	7,215	7,215			
New Zealand	...	32 6¾	32 6¾	...	267	267			
Tasmania	...	207 0¼	207 0¼	...	1,524	1,524			
Singapore	95 8½	...	95 8½	823	...	823			
	97 10½	8,378 4¾	8,475 15¼	851	68,579	69,430	8,498 6⅙	8,498 6 2	20s. per ton.

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POWDER—BAKING, EGG, AND YEAST:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	26,107	...	26,107	1,539	...	1,539			
Victoria	3,125	99,672¾	102,797¾	140	3,985	4,125			
South Australia ...	1,497	16,599	18,096	56	598	654			
New South Wales ...	...	794	794	...	30	30			
Singapore	975	...	975	43	...	43			
France	216	...	216	12	...	12			
U.S. of America ...	342	...	342	8	...	8			
	32,262	117,065¾	149,327¾	1,798	4,613	6,411	145,190⅔	1,814 17 8	3d. per lb.
PRECIOUS STONES:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	3	...	3	166	...	166			
Victoria	1	11	12	38	116	154			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	1	1			
New South Wales ...	...	3	3	...	75	75			
Queensland	...	...	...	...	3	3			
Ceylon	3	...	3	120	...	120			
India	...	...	...	1	...	1			
	7	15	22	325	195	520	520	104 0 0	20 per cent
PRESSES—COPYING AND EMBOSSING:									
United Kingdom ...	58	...	58	236	...	236			
Victoria	5	2	7	28	13	41			
South Australia ...	2	...	2	3	2	5			
New South Wales ...	1	1	2	3	6	9			
Singapore	1	...	1	7	...	7			
U.S. of America ...	2	...	2	20	...	20			
Germany	2	...	2	11	...	11			
	71	3	74	308	21	329	304	15 4 0	5 per cent.
PRINTING PRESSES, TYPE, AND MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	600	...	600	2,031	...	2,031			
Victoria	83	27	110	936	291	1,227			
South Australia ...	2	6	8	112	92	204			
New South Wales ...	14	19	33	269	297	566			
Germany	1	...	1	11	...	11			
	700	52	752	3,359	680	4,039	136	6 16 0	Free. From Aug. 18, '98, machinery 5 per cent.
PRINTS, PAINTINGS, AND STATUARY:									
United Kingdom ...	60	...	60	292	...	292			
Victoria	18	26	44	127	67	194			
South Australia ...	8	7	15	45	11	56			
New South Wales ...	5	10	15	14	19	33			
New Zealand	...	1	1	...	3	3			
Tasmania	...	1	1	...	3	3			
Singapore	3	...	3	26	...	26			
Ceylon	1	...	1	12	...	12			
Germany	2	...	2	44	...	44			
Belgium	2	...	2	14	...	14			
Norway	...	...	...	2	...	2			
	99	45	144	576	103	679	659	131 16 0	20 per cent.

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PUMPS AND APPARATUS FOR RAISING WATER:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	266	...	266	2,661	...	2,661			
Victoria	90	89	179	738	2,046	2,784			
South Australia ...	46	205	251	466	1,087	1,553			
New South Wales ...	40	115	155	557	2,175	2,732			
Queensland	...	1	1	...	27	27			
Singapore	35	...	35	175	...	175			
U.S. of America ...	481	...	481	3,852	...	3,852			
Germany	4	...	4	34	...	34			
	962	410	1,372	8,483	5,335	13,818	3,670	183 10 0	Free. From Aug. 18th, 1898, 5 per cent.
PUTTY:									
United Kingdom ...	468	...	468	272	...	272			
Victoria	28	42	70	12	33	45			
South Australia ...	36	23	59	9	33	42			
Singapore	5	...	5	10	...	10			
	537	65	602	303	66	369	370	55 10 0	15 per cent.
QUICKSILVER:									
United Kingdom ...	528	...	528	3,736	...	3,736			
Victoria	62	...	62	516	...	516			
South Australia ...	44	...	44	385	...	385			
New South Wales ...	...	13	13	...	104	104			
Singapore	14	...	14	89	...	89			
Italy	30	...	30	226	...	226			
	678	13	691	4,952	104	5,056	...	...	Free.
RAILWAY STORES (GOVERNMENT).									
CARRIAGES, WAGONS, AND PARTS									
United Kingdom ...	1,205	...	1,205	128,779	...	128,779	...	...	Free.
RAILS AND FASTENINGS									
United Kingdom ...	52,829	...	52,829	48,286	...	48,286			
Singapore	668	...	668	1703	...	1,703			
	53,497	...	53,497	49,989	...	49,989	...	...	Free.
WHEELS, TIRES, AND AXLES:									
United Kingdom ...	850	...	850	9,094	...	9,094			
Singapore	301	...	301	3,682	...	3,682			
	1,151	...	1,151	12,776	...	12,776	...	...	Free.
LOCOMOTIVES AND PARTS:									
United Kingdom ...	52	...	52	117,460	...	117,460			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	7,950	7,950			
Singapore	191	...	191	3,960	...	3,960			
	243	3	246	121,420	7,950	129,370	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.									
United Kingdom ...	3,039	...	3,039	32,073	...	32,073			
Victoria	135	172	307	1,183	1,352	2,535			
New South Wales...	144	...	144	316	...	316			
Singapore	126	...	126	1,935	...	1,935			
U.S. of America ...	52	...	52	536	...	536			
	3,496	172	3,668	36,043	1,352	37,395	...	...	Free.

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RAILWAY STORES (ALL OTHERS).									
CARRIAGES, WAGONS, AND PARTS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	438	...	438	1,049	...	1,049			
Victoria	47	306	353	203	192	395			
South Australia ..	...	216	216	...	912	912			
New South Wales...	...	14	14	...	34	34			
Singapore	27	...	27	139	...	139			
U.S. of America ...	9	...	9	59	...	59			
Germany	3	...	3	91	...	91			
Belgium	52	...	52	80	...	80			
	576	536	1,112	1,621	1,138	2,759	...	...	Free.
RAILS AND FASTENINGS:									
United Kingdom ...	17,918	...	17,918	10,412	...	10,412			
Victoria	2,054	6	2,060	784	43	827			
South Australia ...	3,136	6	3,142	934	30	964			
New South Wales...	888	...	888	885	...	885			
Tasmania	3,277	...	3,277	3,044	...	3,044			
Singapore	854	...	854	170	...	170			
U.S. of America ...	3,319	...	3,319	466	...	466			
Germany	3,671	...	3,671	504	...	504			
Belgium	2,556	...	2,556	537	...	537			
	37,673	12	37,685	17,736	73	17,809	...	...	Free.
WHEELS, TIRES, AND AXLES:									
United Kingdom ...	514	...	514	1,265	...	1,265			
Victoria	112	...	112	224	...	224			
South Australia ...	66	...	66	56	...	56			
U.S. of America ...	6	...	6	80	...	80			
	698	...	698	1,625	...	1,625	...	...	Free.
LOCOMOTIVES AND PARTS:									
United Kingdom ...	16	...	16	842	...	842			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	7	7			
	16	1	17	842	7	849	...	...	Free.
N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	178	...	178	705	...	705			
Victoria	178	64	242	199	567	766			
South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	30	30			
New South Wales...	1	1	2	11	18	29			
Singapore	7	...	7	23	...	23			
	364	67	431	938	615	1,553	...	...	Free.
RESIN:									
United Kingdom ...	4	...	4	110	...	110			
Victoria	59	...	59	56	...	56			
South Australia ...	166	...	166	232	...	232			
New South Wales ...	139	...	139	166	...	166			
U.S. of America ...	415	...	415	251	...	251			
	783	...	783	815	...	815	...	...	Free.

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Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities. British and Foreign produce.	Quantities. Australasian produce.	Quantities. Total.	Value. British and Foreign produce.	Value. Australasian produce.	Value. Total.	Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse. Quantities or Values entered.	Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse. Total Amount of Duty collected.	Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse. Rate of Duty and when imposed.
RICE. — WHOLE:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	2 3	...	2 3	21	...	21			
Victoria	464 8	...	464 8	6,908	...	6,908			
South Australia ...	99 5	...	99 5	1,464	...	1,464			
New South Wales	82 12	...	82 12	1,330	...	1,330			
Singapore	678 14	...	678 14	6,559	...	6,559			
Hong Kong ...	7 5	...	7 5	48	...	48			
Siam	100 10	...	100 10	375	...	375			
	1,434 17	...	1,434 17	16,705	...	16,705 ✓	...	...	Free.
							16	897	
PADDY:									
Singapore ...	3 10	...	3 10	22	...	22 ✓	...	...	Free.
GROUND AND MEAL:									
United Kingdom ...	0 1	...	0 1	1	...	1			
Victoria	4 3	...	4 3	73	...	73			
South Australia ...	1 1	...	1 1	22	...	22			
New South Wales	4 5	...	4 5	71	...	71			
Singapore	0 5	...	0 5	3	...	3			
	9 15	...	9 15	170	...	170 ✓	...	...	Free.
SACCHARINE:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	9	...	9			
Victoria	1	25	26	3	125	128			
New South Wales ...	1	2	3	9	18	27			
	3	27	30	21	143	164	164	32 16 0	20 per cent.
SADDLERS' IRONMONGERY, FURNITURE, & MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	183	...	183	2,047	...	2,047			
Victoria	27	33	60	126	239	365			
South Australia ...	60	71	131	320	591	911			
New South Wales ...	18	4	22	113	29	142			
Singapore	8	...	8	37	...	37			
France	3	...	3	22	...	22			
U.S. of America ...	3	...	3	9	...	9			
Germany	3	...	3	14	...	14			
	305	108	413	2,688	859	3,547	...	...	Free.
SAILS:									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	2	...	2			
Victoria	...	12	12	...	29	29			
South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	8	8			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	7	7			
Singapore	3	...	3	10	...	10			
	4	14	18	12	44	56	36	7 4 0	20 per cent.
SALT. — ROCK:									
United Kingdom ...	100	...	100	8	...	8			
Victoria	10	148	158	10	22	32			
South Australia ...	14	49	63	2	10	12			
New South Wales	...	8	8	...	2	2			
Germany	3	...	3	1	...	1			
	127	205	332	21	34	55	55	2 15 0	5 per cent.

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SALT—*continued.* N.O.E.:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	£	£	£	tons cwts.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	150 18¾	...	150 18¾	270	...	270			
Victoria	21 0	219 18¼	240 18¼	50	508	558			
South Australia ...	8 10	651 10½	660 0½	16	1,043	1,059			
New South Wales	...	209 2¾	209 2¾	...	519	519			
Queensland ...	...	1 16	1 16	...	4	4			
New Zealand ...	...	0 19	0 19	...	3	3			
Singapore	10 18¾	...	10 18¾	20	...	20			
Germany	50 0	...	50 0	100	...	100			
	241 7½	1,083 6½	1,324 14	456	2,077	2,533	1,339 19⅔	1,339 19 8	20s. per ton.
SAUCES:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	3,114	...	3,114	4,219	...	4,219			
Victoria	317	5,724	6,041	377	3,666	4,043			
South Australia ...	181	1,143	1,324	221	877	1,098			
New South Wales ...	9	157	166	17	131	148			
Tasmania	...	55	55	...	30	30			
Singapore	563	...	563	473	...	473			
Hong Kong	9	...	9	4	...	4			
France	14	...	14	17	...	17			
U.S. of America ...	6	...	6	3	...	3			
Japan	7	...	7	2	...	2			
	4,220	7,079	11,299	5,333	4,704	10,037	9,900	1,485 0 0	15 per cent.
SAUSAGE SKINS:									
Victoria	34	6	40	64	46	110			
South Australia ...	150	8	158	270	46	316			
New South Wales ...	...	5	5	...	12	12			
	184	19	203	334	104	438	639	95 17 0	15 per cent.
SCREWS:									
United Kingdom ...	398	...	398	1,571	...	1,571			
Victoria	66	...	66	160	...	160			
South Australia ...	115	1	116	136	1	137			
New South Wales ...	4	...	4	69	...	69			
France	1	...	1	11	...	11			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	11	...	11			
Germany	1	...	1	5	...	5			
	590	1	591	1,963	1	1,964	...	...	Free.
SEWING MACHINES:									
United Kingdom ...	161	...	161	715	...	715			
Victoria	122	46	168	433	219	652			
South Australia ...	120	47	167	456	267	723			
New South Wales ...	32	43	75	116	175	291			
Singapore	3	...	3	18	...	18			
U.S. of America ...	874	...	874	2,845	...	2,845			
Germany	63	...	63	137	...	137			
Belgium	5	...	5	16	...	16			
	1,380	136	1,516	4,736	661	5,397	5,377	806 11 0	15 per cent.
SHEATHING. COPPER METAL:									
United Kingdom ...	77	...	77	695	...	695			
Victoria	1	...	1	14	...	14			
South Australia ...	6	...	6	51	...	51			
New South Wales	3	...	3	58	...	58			
Singapore	21	...	21	232	...	232			
Germany	6	...	6	69	...	69			
	114	...	114	1,119	...	1,119	...	...	Free.

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SHEATHING—*ctd.* FELT:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom	12	...	12	17	...	17			
Singapore ...	8	...	8	13	...	13			
	20	...	20	30	...	30	...	...	Free.
SHEEP DIP:									
United Kingdom ...	105	...	105	184	...	184			
South Australia ...	17	...	17	50	...	50			
New South Wales ...	...	50	50	...	175	175			
	122	50	172	234	175	409	...	...	Free.
SHEEP SKINS:									
Victoria	...	883	883	...	48	48			
South Australia ...	...	40	40	...	3	3			
New South Wales ...	...	518	518	...	49	49			
Singapore	15	...	15	1	...	1			
	15	1,441	1,456	1	100	101	101	15 3 0	15 per cent.
SHELLAC:									
United Kingdom ...	9	...	9	29	...	29			
Victoria	...	52	52	...	57	57			
South Australia ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	8	8			
	9	53	62	29	66	95	95	4 15 0	5 per cent.
SHOEMAKERS' GRINDERY:									
United Kingdom ...	120	...	120	1,583	...	1,583			
Victoria	206	33	239	1,385	192	1,577			
South Australia ...	14	5	19	118	161	279			
New South Wales ...	...	4	4	...	20	20			
Singapore	2	...	2	33	...	33			
Germany	7	...	7	17	...	17			
	349	42	391	3,136	373	3,509	...	...	Free.
SIEVES, OF ALL KINDS:									
United Kingdom ...	35	...	35	55	...	55			
Victoria	12	3	15	30	3	33			
South Australia ...	4	1	5	7	1	8			
Singapore	3	...	3	20	...	20			
	54	4	58	112	4	116	...	...	Free.
SMELTING MATERIAL:									
United Kingdom ...	20	...	20	136	...	136			
Victoria	...	4	4	...	145	145			
South Australia ...	...	16,634	16,634	...	6,579	6,579			
	20	16,638	16,658	136	6,724	6,860	...	...	Free.
SNUFF:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	344	...	344	38	...	38			
Victoria	4	90	94	1	18	19			
Singapore	1½	...	1½	1	...	1			
Germany	80	...	80	4	...	4			
	429½	90	519½	44	18	62	516⅙	154 17 2	6s. per lb.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
SOAP.									
N.O.E:	cwts.	cwts,	cwts.	£	£	£	cwts.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	529¼	...	529¼	678	...	678			
Victoria	617¾	625¼	1,243	911	750	1,661			
South Australia ...	243¾	528	771¾	320	512	832			
New South Wales...	1,820	2,727	4,547	2,569	4,081	6,650			
Singapore	48¼	...	48¼	48	...	48			
France	1¼	...	1¼	2	...	2			
U.S. of America ...	27	...	27	53	...	53			
Germany	1¾	...	1¾	2	...	2			
	3,289	3,880¼	7,169¼	4,583	5,343	9,926	6,922$\frac{1}{40}$	2,065 19 2	5s. per cwt. From 18 Aug, 1898, 7s. 6d. per cwt.
FANCY, POWDER, AND EXTRACT:	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	592	...	592	2,751	...	2,751			
Victoria	109	610	719	581	1,067	1,648			
South Australia ...	79	432	511	137	722	859			
New South Wales	26	35	61	114	198	312			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	2	2			
Singapore	30	...	30	76	...	76			
France	3	...	3	17	...	17			
U.S. of America ...	95	...	95	353	...	353			
Germany	5	...	5	32	...	32			
	939	1,077	2,016	4,061	1,989	6,050	5,886	1,177 4 0	20 per cent.
SOAPMAKERS' MATERIAL, N.O.E.:									
United Kingdom ...	9	...	9	30	...	30			
Victoria	3	...	3	18	...	18			
South Australia ...	...	83	83	...	317	317			
New South Wales ...	...	8	8	...	55	55			
Singapore	12	...	12	5	...	5			
Germany	10	...	10	30	...	30			
	34	91	125	83	372	455	...	...	Free.
SOLDER:									
United Kingdom ...	45	...	45	117	...	117			
Victoria	1	1	2	13	4	17			
South Australia ...	2	17	19	26	188	214			
Germany	65	...	65	19	...	19			
	113	18	131	175	192	367	...	...	Free.
SPICES.									
GROUND:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.				lbs.		
United Kingdom ...	2,169½	...	2,169½	64	...	64			
Victoria	2,837½	317	3,154½	154	17	171			
South Australia ...	2,062½	260	2,322½	93	22	115			
New South Wales	...	112	112	...	8	8			
Singapore	80	...	80	3	...	3			
France	316	...	316	9	...	9			
	7,465½	689	8,154½	323	47	370	8,504¾	141 14 11	4d. per lb.
WHOLE:									
United Kingdom ...	4,335	...	4,335	67	...	67			
Victoria	3,769¾	155	3,924¾	184	8	192			
South Australia ...	1,855	...	1,855	54	...	54			
New South Wales...	190	...	190	6	...	6			
Singapore	2,606	...	2,606	172	...	172			
France	112	...	112	1	...	1			
Germany	28	...	28	1	...	1			
	12,895¾	155	13,050¾	485	8	493	13,726	114 7 8	2d. per lb.

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	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.			Rate of Duty and when imposed.
SPIRITS.											
BRANDY:	gallons	gallons	gallons	£	£	£	gallons	£	s.	d.	
United Kingdom ...	14,215	...	14,215	8,648	...	8,648					
Victoria	8,646	1,328	9,974	4,654	689	5,343					
South Australia ...	1,706	1,298	3,004	655	604	1,259					
New South Wales...	2,000	80	2,080	1,630	123	1,753					
Singapore	8,336	...	8,336	5,419	...	5,419					
Cape Colony ...	2	...	2	1	...	1					
France	1,647	...	1,647	1,243	...	1,243					
Germany	45	...	45	27	...	27					
Belgium	6	...	6	1	...	1					
	36,603	2,706	39,309	22,278	1,416	23,694	$41{,}926\frac{25}{32}$	33,541	8	9	16s. per gal.
GENEVA AND SCHNAPPS:											
United Kingdom ...	2,533	...	2,533	545	...	545	$27{,}180\frac{13}{32}$	21,744	6	7	16s. per gal.
Victoria	3,762	...	3,762	1,426	...	1,426					
South Australia ...	616	...	616	273	...	273					
New South Wales...	306	...	306	79	...	79					
Singapore	2,577	...	2,577	405	...	405					
Germany	3,196	...	3,196	1,512	...	1,512					
Belgium	450	...	450	67	...	67					
Holland	372	...	372	58	...	58					
	13,812	...	13,812	4,365	...	4,365					
GIN:											
United Kingdom ...	9,595	...	9,595	2,164	...	2,164					
Victoria	1,157	234	1,391	329	65	394					
South Australia ...	147	84	231	49	22	71					
New South Wales...	70	50	120	21	15	36					
Singapore	247	...	247	56	...	56					
Germany	19	...	19	4	...	4					
	11,235	368	11,603	2,623	102	2,725					
RUM:											
United Kingdom ...	5,623	...	5,623	1,203	...	1,203					
Victoria	884	642	1,526	248	66	314					
South Australia ...	91	...	91	18	...	18					
New South Wales...	3,337	1,775	5,112	529	150	679					
Queensland ...	...	166	166	...	14	14					
Singapore	508	...	508	90	...	90					
	10,443	2,583	13,026	2,088	230	2,318	$18{,}145\frac{17}{32}$	14,516	8	8	16s. per gal.
WHISKY:											
United Kingdom ...	106,755	...	106,755	44,065	...	44,065					
Victoria	20,103	2,383	22,486	8,971	1,039	10,010					
South Australia ...	6,866	137	7,003	2,812	61	2,873					
New South Wales ...	4,384	1,484	5,868	1,833	604	2,437					
Singapore	24,732	...	24,732	8,796	...	8,796					
Hong Kong ...	30	...	30	3	...	3					
France	1	...	1	1	...	1					
U.S. of America ...	4	...	4	4	...	4					
Germany	38	...	38	11	...	11					
	162,913	4,004	166,917	66,496	1,704	68,200	$168{,}264\frac{26}{32}$	134,611	17	2	16s. per gal.

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Spirits—continued.									
Liqueurs and Cordials:	gallons	gallons	gallons	£	£	£	gallons	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	814	...	814	866	...	866			
Victoria	333	...	333	369	...	369			
South Australia ...	116	...	116	207	...	207			
New South Wales	137	...	137	109	...	109			
Singapore	84	...	84	63	...	63			
France	256	...	256	185	...	185			
U.S. of America ...	50	...	50	53	...	53			
Germany	236	...	236	168	...	168			
Belgium	82	...	82	41	...	41			
	2,108	...	2,108	2,061	...	2,061	1,810 26/32	1,448 13 2	16s. per gal.
Of Wine (Rectified):									
United Kingdom ...	161	...	161	18	...	18			
Victoria	1,180	440	1,620	108	46	154			
South Australia ...	15	3	18	2	1	3			
New South Wales	708	974	1,682	56	70	126			
Singapore	10	...	10	5	...	5			
U.S. of America ...	223	...	223	16	...	16			
Germany	938	...	938	63	...	63			
	3,235	1,417	4,652	268	117	385	1,353 23/32	1,082 19 8	16s. per gal.
Of Wine (Destroyed in Bond):									
Victoria	...	34	34	...	3	3			
Germany	13	...	13	1	...	1			
	13	34	47	1	3	4	1,352 1/10	338 0 6	5s. per gal.
Methylated:									
United Kingdom ...	642	...	642	57	...	57			
Victoria	599	1,229	1,828	64	148	212			
South Australia ...	146	113	259	24	24	48			
New South Wales	471	2,340	2,811	46	204	250			
Germany	260	...	260	25	...	25			
	2,118	3,682	5,800	216	376	592	6,992 1/4	699 4 2	2s. per gal.
Spun Yarn:	packages	packages	packages				£		
South Australia ...	5	...	5	7	...	7			
Singapore	1	...	1	2	...	2			
	6	...	6	9	...	9	9	0 9 0	5 per cent. From Aug. 18, 1898, 8s. per cwt
Starch:									
United Kingdom ...	2,822	...	2,822	1,398	...	1,398			
Victoria	219	2,561	2,780	146	1,329	1,475			
South Australia ...	116	89	205	76	63	139			
New South Wales ...	4	...	4	5	...	5			
Singapore	129	...	129	69	...	69			
U.S. of America ...	55	...	55	32	...	32			
Germany	705	...	705	292	...	292			
	4,050	2,650	6,700	2,018	1,392	3,410	3,379	506 17 0	15 per cent.

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STATIONERY:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1,640	...	1,640	17,902	...	17,902			
Victoria	96	886	982	817	8,090	8,907			
South Australia ...	134	250	384	1,387	2,157	3,544			
New South Wales ...	36	327	363	399	2,230	2,629			
Queensland	...	1	1	...	34	34			
New Zealand	...	5	5	2	75	77			
Singapore	34	...	34	203	...	203			
France	10	...	10	22	...	22			
U. S. of America ...	12	...	12	89	...	89			
Germany	28	...	28	313	...	313			
Belgium	3	...	3	20	...	20			
Japan	1	...	1	5	...	5			
Italy	2	...	2	9	...	9			
	1,996	1,469	3,465	21,168	12,586	33,754	33,607	5,041 1 0	15 per cent.
STAVES AND HOOPS:									
United Kingdom ...	222	...	222	973	...	973			
Victoria	...	1,718	1,718	...	1,227	1,227			
South Australia ...	20	1,528	1,548	32	2,415	2,447			
New South Wales ...	...	100	100	...	53	53			
Singapore	370	...	370	1,402	...	1,402			
U.S. of America ...	69	...	69	111	...	111			
Germany	17	...	17	129	...	129			
	698	3,346	4,044	2,647	3,695	6,342	6,328	316 8 0	5 per cent.
STEAM ENGINES AND PARTS:									
United Kingdom ...	206	...	206	5,221	...	5,221			
Victoria	5	120	125	259	3,880	4,139			
South Australia ...	2	23	25	11	802	813			
New South Wales ...	3	15	18	52	585	637			
Singapore	34	...	34	614	...	614			
U.S. of America ...	15	...	15	93	...	93			
	265	158	423	6,250	5,267	11,517	2,510	125 10 0	Free. From 18th Aug. '98, 5 per cent.; parts, 10 per cent.
STEARINE:									
United Kingdom ...	577	...	577	1,397	...	1,397			
South Australia ...	...	589	589	...	4,134	4,134			
Germany	165	...	165	349	...	349			
Belgium	253	...	253	569	...	569			
	995	589	1,584	2,315	4,134	6,449	...	...	Free.
STEEL:									
United Kingdom ...	8,404	...	8,404	9,464	...	9,464			
Victoria	1,474	151	1,625	1,364	119	1,483			
South Australia ...	1,117	...	1,117	1,047	...	1,047			
New South Wales ...	438	23	461	457	41	498			
Singapore	246	...	246	168	...	168			
U.S. of America ...	4	...	4	5	...	5			
Germany	91	...	91	164	...	164			
Belgium	35	...	35	10	...	10			
	11,809	174	11,983	12,679	160	12,839	...	...	Free.
STONES. GRIND:	No.	No.	No.						
United Kingdom ...	1,009	...	1,009	161	...	161			
Victoria	11	33	44	12	8	20			
South Australia ...	56	66	122	17	19	36			
New South Wales ...	1	8	9	2	1	3			
Singapore	19	...	19	6	...	6			
U.S. of America ...	3	...	3	2	...	2			
	1,099	107	1,206	200	28	228	228	11 8 0	5 per cent.

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Stones—ctd. N.O.E.:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	100	...	100	114	...	114			
Victoria	1	9	10	6	13	19			
South Australia ...	...	6	6	1	11	12			
New South Wales...	...	5	5	...	11	11			
U.S. of America ...	35	...	35	56	...	56			
	136	20	156	177	35	212	215	32 5 0	15 per cent.
Sugar:	tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.						
United Kingdom ...	32 6	...	32 6	364	...	364			
Victoria	256 8	2,480 19	2,737 7	3,654	34,616	38,270			
South Australia ...	30 13	2,817 0	2,847 13	404	40,759	41,163			
New South Wales ...	10 0	1,262 5	1,272 5	136	17,514	17,650			
Queensland	...	41 0	41 0	...	584	584			
Singapore	57 16	...	57 16	832	...	832			
Mauritius	36 16	...	36 16	567	...	567			
France	0 6	...	0 6	5	...	5			
U.S. of America ...	0 1	...	0 1	3	...	3			
Germany	966 14	...	966 14	11,647	...	11,647			
	1,391 0	6,601 4	7,992 4	17,612	93,473	111,085 ✓	...	...	Free.
Sulphate of Iron:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	60	...	60	52	...	52			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	1	1			
	60	1	61	52	1	53	53	2 13 0	5 per cent.
Sulphur:									
United Kingdom ...	148	...	148	106	...	106			
Victoria	19	81	100	15	51	66			
South Australia ...	33	1	34	19	2	21			
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	201	82	283	141	53	194	...	...	Free.
Tallow:									
United Kingdom ...	20	...	20	6	...	6			
Victoria	...	30	30	...	153	153			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	11	11			
	20	33	53	6	164	170	170	17 0 0	10 per cent.
Tanning Material (including Bark):									
United Kingdom ..	8	...	8	7	...	7			
Victoria	...	43	43	...	32	32			
South Australia ...	...	1,930	1,930	...	1,257	1,257			
	8	1,973	1,981	7	1,289	1,296 ✓	118	5 18 0	Free. Bark from Oct., 1898, 5 per cent.
Tar:									
United Kingdom ...	860	...	860	159	...	159			
Victoria	117	302	419	18	47	65			
South Australia ...	152	245	397	22	57	79			
New South Wales ...	...	90	90	...	87	87			
Singapore	159	...	159	37	...	37			
	1,288	637	1,925	236	191	427	...	...	Free.

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Tarpaulins:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	10	...	10			
Victoria	3	11	14	8	75	83			
South Australia ...	3	7	10	22	22	44			
New South Wales ...	...	1	1	...	1	1			
	7	19	26	40	98	138	138	✓ 27 12 0	20 per cent.
Tea:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.						
United Kingdom ...	167,764	...	167,764	6,199	...	6,199			
Victoria	538,500	...	538,500	22,086	...	22,086			
South Australia ...	641,856	...	641,856	26,838	...	26,838			
New South Wales ...	56,914	...	56,914	2,299	...	2,299			
Singapore	39,874	...	39,874	1,473	...	1,473			
Ceylon	135,507	...	135,507	5,690	...	5,690			
Hong Kong	1,240	...	1,240	25	...	25			
Germany	20,319	...	20,319	807	...	807			
	1,601,974	...	1,601,974	65,417	...	65,417	...	...	Free.
Telegraph and Telephone Material:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	19	...	19	79	...	79			
Victoria	16	1	17	115	11	126			
South Australia ...	...	...	...	24	...	24			
New South Wales ...	6	...	6	79	...	79			
Singapore	112	...	112	317	...	317			
	153	1	154	614	11	625	...	...	Free.
Tents and Cart Covers:									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	6	...	6			
Victoria	...	5	5	...	38	38			
South Australia ...	1	15	16	1	104	105			
New South Wales ...	2	1	3	4	11	15			
	5	21	26	11	153	164	164	✓ 24 12 0	15 per cent.
Tiles:									
United Kingdom ...	872	...	872	872	...	872			
Victoria	53	476	529	53	477	530			
South Australia ...	54	...	54	54	...	54			
New South Wales ...	...	488	488	...	487	487			
Germany	45	...	45	50	...	50			
Belgium	18	...	18	13	...	13			
	1,042	964	2,006	1,042	964	2,006	2,006	300 18 0	15 per cent.
Timber.									
Architraves:									
New South Wales	...	3	3	...	1	1	1	0 4 0	20 per cent.
Boards:									
United Kingdom ...	42,631	...	42,631	1,234	...	1,234			
Victoria	1,497	41	1,538	64	6	70			
South Australia ...	4,584	64	4,648	33	28	61			
New South Wales	...	1,448	1,448	...	45	45			
New Zealand ...	...	8,052	8,052	...	337	337			
Singapore	282	...	282	15	...	15			
U.S. of America ...	17,700	...	17,700	617	...	617			
Norway	15,328	...	15,328	491	...	491			
Sweden	257,659	...	257,659	7,701	...	7,701			
	339,681	9,605	349,286	10,155	416	10,571	10,571	2,114 4 0	20 per cent.

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TIMBER—*continued.*									
LATHS:	bundles	bundles	bundles	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	60	...	60	5	...	5			
Victoria	52	450	502	15	52	67			
South Australia ...	...	1,050	1,050	...	48	48			
New South Wales	2	6,239	6,241	10	362	372			
U.S. of America ...	774	...	774	25	...	25			
	888	7,739	8,627	55	462	517	517	103 8 0	20 per cent.
MOULDINGS:									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	7	...	7			
Victoria	4	1	5	2	8	10			
South Australia ...	32	...	32	25	...	25			
Germany	1	...	1	1	...	1			
	39	1	40	35	8	43	43	8 12 0	20 per cent.
WOODEN HOUSES:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	587	...	587	799	...	799			
South Australia ...	243	...	243	55	...	55			
	830	...	830	854	...	854	854	170 16 0	20 per cent.
WORKED:									
United Kingdom ...	45,683	...	45,683	1,998	...	1,998			
Victoria	2,488	2,975	5,463	141	434	575			
South Australia ...	980	1,352	2,332	165	267	432			
New South Wales	1,055	3,449	4,504	94	479	573			
New Zealand ...	...	2,745	2,745	...	47	47			
Singapore	10,809	...	10,809	391	...	391			
U.S. of America ...	122,550	...	122,550	4,579	...	4,579			
Norway	73,397	...	73,397	2,284	...	2,284			
Sweden	110,453	...	110,453	3,040	...	3,040			
	367,415	10,521	377,936	12,692	1,227	13,919	13,919	2,783 16 0	20 per cent.
UNWORKED:									
United Kingdom ...	2,106	...	2,106	943	...	943			
Victoria	418	14,087	14,505	70	2,168	2,238			
South Australia ...	3,068	2,637	5,705	836	606	1,442			
New South Wales	2,760	12,828	15,588	310	3,127	3,437			
Queensland ...	...	157	157	...	25	25			
New Zealand ...	...	9,614	9,614	...	1,497	1,497			
Singapore	18,554	...	18,554	741	...	741			
U.S. of America ...	36,189	...	36,189	2,185	...	2,185			
Norway	402	...	402	979	...	979			
Sweden	60,144	...	60,144	9,879	...	9,879			
	123,641	39,323	162,964	15,943	7,423	23,366	23,305	2,330 10 0	10 per cent.
IN BALK, ROUGH, OR HEWN:	pieces	pieces	pieces						
Victoria	...	30	30	...	43	43			
New South Wales	...	23	23	...	58	58			
Singapore	777	...	777	1,166	...	1,166			
U.S. of America ...	329	...	329	239	...	239			
	1,106	53	1,159	1,405	101	1,506	1,506	75 6 0	5 per cent.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
TIMBER—*c'td.*	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
IN SHORT LENGTHS, FOR CASE-MAKING:									
United Kingdom ...	202	...	202	65	...	65			
Victoria	...	552	552	...	208	208			
South Australia ...	...	2,327	2,327	...	514	514			
New South Wales	...	2,947	2,947	...	307	307			
Singapore	2,848	...	2,848	249	...	249			
U.S. of America ...	800	...	800	57	...	57			
	3,850	5,826	9,676	371	1,029	1,400	...	...	Free.
TIN.									
BLOCK:									
Victoria	116	2	118	91	12	103			
South Australia ...	...	5	5	...	9	9			
Tasmania	...	100	100	...	70	70			
	116	107	223	91	91	182	...	...	Free.
FOIL:									
United Kingdom ...	34	...	34	152	...	152			
Victoria	8	...	8	25	...	25			
South Australia ...	1	1	2	3	1	4			
New South Wales	3	...	3	14	...	14			
Germany	7	...	7	39	...	39			
	53	1	54	233	1	234	...	...	Free.
INGOT:									
Victoria	29	1,544	1,573	17	968	985			
South Australia ...	...	286	286	...	149	149			
Tasmania	...	198	198	...	130	130			
U.S. of America ...	58	...	58	34	...	34			
	87	2,028	2,115	51	1,247	1,298	...	...	Free.
PLATE:									
United Kingdom ...	2,622	...	2,622	1,413	...	1,413			
Victoria	249	...	249	181	...	181			
South Australia ...	9	...	9	8	...	8			
New South Wales...	220	...	220	136	...	136			
Singapore	171	...	171	87	...	87			
	3,271	...	3,271	1,825	...	1,825	...	...	Free.
WARE:									
United Kingdom ...	168	...	168	754	...	754			
Victoria	37	241	278	75	298	373			
South Australia ...	68	193	261	101	235	336			
New South Wales...	11	24	35	30	28	58			
Singapore	14	...	14	17	...	17			
U.S. of America ...	60	...	60	47	...	47			
Germany	2	...	2	4	...	4			
	360	458	818	1,028	561	1,589	1,534	306 16 0	20 per cent.
TINS, EMPTY:									
United Kingdom ...	260	...	260	39	...	39			
Victoria	132	2,954	3,086	17	1,400	1,417			
South Australia ...	...	315	315	...	105	105			
New South Wales ...	...	183	183	...	87	87			
Singapore	2	...	2	7	...	7			
Ceylon	3	...	3	1	...	1			
	397	3,452	3,849	64	1,592	1,656	1,660	249 0 0	15 per cent

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Imports—continued.

Articles and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.			Entered for Home Consumption on Importation or ex Warehouse.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
TOBACCO.									
Manufactured:	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	£	£	£	lbs.	£ s. d.	£
United Kingdom ...	284,964	...	284,964	24,667	...	24,667			
Victoria	214,692¾	6,791	221,483¾	16,698	564	17,262			
South Australia ...	79,630¼	621	80,251¼	6,293	26	6,319			
New South Wales...	6,575	546	7,121	621	68	689			
Singapore	5,500¼	...	5,500¼	759	...	759			
Ceylon	6½	...	6½	1	...	1			
Hong Kong ...	562	...	562	97	...	97			
France	35½	...	35½	4	...	4			
Germany	7	...	7	1	...	1			
	591,973¼	7,958	599,931¼	49,141	658	49,799 ✓	586,778	88,016 14 1	3s. per lb.
Unmanufactured:									
United Kingdom ...	162	...	162	20	...	20			
Victoria	9,103	1,425½	10,528½	637	171	808			
Queensland ...	...	10	10	...	1	1			
U.S. of America ...	48,792	...	48,792	1,407	...	1,407			
Germany	598	...	598	47	...	47			
	58,655	1,435½	60,090½	2,111	172	2,283 ✓	66,474⅕	6,231 19 1	1s. 10½d. per lb.
For Sheep-wash:	packages	packages	packages						
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1 ✓	...	...	Free.
Pipes and Wares:							£		
United Kingdom ...	193	...	193	4,598	...	4,598			
Victoria	13	22	35	328	285	613			
South Australia ...	15	30	45	230	442	672			
New South Wales	22	37	59	703	1,228	1,931			
Queensland ...	...	...	...	...	1	1			
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	...	3	3			
Singapore	10	...	10	148	...	148			
Belgium	...	...	...	6	...	6			
Egypt	...	...	...	1	...	1			
France	3	...	3	44	...	44			
Germany	42	...	42	1,010	...	1,010			
	298	89	387	7,068	1,959	9,027	9,151	1,372 13 0	15 per cent.
Tools:									
United Kingdom ...	1,896	...	1,896	12,472	...	12,472			
Victoria	387	285	672	2,086	1,383	3,469			
South Australia ...	466	375	841	2,171	1,741	3,912			
New South Wales ...	79	64	143	387	515	902			
Singapore	197	...	197	1,071	...	1,071			
France	24	...	24	63	...	63			
U.S. of America ...	1,446	...	1,446	6,471	...	6,471			
Germany	17	...	17	250	...	250			
	4,512	724	5,236	24,971	3,639	28,610	...	...	Free.
Transfers:									
Victoria	1	1	2	2	2	4			
South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	1	1			
	1	4	5	2	3	5	5	1 0 0	20 per cent.

Imports—continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
TYPEWRITERS :	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	19	...	19	328	...	328			
Victoria	6	38	44	83	494	577			
South Australia ...	2	8	10	39	22	61			
New South Wales ...	25	49	74	367	607	974			
U.S. of America... ...	2	...	2	34	...	34			
Germany	1	...	1	14	...	14			
	55	95	150	865	1,123	1,988	1,988	99 8 0	5 per cent.
UNIFORMS AND APPOINTMENTS FOR DEFENCE FORCES :									
United Kingdom ...	13	...	13	704	...	704			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	6	6			
	13	1	14	704	6	710	...	...	Free.
VARNISH :									
United Kingdom ...	603	...	603	2,713	...	2,713			
Victoria	39	53	92	187	222	409			
South Australia ...	12	5	17	39	13	52			
New South Wales ...	5	13	18	10	21	31			
Singapore	1	...	1	1	...	1			
U.S. of America ...	4	...	4	17	...	17			
	664	71	735	2,967	256	3,223	3,300	330 0 0	10 per cent.
VEGETABLES.									
FRESH :									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	1	...	1			
Victoria	...	825	825	...	237	237			
South Australia ...	...	297	297	...	191	191			
New South Wales...	...	72	72	...	53	53			
Singapore	125	...	125	73	...	73			
	126	1,194	1,320	74	481	555	555	83 5 0	15 per cent.
PRESERVED :									
United Kingdom ...	6,366	...	6,366	6,894	...	6,894			
Victoria	191	4,709	4,900	187	2,894	3,081			
South Australia ...	98	1,233	1,331	155	1,152	1,307			
New South Wales...	549	1,152	1,701	229	681	910			
New Zealand ...	...	2	2	...	4	4			
Singapore	651	...	651	553	...	553			
Hong Kong ...	39	...	39	18	...	18			
India	2	...	2	1	...	1			
Cape Colony ...	10	...	10	1	...	1			
France	978	...	978	504	...	504			
U.S. of America ...	82	...	82	58	...	58			
Germany	1,466	...	1,466	1,598	...	1,598			
Belgium	220	...	220	219	...	219			
Japan	13	...	13	15	...	15			
Italy	200	...	200	198	...	198			
	10,865	7,096	17,961	10,630	4,731	15,361	15,025	1,502 9 8	10 per cent.
VENEER :									
United Kingdom ...	2	...	2	60	...	60			
Victoria	...	1	1	...	2	2			
	2	1	3	60	2	62	62	12 8 0	20 per cent.

Imports—continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
VINEGAR:	gallons	gallons	gallons	£	£	£	gallons	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	16,623	...	16,623	1,141	...	1,141			
Victoria	1,798	2,722	4,520	138	222	360			
South Australia ...	902	799½	1,701½	65	74	139			
New South Wales ...	250	238	488	28	17	45			
Singapore	1,161	...	1,161	58	...	58			
France	282½	..	282½	12	...	12			
Germany	37	...	37	4	...	4			
	21,053½	3,759½	24,813	1,446	313	1,759	26,750	668 15 0	6d. per gal.
VINEGAR, RASPBERRY:	packages	packages	packages				£		
Victoria	...	4	4	...	1	1			
South Australia ...	...	7	7	...	4	4			
	...	11	11	...	5	5	5	1 0 0	20 per cent.
WEIGHING MACHINES AND SCALES:									
United Kingdom ...	478	...	478	2,032	...	2,032			
Victoria	54	40	94	235	190	425			
South Australia ...	58	73	131	209	236	445			
New South Wales ...	5	19	24	9	63	72			
Singapore	24	...	24	103	...	103			
Hong Kong	1	...	1	1	...	1			
France	1	...	1	9	...	9			
U.S. of America ...	159	...	159	245	...	245			
Germany	1	...	1	20	...	20			
	781	132	913	2,863	489	3,352	3,304	165 3 11	5 per cent.
WHEELBARROWS:									
United Kingdom ...	77	...	77	145	...	145			
Victoria	18	161	179	12	93	105			
South Australia ...	46	39	85	76	83	159			
U.S. of America ...	45	...	45	35	...	35			
	186	200	386	268	176	444	444	88 16 0	20 per cent.
WHEELS.									
for CARRIAGES:									
Victoria	...	18	18	...	59	59			
South Australia ...	...	...	...	...	4	4			
New South Wales...	1	2	3	17	10	27			
U.S. of America ...	3	...	3	30	...	30			
	4	20	24	47	73	120	120	12 0 0	10 per cent.
for CARTS AND WAGONS:									
United Kingdom ...	50	...	50	13	...	13			
Victoria	6	6	12	3	50	53			
South Australia ...	...	4	4	...	27	27			
	56	10	66	16	77	93	93	18 12 0	20 per cent.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
WHITING:	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	£	£	£	cwts.	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	1,988	...	1,988	123	...	123			
Victoria	314¾	215¾	530½	43	35	78			
South Australia ...	105¾	475	580¾	19	67	86			
New South Wales ...	102	162	264	14	21	35			
Singapore	37½	...	37½	3	...	3			
	2,548	852¾	3,400¾	202	123	325	3,364½	168 4 6	1s. per cwt.
WINCHES AND JACKS (FOR LIFTING):	packages	packages	packages				£		
United Kingdom ...	116	...	116	504	...	504			
Victoria	89	65	154	457	415	872			
South Australia ...	4	1	5	26	2	28			
New South Wales ...	10	8	18	44	147	191			
Tasmania	5	...	5	38	...	38			
Singapore	10	...	10	81	...	81			
U.S. of America ...	1	...	1	3	...	3			
	235	74	309	1,153	564	1,717	388	19 8 0	Free. From Aug. 18, '98, 5 per cent.
WINDOW SASHES & FRAMES:									
Victoria	...	17	17	...	41	41			
South Australia ...	...	99	99	...	248	248			
U.S. of America ...	320	...	320	691	...	691			
	320	116	436	691	289	980	978	195 11 7	20 per cent.
WINE. SPARKLING:	gallons	gallons	gallons				gallons.		
United Kingdom ...	2,509	...	2,509	3,552	...	3,552			
Victoria	817	150	967	1,783	212	1,995			
South Australia ...	177	253	430	363	493	856			
New South Wales...	42	34	76	111	56	167			
Singapore	324	...	324	342	...	342			
France	346	...	346	598	...	598			
Germany	276	...	276	597	...	597			
Belgium	1,548	...	1,548	2,808	...	2,808			
	6,039	437	6,476	10,154	761	10,915 ✓	7,048⅓	3,524 3 6	10s. per gal.
STILL:									
United Kingdom ...	12,861	...	12,861	4,603	...	4,603			
Victoria	3,489	8,811	12,300	1,305	3,408	4,713			
South Australia ...	2,524	18,146	20,670	1,311	7,449	8,760			
New South Wales...	207	814	1,021	85	303	388			
Tasmania	...	20	20	...	7	7			
Singapore	1,287	...	1,287	334	...	334			
Hong Kong ...	71	...	71	7	...	7			
Cape Colony ...	19	...	19	10	...	10			
Belgium	61	...	61	17	...	17			
Italy	17	...	17	3	...	3			
France	777	...	777	254	...	254			
Germany	317	...	317	71	...	71			
	21,630	27,791	49,421	8,000	11,167	19,167 ✓	54,459¾	17,699 8 6	6s. 6d. per gallon.
WIRE CLOTH, GAUGES, AND SCREENS, FOR QUARTZ-CRUSHING:	packages	packages	packages						
United Kingdom ...	116	...	116	1,723	...	1,723			
Victoria	32	12	44	332	203	535			
South Australia ...	34	3	37	469	74	543			
New South Wales ...	1	7	8	11	76	87			
Singapore	2	...	2	26	...	26			
U.S. of America ...	5	...	5	23	...	23			
Germany	4	...	4	37	...	37			
	194	22	216	2,621	353	2,974	...	...	Free.

Imports—continued.

ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
WIRE ROPE:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	567	...	567	3,762	...	3,762			
Victoria	59	...	59	701	...	701			
South Australia ...	57	...	57	545	...	545			
New South Wales ...	30	...	30	697	...	697			
Singapore	61	...	61	338	...	338			
Germany	33	...	33	118	...	118			
Belgium	11	...	11	137	...	137			
	818	...	818	6,298	...	6,298	...	...	Free.
WOODWARE:									
United Kingdom ...	1,941	...	1,941	1,148	...	1,148			
Victoria	230	977	1,207	165	568	733			
South Australia ...	87	256	343	73	125	198			
New South Wales ...	124	158	282	29	298	327			
Singapore	866	...	866	134	...	134			
Hong Kong	9	...	9	4	...	4			
France	2	...	2	21	...	21			
U. S. of America ...	2,898	...	2,898	678	...	678			
Germany	7	...	7	95	...	95			
Belgium	...	...	...	1	..	1			
	6,164	1,391	7,555	2,348	991	3,339	3,365	504 15 0	15 per cent.
WOOL BALES:									
Victoria	52	100	152	177	344	521			
South Australia ...	...	88	88	...	304	304			
New South Wales ...	...	11	11	...	39	39			
Singapore	138	...	138	562	...	562			
India	16	...	16	60	...	60			
	206	199	405	799	687	1,486	...	...	Free.
WOOL PRESSES:									
United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	4	...	4			
Victoria	...	48	48	1	302	303			
South Australia ...	10	27	37	35	8	43			
New South Wales ...	...	12	12	...	66	66			
New Zealand	...	2	2	...	17	17			
	11	89	100	40	393	433	433	21 13 0	5 per cent.
ZINC.									
INGOT:									
Victoria	...	32	32	...	13	13			
New South Wales	...	395	395	...	130	130			
	...	427	427	...	143	143	...	...	Free.
SHEET, PLAIN AND PERFORATED:									
United Kingdom ...	84	...	84	538	...	538			
Victoria	10	...	10	50	...	50			
South Australia ...	54	...	54	292	...	292			
New South Wales	9	...	9	63	...	63			
Singapore	20	...	20	90	...	90			
Germany	57	...	57	269	...	269			
Belgium	18	...	18	97	...	97			
	252	...	252	1,399	...	1,399	...	...	Free.

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ARTICLES AND COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE.			ENTERED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION ON IMPORTATION OR EX WAREHOUSE.		
	British and Foreign produce.	Australasian produce.	Total.	British and Foreign produce.	Austra-lasian produce.	Total.	Quantities or Values entered.	Total Amount of Duty collected.	Rate of Duty and when imposed.
ALL OTHER GOODS:	packages	packages	packages	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	
United Kingdom ...	264	...	264	2,416	...	2,416			
Victoria	37	1,212	1,249	183	1,025	1,208			
South Australia ...	11	26	37	71	179	250			
New South Wales ...	89	630	719	794	1,612	2,406			
Queensland	...	5	5	...	119	119			
New Zealand	...	...	...	4	6	10			
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	1	1			
Singapore	97	...	97	97	...	97			
Cape Colony	1	...	1	5	...	5			
Belgium	106	...	106	106	...	106			
Italy	...	...	...	1	...	1			
France	13	...	13	173	...	173			
U.S. of America ...	30	...	30	191	...	191			
Germany	112	...	112	69	...	69			
	760	1,873	2,633	4,110	2,942	7,052	6,757	1,013 10 3	15 per cent.
Total Value of Imports ...				**2,956,016**	**2,285,949**	**5,241,965**			
Total Duties				...	...	...	...	**869,620 1 2**	

Net

(£30000 deficit from Return furnished)

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No. 12.—*Quantities and Values of General Exports from the Colony of Western Australia during the year ended 31st December, 1898, showing in each case the Country to which exported.*

Articles.	Countries to which Exported.	Quantities.			Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
Animals Living.		No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Dogs	South Australia ...	3	...	3	12	...	12
	New South Wales	2	...	2	6	...	6
	Queensland ...	1	...	1	3	...	3
		6	...	6	21	...	21
Horses ...	Victoria	1	28	29	15	745	760
	South Australia ...	5	26	31	50	985	1,035
	Cape Colony ...	1	...	1	70	...	70
	Singapore	13	...	13	82	...	82
		20	54	74	217	1,730	1,947 ✓
Pigs	Victoria	3	...	3	26	...	26 ✓
Sheep... ...	Singapore	300	...	300	105	...	105 ✓
Cattle ...	Singapore	172	...	172	1,102	...	1,102 ✓
Camels ...	South Australia ...	...	502	502	...	15,060	15,060
Mules ...	Victoria	...	3	3	...	15	15
			packages.	packages.			
Anchors and Cables	New South Wales	...	10	10	...	250	250
Aerated & Mineral Waters	Victoria	...	30	30	...	22	22
Apparel and Effects	United Kingdom ...	...	69	69	...	444	444
	Victoria	...	274	274	...	1,478	1,478
	South Australia ...	...	113	113	...	676	676
	New South Wales...	...	206	206	...	2,015	2,015
	Tasmania	...	1	1	...	17	17
	Queensland ...	...	11	11	...	59	59
	New Zealand ...	...	5	5	...	25	25
	Germany	...	10	10	...	40	40
	New Caledonia ...	...	1	1	...	5	5
		...	690	690	...	4,759	4,759 ✓
Bags and Sacks ...	Victoria	...	208	208	...	1,750	1,750
	South Australia ...	...	40	40	...	120	120
		...	248	248	...	1,870	1,870
		tons cwts.		tons cwts.			
Bêche-de-mer ...	Singapore	31 17	...	31 17	1,997	...	1997
Beer.			gallons	gallons			
In Wood ...	Queensland ...	...	500	500	...	45	45
In Bottle ...	Victoria	...	1,708	1,708	...	246	246
	South Australia ...	...	538	538	...	81	81
		...	2,246	2,246	...	327	327

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Exports—continued.

ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages.	£	£	£
Beeswax	New South Wales...	1	...	1	3	...	3
	France	1	...	1	3	...	3
		2	...	2	6	...	6
Billiard Tables and Accessories	Victoria	...	8	8	...	124	124
Bicycles and parts thereof	United Kingdom ...	...	33	33	...	1,505	1,505
	Victoria	...	72	72	...	1,820	1,820
	South Australia ...	...	24	24	...	440	440
	New South Wales...	...	15	15	...	302	302
	Queensland ...	...	2	2	...	24	24
	Singapore	...	1	1	...	57	57
		...	147	147	...	4,148	4,148
Blankets and Rugs	Victoria	...	10	10	...	132	132
		No.	No.	No.			
Boats	Victoria	1	...	1	75	...	75
	New South Wales...	...	2	2	...	85	85
		1	2	3	75	85	160
Boilers	United Kingdom ...	...	2	2	...	100	100
		packages	packages	packages			
Bones	South Australia ...	5	...	5	2	...	2
	New South Wales	97	..	97	31	...	31
		102	...	102	33	...	33
Books and Printed Matter	United Kingdom ...	...	50	50	...	352	352
	Victoria	...	6	6	...	95	95
	South Australia ...	...	7	7	...	125	125
	New South Wales	...	20	20	...	234	234
	Tasmania	...	2	2	...	13	13
	Queensland ...	...	1	1	...	2	2
		...	86	86	...	821	821
Boots and Shoes ..	Victoria	...	12	12	...	85	85
	South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	8	8
	New South Wales	...	49	49	...	913	913
		...	62	62	...	1,006	1,006
Bottles, Empty ...	United Kingdom ...	...	6	6	...	6	6
	Victoria	...	505	505	...	246	246
	New South Wales	...	26	26	...	34	34
	South Australia ...	...	865	865	...	240	240
	Queensland ...	...	31	31	...	10	10
	Singapore	...	41	41	...	46	46
		...	1,474	1,474	...	582	582
			lbs.	lbs.			
Butter	Singapore	...	112	112	...	7	7
Candles	New South Wales	...	97,500	97,500	...	1,405	1,405

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ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
			packages	packages	£	£	£
Canvas	Victoria	...	12	12	...	152	152
	South Australia ...	...	7	7	...	101	101
	New South Wales	...	16	16	...	195	195
		...	35	35	...	448	448
			No.	No.			
Carts, Carriages, &c.	Victoria	...	7	7	...	130	130
	South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	35	35
	New South Wales	...	1	1	...	20	20
		...	11	11	...	185	185
			packages	packages			
Carpets	Victoria	...	10	10	...	208	208
			No.	No.			
Casks, Empty ...	Victoria	...	400	400	...	50	50
	Germany	...	2	2	...	3	3
		...	402	402	...	53	53
			lbs.	lbs.			
Cheese	South Australia ...	...	1,166	1,166	...	58	58
	New South Wales...	...	2,301	2,301	...	45	45
		...	3,467	3,467	...	103	103 ✓
			No.	No.			
Chronometer ...	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	50	50
			lbs.	lbs.			
Cigars	Victoria	...	72	72	...	35	35
	South Australia ...	...	187	187	...	53	53
	Germany	...	276	276	...	108	108
		...	535	535	...	196	196 ✓
			packages	packages			
Cigarettes ...	United Kingdom ...	...	24	24	...	19	19
	New Zealand ...	...	6	6	...	220	220
		...	30	30	...	239	239 ✓
Clocks & Watches	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	6	6
	Victoria	...	1	1	...	27	27
	New South Wales...	...	2	2	...	172	172
		...	4	4	...	205	205
		tons	tons	tons			
Coal	South Australia ...	1	...	1	1	...	1
	Guam	...	25,826	25,826	...	25,826	25,826
		1	25,826	25,827	1	25,826	25,827
			packages.	packages.			
Coin, Gold ...	United Kingdom ...	...	9	9	...	11,900	11,900
	Singapore	...	1	1	...	1,000	1,000
	Germany	...	3	3	...	2,100	2,100
		...	13	13	...	15,000	15,000

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ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
Cordage	Victoria	...	22	22	...	55	55
	South Australia ...	...	21	21	...	71	71
	New South Wales...	...	4	4	...	35	35
		...	47	47	...	161	161
Curios	United Kingdom ...	20	...	20	146	...	146
	Victoria	9	...	9	25	...	25
	South Australia ...	5	...	5	19	...	19
	New South Wales...	7	...	7	64	...	64
	Germany	1	...	1	10	...	10
	Queensland ...	1	...	1	3	...	3
		43	...	43	267	...	267
Cyanide	Victoria	...	20	20	...	240	240
Cylinders, Empty	Victoria	...	188	188	...	384	384
	New South Wales...	...	31	31	...	114	114
	Germany	...	122	122	...	155	155
	Belgium	...	44	44	...	132	132
		...	385	385	...	785	785
Drapery	United Kingdom ...	...	6	6	...	205	205
	Victoria	...	7	7	...	81	81
	South Australia ...	...	12	12	...	293	293
	New South Wales	...	34	34	...	695	695
		...	59	59	...	1,274	1,274
Diver's Pump ...	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	30	30
	Japan	...	2	2	...	3	3
		...	3	3	...	33	33
Drugs and Apothecaries' Wares	Victoria	...	5	5	...	85	85
	South Australia ...	...	65	65	...	369	369
	New South Wales	...	32	32	...	322	322
		...	102	102	...	776	776
Dryblower ...	New South Wales	1	...	1	48	...	48
Earthen and China Ware	United Kingdom ...	...	19	19	...	115	115
	Victoria	...	121	121	...	371	371
	South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	35	35
	New South Wales	...	22	22	...	111	111
		...	165	165	...	632	632
EXPLOSIVES. Detonators ...	South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	60	60
Dynamite ...	Singapore	...	300	300	...	675	675
Fuse	Victoria	...	4	4	...	35	35
	Queensland ...	...	23	23	...	192	192
		...	27	27	...	227	227

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ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
EXPLOSIVES—*ctd.* Gelatine Dynamite	Singapore	...	275	275	...	825	825
Gelignite ...	South Australia ...	...	200	200	...	800	800
	Singapore	...	75	75	...	300	300
		...	275	275	...	1,100	1,100
Fancy Goods ...	Victoria	...	3	3	...	30	30
	South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	2	2
	New South Wales	...	76	76	...	588	588
	New Zealand ...	...	1	1	...	7	7
		...	81	81	...	627	627
Firearms	Victoria	...	2	2	...	108	108
	South Australia ...	...	4	4	...	35	35
		...	6	6	...	143	143
Fish, Preserved ...	Victoria	...	24	24	...	25	25
	South Australia ...	...	235	235	...	253	253
		...	259	259	...	278	278
Fruits, Bottled and Preserved	Victoria	...	217	217	...	117	117
	South Australia ...	...	51	51	...	41	41
	New South Wales	...	96	96	...	43	43
	Germany	...	7	7	...	15	15
		...	371	371	...	216	216
Fruits, Green ...	South Australia ...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Furniture	Victoria	...	131	131	...	607	607
	South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	32	32
	New South Wales	...	2	2	...	22	22
		...	135	135	...	661	661
Glassware	Victoria	...	116	116	...	94	94
Glucose	South Australia ...	...	5	5	...	15	15
		ozs. dwts. grs.		ozs. dwts. grs.			
Gold	United Kingdom ...	439,876 13 18	...	439,876 13 18	1,671,532	...	1,671,532
	Victoria	545,415 10 2	...	545,415 10 2	2,072,579	...	2,072,579
	South Australia ...	55,793 4 4	...	55,793 4 4	212,014	...	212,014
	New South Wales...	9,046 16 15	...	9,046 16 15	34,378	...	34,378
	Queensland ...	32 12 16	...	32 12 16	124	...	124
	France	2 12 16	...	2 12 16	10	...	10
	Italy	16 2 0	...	16 2 0	61	...	61
		1,050,183 11 23	...	1,050,183 11 23	3,990,698	...	3,990,698
		tons		tons			
Guano	United Kingdom ...	2,080	...	2,080	4,650	...	4,650
	Victoria	$1{,}540\frac{1}{2}$	...	$1{,}540\frac{1}{2}$	3,911	...	3,911
	South Australia ...	$23\frac{3}{4}$	...	$23\frac{3}{4}$	60	...	60
	Tasmania	$305\frac{4}{5}$	...	$305\frac{4}{5}$	765	...	765
		$3{,}950\frac{1}{20}$	...	$3{,}950\frac{1}{20}$	9,386	...	9,386

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ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony*.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		tons cwts.		tons cwts.	£	£	£
Gum	United Kingdom ...	4 16	...	4 16	103	...	103
	New South Wales...	0 1	...	0 1	1	...	1
	Germany	8 4	...	8 4	285	...	285
		13 1	...	13 1	389	...	389
		packages	packages	packages			
Hair — Horse and Cow	United Kingdom ...	5	...	5	62	...	62
	Victoria	5	...	5	102	...	102
	South Australia ...	3	...	3	18	...	18
	New South Wales...	2	...	2	11	...	11
		15	...	15	193	...	193
Harness and Saddlery	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	5	5
	Victoria	2	...	2	3	...	3
	South Australia ...	...	4	4	...	35	35
	New South Wales...	...	14	14	...	191	191
	New Caledonia ..	...	1	1	...	3	3
		2	20	22	3	234	237
		No.	No.	No.			
Hides	United Kingdom ...	249	...	249	149	...	149
	Victoria	2,415	...	2,415	2,272	...	2,272
	South Australia ...	9,507	...	9,507	7,900	...	7,900
	New South Wales...	6,944	...	6,944	5,023	...	5,023
	Singapore	600	...	600	337	...	337
		19,715	...	19,715	15,681	...	15,681
		packages	packages	packages			
Hoofs and Horns...	United Kingdom ...	25	...	25	134	...	134
	Victoria	2	...	2	10	...	10
	South Australia ...	31	...	31	126	...	126
	New South Wales...	9	...	9	11	...	11
		67	...	67	281	...	281
			lbs.	lbs.			
Hops	Victoria	...	506	506	...	8	8
	South Australia ...	...	8,434	8,434	...	330	330
		...	8,940	8,940	...	338	338
		packages	packages	packages			
Instruments—Surgical, etc.	United Kingdom ...	...	7	7	...	173	173
	Victoria	...	8	8	...	49	49
	New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	12	12
	France	...	3	3	...	5	5
		...	19	19	...	239	239
Ironmongery ...	United Kingdom ...	...	3	3	...	20	20
	Victoria	...	37	37	...	201	201
	South Australia ...	...	37	37	...	98	98
	New South Wales...	...	270	270	...	676	676
	Belgium	...	74	74	...	100	100
		...	421	421	...	1,095	1,095
IRON. Galvanised (Corrugated)	Victoria	...	796	796	...	6,418	6,418
	South Australia ...	...	136	136	...	1,114	1,114
	New South Wales...	...	22	22	...	189	189
		...	954	954	...	7,721	7,721

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		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
IRON—*continued.* Girder Plates	South Australia ...	...	22	22	...	45	45
		tons	tons	tons			
Bar and Plate	Victoria	...	30	30	...	300	300
		packages	packages	packages			
Safes	New South Wales...	...	3	3	...	80	80
Scrap... ...	Victoria	12	...	12	12	...	12
	Singapore	12	...	12	24	...	24
	Hong Kong ...	24	...	24	36	...	36
		48	...	48	72	...	72
Jewellery	United Kingdom ...	...	21	21	...	260	260
	Victoria	...	38	38	...	797	797
	South Australia ...	...	6	6	...	35	35
	New South Wales...	...	28	28	...	714	714
	Queensland ...	...	10	10	...	47	47
	Tasmania	...	5	5	...	46	46
	Egypt	...	3	3	...	16	16
		...	111	111	...	1,915	1,915
Machinery—Agricultural...	Victoria	...	42	42	...	175	175
	South Australia ...	...	9	9	...	90	90
	Queensland ...	...	32	32	...	2,000	2,000
		...	83	83	...	2,265	2,265
Machinery, N.O.E.	United Kingdom ...	...	7	7	...	34	34
	Victoria	...	942	942	...	4,887	4,887
	South Australia ...	...	8	8	...	133	133
	New South Wales	...	7	7	...	108	108
		...	964	964	...	5,162	5,162
Matches	South Australia ...	...	77	77	...	118	118
Meats, Preserved...	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	Victoria	...	67	67	...	47	47
	South Australia ...	...	10	10	...	7	7
	New South Wales...	...	100	100	...	84	84
		...	178	178	...	139	139
Muntz Metal ...	United Kingdom ...	...	50	50	...	24	24
	Victoria	...	1	1	...	2	2
	Singapore	...	1	1	...	19	19
		...	52	52	...	45	45
		tons	tons	tons			
Manures, Patent...	South Australia ...	...	30	30	...	120	120

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ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. Pianos ...	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	150	150
	Victoria	...	6	6	...	226	226
	South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	20	20
	New South Wales...	...	2	2	...	80	80
	Germany	...	11	11	...	180	180
		...	21	21	...	656	656
		packages	packages	packages			
N.O.E. ...	United Kingdom ...	...	3	3	...	110	110
	Victoria	...	3	3	...	46	46
	New South Wales...	...	2	2	...	24	24
	New Zealand ...	...	1	1	...	19	19
		...	9	9	...	199	199
Oilmen's Stores ...	Victoria	...	64	64	...	105	105
	South Australia ...	...	174	174	...	334	334
	New South Wales	...	79	79	...	189	189
	New Zealand ...	...	22	22	...	30	30
		...	339	339	...	658	658
OIL. Mineral ...	South Australia ...	...	10	10	...	25	25
Vegetable ...	South Australia ...	...	11	11	...	9	9
		tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.			
ORE. Copper ...	United Kingdom ...	148 8	...	148 8	1,637	...	1,637
	Victoria	0 13	...	0 13	11	...	11
	South Australia ...	206 7	...	206 7	2,618	...	2,618
		355 8	...	355 8	4,266	...	4,266
Lead	South Australia ...	5 0	...	5 0	33	...	33
Tin	South Australia ...	16 0	...	16 0	560	...	560
	New South Wales	52 2¾	...	52 2¾	2,200	...	2,200
		68 2¾	...	68 2¾	2,760	...	2,760
		packages	packages	packages			
PAPER. Printing ...	New South Wales	...	5	5	...	36	36
Wall	Victoria	...	17	17	...	41	41
	South Australia ...	...	45	45	...	151	151
		...	62	62	...	192	192
Pearls	United Kingdom ...	...	...	...	* 20,000	...	* 20,000
Photographs ...	United Kingdom ...	16	...	16	85	...	85
	Victoria	3	...	3	11	...	11
	South Australia ...	2	...	2	5	...	5
	New South Wales	3	...	3	9	...	9
	New Zealand ...	1	...	1	2	...	2
		25	...	25	112	...	112

* Estimated Value.

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		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
Photographic Material	Victoria	...	4	4	...	65	65
Pictures	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	7	7
	Victoria	...	4	4	...	18	18
	South Australia ...	...	1	1	...	5	5
	New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	2	2
	Queensland ...	...	1	1	...	6	6
		...	8	8	...	38	38
Plate, Electro ...	United Kingdom ...	...	2	2	...	55	55
	Victoria	...	2	2	...	31	31
	New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	5	5
		...	5	5	...	91	91
Plans, Charts, etc.	United Kingdom ...	34	...	34	209	...	209
	Victoria	2	...	2	10	...	10
	South Australia ...	3	...	3	42	...	42
	New South Wales...	1	...	1	5	...	5
		40	...	40	266	...	266
Portmanteaux ...	Victoria	...	1	1	...	15	15
Pumps	South Australia ...	...	3	3	...	23	23
	New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	5	5
		...	4	4	...	28	28
Rags	Victoria	1	...	1	2	...	2
			tons cwts.	tons cwts.			
Rice	Victoria	...	61 15	61 15	...	229	229
		packages	packages	packages			
Rugs and Furs ...	United Kingdom ...	22	...	22	85	...	85
	New South Wales...	4	...	4	13	...	13
	Queensland ...	2	...	2	10	...	10
	Germany	1	...	1	3	...	3
		29	...	29	111	...	111
Samples, Travellers'	United Kingdom ...	...	1	1	...	3	3
	Victoria	...	8	8	...	105	105
	South Australia ...	...	46	46	...	232	232
	New South Wales...	...	9	9	...	119	119
	Germany	...	1	1	...	5	5
		...	65	65	...	464	464
		tons cwts.		tons cwts.			
Sandalwood ...	United Kingdom ...	100 0	...	100 0	880	...	880
	New South Wales...	81 10	...	81 10	692	...	692
	Singapore	2,311 10	...	2,311 10	15,759	...	15,759
	Hong Kong ...	1,855 16	...	1,855 16	14,481	...	14,481
		4,348 16	...	4,348 16	31,812	...	31,812
		packages	packages	packages			
Seeds, Karri ...	New South Wales...	2	...	2	9	...	9

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		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
Sewing Machines	Victoria	...	6	6	...	40	40
	South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	5	5
	Germany	...	1	1	...	10	10
		...	9	9	...	55	55
Sheep Dip... ...	South Australia ...	...	50	50	...	60	60
	New South Wales...	...	10	10	...	10	10
		...	60	60	...	70	70
		tons cwts.		tons cwts.			
SHELL. Mother of Pearl — Live	United Kingdom ...	537 5¼	...	537 5¼	76,548	...	76,548
Mother of Pearl — Dead	United Kingdom ...	1 1½	...	1 1½	38	...	38
Sharks Bay ...	Singapore	80 10¾	...	80 10¾	2,198	...	2,198
		packages		packages			
Turtle ...	United Kingdom ...	3	...	3	74	...	74
	Singapore	4	...	4	80	...	80
	Japan	2	...	2	71	...	71
		9	...	9	225	...	225
SKINS. Kangaroo ...	United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	12	...	12
	Victoria	8	...	8	290	...	290
	South Australia ...	14	...	14	327	...	327
	New South Wales...	73	...	73	2,729	...	2,729
	France	1	...	1	1	...	1
		97	...	97	3,359	...	3,359
Opossum ...	United Kingdom ...	25	...	25	1,286	...	1,286
	South Australia ...	2	...	2	87	...	87
	New South Wales...	16	...	16	473	...	473
	France	2	...	2	62	...	62
		45	...	45	1,908	...	1,908
Sheep... ...	United Kingdom ...	3,213	...	3,213	30,594	...	30,594
	Victoria	3	...	3	53	...	53
	South Australia ...	591	...	591	4,537	...	4,537
	New South Wales...	149	...	149	995	...	995
	Germany	3	...	3	17	...	17
	Belgium	227	...	227	2,892	...	2,892
	France	19	...	19	190	...	190
		4,205	...	4,205	39,278	...	39,278
		tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.			
Soap	South Australia ...	...	8 16	8 16	...	242	242
		gallons	gallons	gallons			
SPIRITS. Brandy ...	United Kingdom ...	...	104	104	...	151	151
	Victoria	...	284	284	...	150	150
	South Australia ...	...	30	30	...	8	8
	New South Wales	...	433	433	...	214	214
		...	851	851	...	523	523
Gin	New South Wales	...	148	148	...	31	31
Whiskey ...	United Kingdom ...	...	110	110	...	50	50
	Victoria	...	719	719	...	376	376
	South Australia ...	...	666	666	...	309	309
	New South Wales	...	1,223	1,223	...	425	425
		...	2,718	2,718	...	1,160	1,160

Exports—continued.

ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
Stationery ...	United Kingdom ...	...	5	5	...	15	15
	Victoria	...	5	5	...	43	43
	South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	10	10
	New South Wales	...	6	6	...	42	42
	Singapore	...	1	1	...	2	2
		...	19	19	...	112	112
		tons cwts.	tons cwts.	tons cwts.			
Steel	United Kingdom ...	...	5 3	5 3	...	280	280
	New South Wales	...	0 10	0 10	...	25	25
		...	5 13	5 13	...	305	305
		bags	bags	bags			
Sugar	South Australia ...	...	414	414	...	217	217
	New South Wales	...	2	2	...	1	1
		...	416	416	...	218	218
		packages	packages	packages			
Tallow	United Kingdom ...	21	...	21	125	...	125
	Victoria	338	...	338	1,316	...	1,316
	South Australia ...	353	...	353	1,205	...	1,205
	New South Wales	37	...	37	141	...	141
		749	...	749	2,787	...	2,787
Tea...	Victoria	...	82	82	...	123	123
		loads	loads	loads			
TIMBER. Jarrah ...	United Kingdom ...	30,533	...	30,533	111,307	...	111,307
	Victoria	31¼	...	31¼	105	...	105
	South Australia ...	6,931¾	...	6,931¾	21,096	...	21,096
	New South Wales	62	...	62	212	..	212
	Cape Colony ...	8,553	...	8,553	32,385	...	32,385
	Natal	5,105½	...	5,105½	20,785	...	20,785
	Mauritius	319	...	319	1,037	...	1,037
	Singapore	378¾	...	378¾	1,255	...	1,255
	India	301	...	301	1,204	...	1,204
	Ceylon	100	...	100	355	...	355
		52,315¼	...	52,315¼	189,741	...	189,741
Karri	United Kingdom ...	15,832¼	...	15,832¼	78,109	...	78,109
	Victoria	650½	...	650½	2,601	...	2,601
	South Australia ...	24	...	24	98	...	98
	New South Wales...	1,245	...	1,245	6,225	...	6,225
	France	1,057	...	1,057	4,230	...	4,230
	Natal	6,938	...	6,938	28,463	...	28,463
	Cape Colony ...	1,666	...	1,666	8,078	...	8,078
	Argentine	587	...	587	2,935	...	2,935
	Ceylon	935	...	935	3,740	...	3,740
	India	473	...	473	1,892	...	1,892
		29,407¾	...	29,407¾	136,371	...	136,371
Tuart ...	South Australia ...	10	...	10	50	...	50
White Gum ...	South Australia ...	5½	...	5½	33	...	33

Exports—continued.

ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages	packages	packages	£	£	£
Tins, Empty ...	Victoria	...	43	43	...	32	32
	South Australia ...	...	66	66	...	43	43
		...	109	109	...	75	75
		lbs.	lbs.	lbs.			
TOBACCO. Manufactured	South Australia ...	...	652	652	...	46	46
	New South Wales...	...	30	30	...	4	4
		...	682	682	...	50	50 ✓
Unmanufactured	South Australia ...	...	29,182	29,182	...	616	616 ✓
		packages	packages	packages			
Tools	Victoria	...	17	17	...	70	70
	South Australia ...	...	2	2	...	10	10
		...	19	19	...	80	80
Turtle Shell (*see* under "Shell").							
Typewriters ...	Victoria	...	3	3	...	56	56
Whalebone ...	United Kingdom ...	1	...	1	35	...	35
		gallons	gallons	gallons			
WINE. Still	United Kingdom ...	4	...	4	2	...	2
	South Australia ...	...	207	207	...	105	105
		4	207	211	2	105	107
Sparkling ...	United Kingdom ...	...	310	310	...	544	544
	Victoria	...	442	442	...	747	747
	South Australia ...	...	118	118	...	442	442
	New South Wales...	...	98½	98½	...	170	170
		...	968½	968½	...	1,903	1,903
			packages	packages			
Woodware ...	Victoria	...	28	28	...	18	18
	New South Wales...	...	1	1	...	10	10
		...	29	29	...	28	28
		lbs.	lbs.	lbs.			
WOOL. Greasy ...	United Kingdom ...	9,278,280	...	9,278,280	251,287	...	251,287
	Victoria	71,247	...	71,247	1,929	...	1,929
	South Australia ...	175,076	...	175,076	4,742	...	4,742
	New South Wales...	7,200	...	7,200	195	..	195
	Singapore	6,426	...	6,426	174	...	174
		9,538,229	...	9,538,229	258,327	...	258,327
Scoured ...	United Kingdom ...	557,597	...	557,597	27,880	...	27,880
	Victoria	18,132	...	18,132	907	...	907
	South Australia ...	10,500	...	10,500	525	...	525
	Singapore	1,848	...	1,848	92	...	92
		588,077	...	588,077	29,404	...	29,404

Exports—continued.

ARTICLES.	COUNTRIES TO WHICH EXPORTED.	QUANTITIES.			VALUE IN STERLING.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
		packages.	packages	packages			
Zinc … …	United Kingdom …	…	32	32	…	24	24
	Victoria … …	…	113	113	…	50	50
	New South Wales…	…	166	166	…	131	131
		…	311	311	…	205	205
All other Goods …	United Kingdom …	…	21	21	…	148	148
	Victoria … …	12	324	336	98	600	698
	South Australia …	1	159	160	10	205	215
	New South Wales…	2	113	115	5	796	801
	Queensland …	…	9	9	…	309	309
	New Zealand …	…	2	2	…	2	2
	Singapore … …	12	…	12	28	…	28
	Ceylon … …	1	…	1	2	…	2
	Germany … …	…	4	4	…	105	105
	Guam … …	…	19,872	19,872	…	25,120	25,120
		28	20,504	20,532	143	27,285	27,428
			Grand Total	… …	**4,820,420**	**139,586**	**4,960,006**

No. 13.—*Synopsis of Imports and Exports for 1898.*

Imports.	Value.	Exports.	Value.
	£		£
Value of Goods Imported subject to a Specific Duty* (including Duties collected under the provisions of "The Stock Tax 1893") … … … …	1,666,167		
Do. do. do. 5 p.c. Duty	285,258	Value of Produce and Manufacture of the Colony …	4,820,420
Do. do. do. 10 p.c. ,,	479,631		
Do. do. do. 15 p.c. ,,	821,692		
Do. do. do. 20 p.c. ,,	132,281		
Do. Duty Free … … … … …	1,856,936	Value of British and other Colonial Produce and Manufacture … … … … … …	139,586
Total Imports … … … … …	5,241,965	Total Exports … … … … …	4,960,006

* Repealed by "Customs Duties Amendment Act" (62 Vict. No. 5), which came into operation on the 18th August, 1898.

No. 14.—*Values for each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898, of Imports subject to various rates of Duty and Duty free, and of Exports, the Produce of Western Australia and of other Countries, respectively.*

Particulars.	1889.		1890.		1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.	Value.	Percentage of Total.
IMPORTS.	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o	£	o/o
Value of Goods Imported, subject to a Specific Duty.	390,196	47·70	365,645	41·82	479,795	37·48	591,555	42·52	533,293*	35·68	801,559*	37·91	1,096,988*	29·06	1,664,437*	25·63	1,963,351*	30·59	1,666,167*	31·79
Do. do. 20 o/o do.	15,608	1·91	20,914	2·39	37,918	2·96	45,431	3·26	30,023	2·01	58,292	2·76	103,627	2·74	252,221	3·88	257,329	4·01	132,281	2·52
Do. do. 15 o/o do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62,069	4·15	286,753	13·56	460,033	12·19	836,441	12·88	943,322	14·70	821,692	15·68
Do. do. 12½ o/o do.	293,152	35·83	291,898	33·38	430,433	33·63	509,128	36·60	265,953	17·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. do. 10 o/o do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,437	3·31	261,832	12·38	414,614	10·98	684,074	9·98	737,060	11·48	479,631	9·15
Do. do. 5 o/o do.	45,435	5·55	70,664	8·08	67,203	5·25	64,497	4·64	80,043	5·36	214,115	10·13	373,210	9·89	691,394	10·65	196,640	3·06	285,258	5·44
Do. do. Duty Free	73,736	9·01	125,326	14·33	264,744	20·68	180,498	12·98	473,620	31·69	491,863	23·26	1,326,479	35·14	2,400,990	36·98	2,320,863	36·16	1,856,936	35·42
Total Value of Imports	818,127	100·00	874,447	100·00	1,280,093	100·00	1,391,109	100·00	1,494,438	100·00	2,114,414	100·00	3,774,951	100·00	6,493,557	100·00	6,418,565	100·00	5,241,965	100·00
EXPORTS.																				
Value of Produce and Manufactures of Western Australia	748,899	98·36	659,661	98·19	788,767	98·66	870,814	98·72	870,437	94·80	1,219,047	97·42	1,273,638	95·58	1,603,748	97·18	3,218,569	81·69	4,820,420	97·19
Value of British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufactures	12,493	1·64	12,152	1·81	10,699	1·34	11,334	1·28	47,710	5·20	32,359	2·58	58,916	4·42	46,478	2·82	721,529	18·31	139,586	2·81
Total Value of Exports	761,392	100·00	671,813	100·00	799,466	100·00	882,148	100·00	918,147	100·00	1,251,406	100·00	1,332,554	100·00	1,650,226	100·00	3,940,098	100·00	4,960,006	100·00

* Including the value of Live Stock subject to Duty under "The Stock Tax Act, 1893," repealed by "Customs Duties Amendment Act, 1898 ' (62 Vict., No. 5), which came into operation on the 18th August, 1898.

No. 15.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898.*

Articles.			1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	*Abdominal Belts and Trusses	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	75	139	352	225	336
	*Artists' Materials	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	684
Acid.	*Acetic	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	339
	*Sulphuric	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	430
	*Tartaric	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	954
	*N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,141
	Aerated and Mineral Waters	,,	126	70	97	235	373	396	695	1,808	3,798	3,922
Agricultural Implements.	Chaffcutters	,,	638	1,147	1,141	1,447	779	798	1,752	4,112	3,152	1,752
	Harrows	,,	92	277	167	140	209	226	21	127	246	204
	Horse Rakes	,,	387	104	53	294	216	127	33	69	...	3
	Horse Gear	,,	412	467	621	195	80	...	...	487	207	92
	Ploughs and Shares	,,	3,791	2,203	2,445	3,354	2,827	1,867	2,969	3,814	4,220	6,786
	Reapers, Winnowers, Thrashing and Mowing Machines	,,	2,096	3,152	2,277	3,018	795	948	403	3,368	2,122	14,817
	N.O.E.	,,	3,810	2,037	1,776	3,071	2,031	3,943	6,653	5,779	16,841	8,209
	*Air Beds and Cushions	,,	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	20	73	55
Alkali.	*Bicarbonate of Soda	,,	...	...	...	205	94	35	52	828	946	1,284
	*Soda, Caustic	,,	...	...	...	169	349	501	492	484	791	1,102
	*Soda, Silicate	,,	...	...	...	114	50	41	19	19	116	79
	Soda Ash and Nitrate of Potash	,,	376	186	398	299	171	499	59	141	239	843
	Soda Crystals	Tons cwt.	54 0	35 13¾	91 7¼	75 11	35 0	61 2½¼	62 15	122 19¾	140 13¼	134 8¾
		Value £	81	116	297	247	114	247	254	430	546	478
	*N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	9	118	...	18	7
	*Alum	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	93	73
Ammunition and Explosives.	*Blasting Gelatine	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,032
	Cartridges	,,	1,043	979	1,680	1,388	1,449	1,372	1,174	2,069	2,505	2,382
	Detonators	,,	147	10	345	275	202	...	617	3,986	3,675	2,803
	Dynamite	,,	1,377	479	5,397	1,541	912	9,926	21,275	† 45,299	65,930	4,360
	*Dynamite Gelatine	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,253
	*Fireworks	,,	...	...	...	...	57	74	251	164	386	213
	Fuse	,,	254	60	263	466	262	2,456	3,032	9,768	6,174	6,992
	*Gelignite	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33,184
	Powder (Gun and Sporting)	lbs.	7,160	5,864	8,920	4,312	2,578	4,059	3,593	7,381	3,099	1,140
		Value £	537	733	1,115	539	322	303	463	786	333	118
	Blasting Powder	lbs.	37,480	21,920	41,280	28,750	74,225	228,656	154,825	254,256	646,480	218,000
		Value £	937	548	1,032	719	1,855	3,459	2,610	5,417	11,096	3,736
	*Gun Caps	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	71	95
	*Rackarock	,,	...	...	...	74	11	101	1,800	125	434	2,282
	Shot	Tons cwt.	18 0	16 11¼	21 10	15 12¼	13 13	15 2¼	11 12½	14 13¾	12 0¼	12 16
		Value £	324	265	344	249	218	234	182	230	190	232
	N.O.E.	,,	127	67	518	624	218	1,633	1,318	18,823	1,595	2
	Anchors	,,	235	827	401	344	130	155	373	280	385	392
Animals Living.	Bulls	Number	7	3	6	6	29	25	...	356	117	112
		Value £	370	90	240	132	865	827	...	6,351	2,754	2,154
	Horned Cattle for Slaughter	Number	...	...	7	...	24	192	4,457	7,581	12,306	16,028
		Value £	...	...	77	...	144	1,819	37,298	‡ 68,820	119,078	170,059
	*Horned Cattle for Breeding	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	455	205	195	261
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,282	4,100	2,925	2,663
	*Cows (*vide* Horned Cattle for years 1895 to 1898)	Number	...	12	83	13	40	122				
		Value £	...	175	839	92	110	1,009				

Animals Living—*continued*.											
*Calves	Number	...	...	...	...	...	3	28	8	...	22
	Value £	...	...	...	..	...	9	79	10	...	74
*Camels	Number	...	...	...	171	10	1,175	2,460	1,254	1,778	106
	Value £	...	...	...	6,840	350	51,164	§ 46,374	28,970	34,875	2,180
*Camel Calves	Number	...	...	...	...	...	12				
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	12				
Horses	Number	199	186	595	1,392	814	3,990	3,625	5,649	1,723	312
	Value £	9,950	9,300	29,750	55,680	32,560	50,442	40,218	83,775	29,336	5,304
*Horses for Breeding	Number	...	...	...	...	...	7	79	3	86	103
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	270	3,160	60	2,495	1,533
*Goats	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	15
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	3
Pigs	Number	3	12	3	...	7	42	1,553	5,760	7,896	8,863
	Value £	75	280	30	...	70	52	2,479	8,181	9,246	11,729
*Pigs for Breeding	Number	...	...	...	...	...	2	9	3	2	26
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1	45	200	10	138
Sheep — *for Slaughter	Number	...	...	1,970	4,723	10	4,964	38,050	44,264	113,998	81,531
	Value £	...	...	788	2,361	5	2,839	23,158	27,642	97,002	59,892
Sheep — Rams	Number	628	281	57	386	185	404	758	268	1,204	919
	Value £	3,830	1,241	210	1,262	725	1,528	3,092	1,092	7,373	3,256
Sheep — Ewes	Number	327	153	25	306	997	123	20	53	218	296
	Value £	983	528	75	468	998	203	150	130	418	806
Dogs	Number	...	...	...	2	29	137	125	218	262	167
	Value £	...	...	...	3	52	402	419	1,036	1,727	635
*Donkeys	Number	...	...	...	...	32	69	14	57	...	6
	Value £	...	...	...	...	130	212	23	171	...	10
Poultry and other Birds	Value £	18	4	13	165	245	542	1,786	3,196	3,218	2,059
*Kangaroos	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1		
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1		
*Bears	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3		
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15		
*Monkeys	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	11	17
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	10
*Mules	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2		
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20		
*N.O.E.	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
*For Zoological Gardens	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,137
Apparel and Slops	,,	12,359	14,660	18,760	15,442	20,083	82,482	125,445	202,606	258,125	208,912
*Assaying Material	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	690	
*Asbestos	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	311	674	663
*Asphalt	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116	193	150
*Atlases, Maps, Charts, Globes, Copy Books, and Slates, for School Use	...	...	...	...	...	...	423	522	562	658	505
*Axle Grease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	697	742
Bacon (including Hams and Tongues for years 1889 to 1893)	lbs.	153,380	138,450	212,910	273,331	356,132	602,143	1,123,088	2,026,021	2,297,500	2,258,078
	Value £	7,669	4,615	7,097	9,111	11,871	16,168	26,193	56,858	64,455	67,443
Bags, Sacks, and Bagging, in the piece	,,	5,175	6,363	17,861	5,470	5,087	6,877	6,133	16,718	29,816	24,316
Basket and Wickerware	,,	276	286	670	416	461	472	608	1,236	2,065	1,138
*Beans	Bushels	...	...	...	...	...	436¼	971	1,284¾	1,899	1,383¾
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	84	277	352	520	408
Beer. In Wood	Gallons	134,900	115,600	168,800	214,100	237,212½	180,220	198,658	228,863	292,848	239,674
	Value £	12,141	10,404	15,192	19,269	21,348	19,389	16,344	20,619	23,578	19,531
Beer. In Bottles (including Cider and Perry for 1893)	Gallons	121,920	144,600	182,500	242,129	233,943½	231,959⅔	309,668⅓	598,675	835,106½	476,707
	Value £	18,288	21,690	27,375	36,319	35,091	36,712	46,456	95,324	128,815	75,668
Beer. Ginger, Hop and Spruce	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	192	66	74
*Bees	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	56

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* In cases where blanks occur the article, if imported, was probably classified under some general heading and not particularly specified. † The value of dynamite imported during 1896 (£45,299) was accidently omitted when making up the Return of Imports for 1896. The amount, therefore, is accounted for in the total Imports for 1897. ‡ £42,000 out of this amount was, through a clerical error, omitted from the total amount of Imports for 1896, and therefore is accounted for the total Imports for 1897. § Through a clerical error, £7,080 of this amount was omitted from the total amount of Imports for 1895, and is therefore accounted for in the total Imports for 1896.

No. 15.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898*—continued.

Articles.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
*Beeswax	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	187$\frac{1}{2}$	300	843$\frac{1}{2}$	1,447$\frac{1}{4}$	794$\frac{1}{2}$
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	13	17	53	92	47
Bellows, Smiths' (included under Forges and Anvils for years 1889 to 1893)	„	...	...	...	...	...	1,072	1,307	3,576	1,139	373
*Bells for Places of Worship (included under Musical Instruments for years 1889 to 1893)	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14	20	4
*Belting for Machinery	„	...	...	...	...	...	1,079	2,776	5,503	7,949	10,053
*Bicycles, Tricycles, and Parts	„	...	...	...	...	...	2,257	17,480	63,400	73,158	34,702
*Billiard Tables and Accessories	„	...	...	...	1,214	1,595	2,914	3,297	8,630	8,279	5,323
*Bird Cages...	„	...	...	...	...	...	44	29	159	438	253
Biscuits	lbs.	151,280	153,560	115,160	131,700	134,596$\frac{1}{2}$	144,346	227,921	397,754	485,282	482,601
	Value £	3,782	3,839	2,879	3 291	3,365	3,086	4,603	9,076	11,182	10,780
Blankets and Rugs	„	1,175	1,505	1,330	1,230	1,568	7,353	8,125	8,485	11,876	11,411
Blocks and Sheaves	„	59	207	323	122	199	100	409	755	862	873
Blue	„	225	380	216	168	177	509	379	1,167	1,475	1,191
Bluestone...	„	70	127	27	46	88	155	91	147	125	177
Boats	„	83	19	208	314	271	263	439	1,965	1,323	972
Boilers, Land and Marine, and parts of	„	320	544	1,123	460	694	1,260	1,232	5,253	20,594	13,604
*Boiler Fluid	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	365	423
Books, Printed	„	6,972	5,062	7,457	8,446	7,550	8,486	12,933	10,356	18,914	28,520
*Bookbinders' Machinery and Material, N.O.E. ...	„	...	...	...	...	...	105	103	137	227	545
Boots. Men's (Invoiced at or under 10s. per pair) ...	Doz. pairs	...	...	...	...	...	3,350$\frac{7}{12}$	3,970	8,324$\frac{8}{12}$	7,641$\frac{6}{12}$	5,851$\frac{4}{12}$
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	11,262	13,417	26,291	28,374	20,235
Boots. Women's (Invoiced at or under 6s. per pair) ...	Doz. pairs	...	...	...	...	...	1,057$\frac{11}{12}$	1,354	1,294$\frac{2}{12}$	1,831$\frac{3}{12}$	1,459$\frac{5}{12}$
	Value £	21,757	22,857	26,414	34,719	28,315	3,113	3,582	3,452	5,015	3,831
Boots. Boots, Shoes, and Slippers for Children ...	„	...	...	...	...	...	6,110	11,058	10,222	14,222	13,816
Boots. N.O.E	„	...	...	...	...	...	17,366	28,091	44,008	53,429	41,882
*Boot and Shoe Vamps, Uppers, and Laces, N.O.E.	„	...	...	...	...	...	2,104	2,727	3,809	6,024	4,128
*Boot Polish and Blacking	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,527
Bottles (empty)	„	792	788	815	1,563	1,783	2,372	4,008	8,003	11,290	8.595
Bottling Plant, Wire, and Capsules	„	15	9	20	5	95	427	1,582	1,824	3,838	2,502
Bran (including Pollard, for years 1889 to 1893) ...	Tons cwt.	1,303 0	1,333 0	1,169 0	2,355 18$\frac{1}{2}$	2,296 0	3,157 5	6,295 9	10,234 3	9,984 18	8,848 5
	Value £	7,818	7,998	7,014	14,134	11,485	7,697	20,865	43,394	40,272	29,813
*Brandy Colouring	Gallons	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4		
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3		
Brassware	„	114	63	227	540	953	306	1,844	3,796	4,787	4,567
Brewery and Distilling Plant...	„	367	1,221	96	226	563	369	716	2,825	3,703	1,936
*Brewing Materials	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	945
*Broom and Brush Makers' Materials	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	329
Bricks. *Air	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	341	247
Bricks. *Bath	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	34
Bricks. *Fire...	No.	...	...	...	101,440	44,838	5,714	941,041	2,928,489	200,221	399,665
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	628	1,881
Bricks. N.O.E. (including Tiles for Years 1889 to 1891)	No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,022,834	387,033
	Value £	33	147	167	712	235	65	1,261	3,868	1,389	708
*Bristles and Bass	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	71	5
Brooms and Brushes	„	849	799	1,503	2,226	1,697	2.818	4,887	8,736	8,263	6,133
Bullion (see Gold Bullion and Silver Bullion) ...	„										
*Bungs	„	...	...	...	...	...	32	53	147	53	144
*Bunting	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	61	56	23

Butter	lbs.	400,320	384,552	546,744	697,444	867,562	1,269,473½	1,907,913	3 190,509	3,877,427½	4,102,312
	Value £	16,680	16,023	22,781	29,059	36,148	50,354	73,999	148,971	188,478	195,467
Cables and Chains	,,	882	1,236	1,551	631	392	1,071	1,590	2,125	2,865	2,044
*Cakes (including Puddings, for 1897 and 1898) ...	,,	...	...	...	...	516	4,306	8,354	17,206	21,372	16,449
Canary Seed	,,	80	38	67	95	127	...	228	345	337	342
Candles	lbs.	152,480	175,800	151,520	240,071	195,233½	390,916	557,992½	1,002,918	707,042½	187,464
	Value £	3,812	4,395	3,788	5,996	4,882	8,174	10,349	18,427	10,921	2,994
*Candlemakers' Material	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	932	1,348	2,871
*Cane, N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	96	65	191	207	171
Canvas	,,	1,894	2,221	3,439	1,725	2,497	7,387	7,056	24,253	17,254	7,993
*Canvas Goods, N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	149
*Cardboard, for Box-making	,,	...	...	...	...	...	26	25	289	75	125
*Cardboard, Unprinted, in the Flat	,,	...	...	...	...	...	95	182	783	699	690
Carpeting, Mats, Matting, Oil, and other Floor-cloths	,,	1,064	1,100	2,952	3,207	1,916	4,220	10,183	19,283	26,945	16,174
*Cart and Carriage Makers' Material	,,	...	...	...	...	...	3,387	4,185	13,052	12,886	5,723
Cartridge Refillers and Recappers Cartridge Cases ... (*See* under Firearms and Accessories.)											
Carts, Carriages, and Wagons (including Dash-boards)	,,	2,469	2,393	4,440	4,059	3,880	14,032	14,539	34,139	20,534	5,789
Casks, Empty (included under "Staves and Hoops")											
Cement	No. Casks	1,530	12,720	15,700	5,363	6,902	7,650	15,048	37,477	47,457	52,077
	Value £	918	7,632	9,420	3,217	4,138	3,607	6,058	14,169	16,261	19,378
Chaff (*vide* Hay for years 1889 to 1893)	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	7,828 6	14,193 3	13,0735 ⅙	11,381 17½	2,148 19
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	37,367	50,298	70,951	55,969	8,389
*Chalk, Prepared	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	18	16
Cheese	lbs.	170,586⅔	139,173⅓	186,693⅓	242,185	235,536	335,366¼	525,268	885,795	970,417½	1,005,357
	Value £	6,397	5,219	7,001	7,064	6,870	7,235	11,201	20,118	20,300	21,058
Chicory (included under "Coffee" for years 1889 to 1894)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	38,535	42,230	28,686	19,192
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	510	426	310	212
*Chicory Root	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	952	29	257	244
Cider and Perry (included in "Beer in Bottles" for the year 1893)	Gallons	...	...	...	...	...	209	643	215½	623	1,234
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	56	133	59	150	310
Cigarettes (included under Cigars for years 1889 to 1893)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	9,757	19,634	41,999	61,433	58,855
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	2,899	5,906	13,468	19,221	19,048
Cigars (including Cigarettes and Snuff for years 1889 to 1893)	lbs.	10,060	12,360	19,880	41,519	31,166⅔	31,433	47,931	98,737	81,834	49,260
	Value £	3,521	4,326	6,958	14,533	10,908	10,276	18,082	37,114	31,611	18,278
Clocks and Watches	,,	1,354	1,255	4,227	4,070	2,785	4,924	10,607	18,501	19,830	17,583
Closets, Earth (*vide* "Disinfectants" for years 1889 to 1891)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	1,060	40
Coal	Tons	9,874	7,862	11,671	25,204	18,816	25,933	38,509	60,709	137,174	132,200
	Value £	6,738	4,929	12,078	13,840	15,202	21,782	29,479	39,503	94,938	84,246
Cocoa and Chocolate	lbs.	21,888	35,540	43,680	54,897	31,696	48,830	99,357	279,498	129,412	168,272
	Value £	912	1,777	2,184	2,744	1,585	2,881	6,248	7,750	8,445	9,139
*Cocoa in Slabs	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	718	718	832	690	568
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	43	43	79	37	33
*Cocoa Nibs	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	418	227	28
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	29	2
Coffee.											
Coffee Essence with Chicory	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,129
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	463
Raw	lbs.	28,000	16,656	26,832	21,939	23,188	44,355	51,358	68,702	72,089	99,726
	Value £	700	347	559	457	483	1,763	2,385	3,614	3,580	4,609
Roast and Ground (including Chicory for years 1889 to 1894)	lbs.	33,450	45,200	44,800	46,930	40,282	48,215	14,574	14,930½	13,657	2,920
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1,128	958	858	6,89	149
Mixed with Chicory	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	8,281	12,896	14,269¾	17,442½	5,821
	Value £	1,115	1,130	1,120	1,172	1,007	295	552	706	904	234

* See footnote marked * on page 107.

No. 15.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898*—continued.

	Articles.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Coin.	Gold	Value £	...	52,000	109,000	10,000	135,000	227,900	908,000	950,370	45,000	135,000
	Silver	,,	3,000	1,600	2,650	1,300	4,300	11,700	18,400	29,419	20,600	210
	Copper	,,	...	40	315	120	...	300	370	850	250	90
	Coke and Patent Fuel	,,	29	53	572	182	288	16	102	497	2,165	8,868
	Condensers	,,	..	...	...	...	...	966	2,127	2,432	1,019	1,068
	Confectionery	lbs.	28,896	32,620	33,720	43,852	40,102¾	$56,709\frac{7}{12}$	66,606½	131,530¾	259 754	210,851
		Value £	1,204	1,631	1,686	2,192	2,006	1,844	2,654	5,738	9,928	7,900
Copper.	Rod	,,	179	160	160	112	128	114	210	324	261	549
	Sheet	,,	45	75	270	184	241	396	343	612	1,819	2,962
	Wire	,,	3	29	166	11	34	57	57	262	379	228
	*Ingot	,,	...	...	36	18	...	...	...	1,575	339	422
	*Wares, of all kinds	,,	...	...	...	...	...	252	257	690	1,050	402
	Cordage	,,	4,738	5,270	7,584	6,215	5,022	8,115	13,273	24,582	16,752	11,537
	Cordials, not Spirituous	,,	319	331	528	383	347	618	1,054	2,069	1,429	848
	Corks	,,	651	508	859	742	1,091	1,165	2,184	3,456	4,979	4,068
Corn.	Barley	Bushels	5,220	3,326⅔	3,160	14,461	7,624½	2,805	9,616½	8,343½	5,647	6,296
		Value £	...	...	...	..	...	408	1,086	1,266	1,005	1,226
	Barley (malting)	Bushels	...	...	...	...	...	4,147	3,704½	3,546	2,2138	17,504
		Value £	783	499	474	2,177	1,144	973	661	652	4,135	3,772
	Maize and Gram	Bushels	7,060	4,160	2,760	7,699½	520	4,743⅔	6,314	13,347½	20,006½	25,696
		Value £	1,059	624	414	1,155	79	543	777	1,505	2,653	2,850
	Oats	Bushels	53,320	100,136	210,488	227,244	215,856¾	$448,968\frac{9}{10}$	819,021½	998,510¼	888,330¾	730,060
		Value £	7,998	12,517	26,311	28,404	26,982	42,916	116,207	117,233	109,719	81,878
	*Rye	Bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	118½	106	496	246
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	24	113	55
	Wheat	Bushels	12,332	3,045	5,430	92,674	11,675⅔	26,850⅚	117,745½	181,846½	212,749¾	291,570
		Value £	3,083	609	1,086	17,376	2,189	3,307	17,812	40,120	51,282	56,906
	*Cornices and Ceiling Roses	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	548	645	335
	*Cotton Waste	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	373	1,819	2,138
	*Cricket and other Outdoor Games	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1,749	2,730	5,066	5,369	3,034
	*Crucibles (including Retorts for 1897 and 1898)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	1,103	3,509
	Cutlery	,,	1,379	1,360	1,608	2,557	1,996	5,297	5,660	10,865	11,996	6,997
	Cyanide	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,280	7,531	36,773
	Dash Boards (*see* Carts, Carriages and Waggons)											
	*Dentists' Materials	,,	...	...	...	...	...	169	327	926	703	1,034
	Disinfectants (including Earth Closets for years 1889 to 1893)	,,	15	77	85	97	293	130	489	817	1,452	1,524
	Diving Apparatus	,,	4,979	2,812	4,444	3,517	4,270	3,315	2,057	1,823	3,242	4,159
	*Dog Collars	,,	...	...	...	...	...	24	7	37	39	107
	Doors	Number	1,461	740	4,097	4,808	3,257	1,175	7,994	20,749	33,740	11,517
		Value £	508	276	1,822	2,116	1,314	592	3,890	9,548	13,786	4,299
	Drapery	,,	125,297	103,344	146,764	170,638	133,015	141,552	228,148	333,081	361,157	290,955
	Dredges	Number	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1		
		Value £	...	...	...	...	20,000	15,750	...	22,000		
	*Dripping	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,908
	Drugs and Apothecaries' Wares	,,	9,590	10,969	14,286	19,802	12,975	22,654	34,750	55,557	66,158	51,992
	*Dyers' Materials	,,	...	...	...	...	...	125	132	131	64	66
	Earthen and China Wares	,,	2,292	4,018	4,627	7,505	4,493	6,715	13,644	17,497	20,264	13,261
	*Earth Scoops	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	70
	*Earthenware Drain Pipes	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,241

†Eggs	Dozens	...	...	...	...	...	144,344½	359,881½	777,651¾	941,782½	1,027,967
	Value £	85	161	849	1,874	2,122	4,996	11,920	33,389	51,429	52,667
*Electric Bells, Cables, and Lighting Material	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,570	7,625
*Electric Lamps	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,064	798
*Electrical Machinery and Material	,,	...	...	...	704	2,834	973	737	6,945	3,281	1,816
*Emery Wheels (*vide* Tools, 1897 and 1898)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27		
*Enamelled Wares of all kinds	,,	...	...	...	...	...	2,537	2,765	7,319	7,701	3,838
Engine Packing	,,	103	252	348	200	234	467	885	2,545	2,451	3,808
Essences, being Spirituous Compounds	Gallons	...	...	...	...	...	283	391	710	1,206	608
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	428	895	1,558	2,586	1,462
Essences, not Spirituous	,,	346	243	686	565	485	224	253	678	1,363	423
Fancy Goods and Toys	,,	10,048	11,765	12,341	12,057	4,756	5,120	7,693	10,672	14,091	12,166
Farinaceous Foods. Arrowroot	lbs.	3,420	2,880	5,580	4,511	...	...	14,108	18,084	12,922	8,929
,,	Value £	57	48	93	75	...	...	191	279	198	121
Sago	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	56,503	79,821	98,327	78,284
,,	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	308	381	479	350
Tapioca	lbs.	64,800	63,360	78,720	91,323	103,249	186,839	...	299,980	219,507	310,726
,,	Value £	540	792	984	1,141	1,720	2,513	...	1,088	835	1,537
N.O.E.	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	327,128	352,333	369,164	445,102
,,	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,223	4,931	5,358	6,835
*Felt Roofing	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	226	365	122
Filters	,,	56	42	125	210	...	99	264	633	624	735
Firearms and Accessories (including Cartridge Re-fillers and Re-cappers and Cartridge Cases)	,,	1,086	1,215	1,679	1,648	1,125	2,187	1,805	2,785	3,029	2,499
*Fireclay	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	7	70	620
Fire Engines, and parts of	,,	27	6	29	2	8	...	9	899	1,834	1,093
Fish (Fresh and Preserved)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	414,258	711,029	1,666,533	1,706,693¼	1,257,475
	Value £	3,545	3,717	3,958	6,839	3,708	8,866	15,291	36,368	33,965	24,402
*Fish, Shell	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,447	2,068
*Fishing Material (Fancy)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	44	23	144	434	469
*Fishing Nets	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	366
*Flock (Kapok and Horsehair)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	1,064	2,633	6,210	5,574	4,665
Flour	Tons cwt.	3,707	2,784 12	1,911 6	4,832 6½	4,612 0	7,265 10	10,078 10	1,488 10¼	15,982 13¼	14,866 12¼
	Value £	37,070	27,846	19,113	48,323	46,120	44,300	62,712	152,135	197,519	156,411
*Flour (Self-Raising)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	23,306	37,082	68,795	80,470	70,463
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	175	438	559	762	598
Forges and Anvils (including Smiths' Bellows for years 1889 to 1893, and Vices in 1897)	,,	363	473	367	660	622	716	746	2,809	2,670	1,268
Fruits. Bottled and Tinned	,,	1,973	1,863	2,606	3,048	3,097	6,765	14,653	23,914	32,049	30,474
Currants (*vide* Dried Fruits for years 1889 to 1893 inclusive)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	247,331	316,420	554,992½	564,989	503,535
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1,722	1,906	3,483	5,314	4,695
Dates	lbs.	37,920	26,040	46,800	77,030	36,953	54,716	92,274	137,059	188,949	168,294
	Value £	237	217	390	875	308	473	762	1,290	1,719	1,086
Raisins (*vide* Dried Fruits for years 1889 to 1893 inclusive)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	129,703⅔	215,644	337,471	340,248	287,599
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1,518	2,251	4,032	5,159	4,480
Dried, N.O.E. (including Raisins and currants for years 1889 to 1893 inclusive)	lbs.	265,680	295,500	363,420	410,893	337,349⅓	120,573	202,992	314,488	331,727	138,728
	Value £	3,321	4,925	6,057	6,848	5,622	2,750	4,426	6,649	6,091	2,716
Green of all kinds	,,	1,444	1,163	1,551	2,229	2,743	5,431	8,878	13,402	20,037	17,245
*Pulp	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	144	...	1,559	360
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	10	4
Furniture. Bedsteads	,,	...	...	...	...	...	2,563	4,050	7,747	8,927	4,383
Cane	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	969	
Wire Mattresses	,,	3,796	4,290	9,196	11,000	5,803	...	...	...	1,999	895
Makers' Material	,,	...	...	...	...	...	138	87	557	292	422
N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	9,802	20,486	42,796	46,215	20,194
Game. *Poultry (dead)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	650	3,400	975
*Rabbits and Hares (dead)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	747	437

† Previous to 1894, eggs being dutiable *ad valorem*, numbers were not declared. * See footnote marked * on page 107.

No. 15.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898*—continued.

Articles.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Games, outdoor (*see* Cricket.)											
*Garden Rollers	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	13	34	12	123	93
Ginger, Whole	lbs.	5,040	5,440	10,240	6,915	6,624	10,653	19,494	36,432	31,232	22,009
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	313	483	839	662	417
Ginger Ground	lbs.	…	…	…	…	…	2,694¾	4,759	7,154	7,203	5,185
	Value £	189	136	256	174	166	86	147	203	184	130
Glass (coloured) for Church Windows	,,	671	86	53	96	121	303	39	14	96	127
Glass, Sheet	,,	2,549	2,420	4,699	6,162	4,981	1,743	4,173	11,558	14,627	7,455
Glassware	,,						4,231	8,670	9,070	12,840	9,766
*Glucose	Tons cwt.	…	…	…	…	…	8 16⅔	9 8	29 15¾	31 8½	27 5
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	147	142	324	278	313
*Glue	lbs.	…	…	…	…	…	12,604	16,699	34,417	37,496	39,405
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	208	293	635	673	708
*Gold and Silver Leaf	,,	…	…	…	…	…	95	553	513	501	853
Gold Bullion	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	450	2,200	213
Government Stores	,,	6,640	5,964	13,752	26,977	16,566	25,863	38,099	145,963	187,308	104,973
Government Stores—Ordnance	,,	…	…	2,814							
¶ Governor's Stores	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	162
Graphoscopes and Stereoscopes	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	46	92
*Hair, Curled	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	69		
*Hair, Fancy and Wigs	,,	…	…	…	…	…	2	14	87	46	187
*Hammocks	,,	…	…	…	…	…	58	36	90	151	28
Hams (*vide* "Bacon" for years 1889 to 1893)	lbs.	…	…	…	…	…	112,542	162,603	325,156	384,448	318,197½
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	3683	5,435	11,324	13,693	11,492
*Handtrucks and parts	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	15	232	64
Harness and Saddlery: Mountings and Furniture (gilt) (*Vide* Saddlers' Ironmongery, etc., for 1897 and 1898)	,,	3,638	5,009	5,040	5,343	4,460	5	105	56		
Harness and Saddlery: Mountings and Furniture (plain)	,,						380	1,921	4,518		
Harness and Saddlery: Oil, Leather Dressing, and Composition	,,						187	144	434	313	413
Harness and Saddlery: Riding Saddles and Flaps	,,						1,526	1,274	1,959	1,964	1,232
Harness and Saddlery: N.O.E.	,,						10,533	8,233	19,916	8,361	4,082
Hats and Bonnets: Hats and Caps for Men	,,	2,216	1,827	1,604	2,345	5,336	5,582	12,826	17,108	19,930	13,191
Hats and Bonnets: Shapes	,,						789	303	620	893	1,279
Hats and Bonnets: Straw (untrimmed)	,,						839	2,810	2,735	4,216	§
Hats and Bonnets: N.O.E.	,,						698	1,607	1,328	6,092	3,930
Hay (including Chaff for years 1889-93)	Tons cwt.	268 0	429 0	1,563 10	3,938 3¼	515 0	101 2$\frac{27}{28}$	380 0	438 14	535 18½	383 9¼
	Value £	1,608	2,574	9,381	15,753	2,060	378	1,521	2,294	3,051	1,261
*Hemp Seed	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	72
*Hessian	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	1,678	1,350
Hides, Green	,,	501	984	753	624	293	237	6	74	10	8
*Honey	lbs.	…	…	…	…	…	42,949	98,536	163,135	135,912	173,498
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	595	1,340	2,831	2,239	2,952
Hop Bitters	,,	442	243	361	425	163	…	152	116	90	21
Hops	lbs.	35,180	25,200	66,420	75,393	47,084½	89,064	128,488	236,989	263,994	262,397½
	Value £	1,759	1,260	3,321	3,768	2,354	3,712	4,706	8,531	10,723	12,941
†Hose, of all kinds	,,	138	169	348	739	407	643	1,119	2,555	3,230	4,042
Housing, Saddlers' (included in Saddlers' Ironmongery, 1897 and 1898)	,,	1,100	724	991	884	1,014	5,021	2,990	4,127		
*Ice Cream Machines and Coolers	,,	…	…	…	…	…	105	823	393	752	515
*Incubators	,,	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	197

	*India-rubber Goods	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,457	1,357
	*India-rubber Stamps	„	...	...	...	...	...	19	59	222	105	118
	Ink	„	174	177	337	364	328	782	1,181	2,585	3,518	2,657
	Instruments--Surgical, Scientific, and Optical	„	381	392	930	262	244	992	2,417	5,851	5,960	4,074
Iron.	Bar and Rod	„	1,654	3,041	4,994	5,850	5,946	7,138	8,145	29,772	24,033	25,377
	Camp Ovens	„	34	84	81	135	150	807	1,241	1,451	1,016	220
	*Castings	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	648
	*Doors	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	401
	Galvanised (corrugated)	Tons cwt.	1,069 0	931 0	1,695 0	1,395 11¼	1,593 0	2,101 6	3,787 0	7,349 10¾	11,505 4	8,854 17¾
		Value £	19,242	1,3965	25,425	20,934	23,893	32,967	57,987	105,010	179,407	137,115
	Do. (plain)	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	379 0	298 11	610 0	2,970 8	279 8	666 19
		Value £	1,172	1,379	2,528	3,185	3,800	4,728	9,170	45,242	4,403	10,495
	Gas, Water, and Drain Pipes	„	495	24,090	7,897	5,886	2,545	5,207	9,021	37,210	58,616	51,976
	Gates and Hurdles	Tons cwt.	8 0	7 10	2 5	5 16¾	2 0	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
		Value £	96	90	27	70	18	52	2,293	370	297	191
	*Girders, Columns, and Joists	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,453	4,551
	Grates and Stoves	„	251	408	763	1,281	635	1,489	2,502	5,704	6,603	4,535
	Hoop	„	394	613	327	389	684	585	607	2,606	1,262	1,174
	Pig	Tons cwt.	25 0	140 0	68 0	289 18	374 11½	35 0	284 0	629 8¼	938 15	1,407 19
		Value £	100	416	222	919	888	220	774	2,491	2,819	4,124
	Plate	„	135	263	416	388	594	504	712	2,803	1,075	1,108
	*Sashweights	No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91,741
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,433
	Sheet	Value £	120	138	557	219	470	213	770	1,546	1,158	2,073
	Tanks	„	749	1,269	1,556	1,330	3,371	10,064	5,636	14,392	16,138	12,915
	Wire Netting	„	1,588	1,789	2,672	3,312	1,023	2,063	2,370	2,562	4,284	5,632
	Safes	„	326	480	717	593	757	1,643	2,893	7,240	6,988	3,013
	Iron and Steel Wire, Standards and Staples, for Fencing	Tons cwt.	1,712 0	1,883 14	2,009 0	1,800 4¼	1,190 0	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
		Value £	17,120	18,837	20,090	18,002	11,895	1,3819	10,799	1,2241	14,996	19,516
	*Wire, other than Fencing	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,302	1,513	487
	Ironmongery and Hardware	„	17,636	19,970	27,483	28,763	20,613	2 5792	37,858	100,963	77,724	47,398
	Jams, Jellies, and Preserves	„	6,049	6,970	9,874	11,755	11,977	2,2030	27,637	48,131	52,324	47,026
	*Japanned Wares, of all kinds	„	...	...	...	...	...	246	325	333	340	147
	Jewellery	„	1,332	728	3,462	3,677	2,255	3,689	9,010	20,606	15.407	23,926
	*Lamps, Electric (*see* Electric Lamps).											
	Lampware	„	573	735	1,035	1,390	1,405	3,440	6,701	12,768	16.094	10,582
	Lard	lbs.	10,710	11,160	12,690	27,623½	22,413	28,890½	37,294	5,2931	50,271	66,238½
		Value £	357	372	423	921	747	550	680	1,139	1,043	1,433
	*Lead, Red and White	„	...	...	...	...	...	647	1,539	5,480	5,162	5,543
	Lead—Sheet, Pig, Scrap, and Piping	Tons cwt.	20 0	91 8	30 16	77 $11\frac{4}{15}$	65 $5\frac{7}{12}$	33 $15\frac{47}{60}$	94 8¾	316 9½	529 0	426 2
		Value £	360	1,371	462	1,164	975	451	1,208	4,292	7,423	5,448
	Lead—Strip	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Leather.	American, Patent	„	35	10	24	42	24	190	76	83	58	61
	*Fancy	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,590	‖
	French Calf	„	143	14	185	43	98	330	722	1,286	1,657	1,446
	Kip, Sole and Harness	„	1,189	675	1,427	2,428	2,030	4,887	5,280	1,2675	12,046	18,277
	Levant	„	60	60	10	14	24	...	...	46	88	
	Morocco	„	15	...	10	70	27	...	206	34	15	
	Roans	„	17	...	26	82	27	1	1	...	...	11
	Patent	„	92	...	131	273	54	29	99	36	94	
	Satin Hides	„	261	170	218	169	26	301	38	1	29	7
	Kid Skins	„	22	10	10	3	7	1	67	62	...	50
	N.O.E.	„	338	168	252	36	202	891	675	1,957	1,648	6,272
	Leather, Manufactured Goods	„	176	157	580	368	...	1,469	1,546	5,509	6,773	5,850
	Limejuice	„	303	254	337	438	406	698	1,268	1,521	1,770	1,110
	*Linseed, Whole	Bushels	...	...	...	...	...	122½	621	677½	$608\frac{5}{6}$	533½
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	38	156	146	198	140

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* See footnote marked * on page 107. + Not being Hosiery. ‡ Declared *ad valorum*, weight not recorded. § Classified under "Apparel and Slops." ‖ Included in "Leather N.O.E."

¶ Previously classified under "Government Stores."

No. 15.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1899*—continued.

Articles.			1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	*Lithographic Presses and Machinery	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	19	294	264
Machinery.	Cream Separating	,,	375	282	415	441	265	186	85	251	160	183
	*Electrical (*see* Electrical Machinery).											
	Flour Mill	,,	1,593	4,214	3,167	2,774	2,951	919	5	2,479	125	139
	Mining	,,	7,234	2,440	10,184	7,953	11,200	3,5842	139,925	364,706	201,169	247,691
	*Ice Making	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,027	1,642	1,275
	*Parts of Machinery	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,731
	N.O.E.	,,	2,033	2,962	6,089	6,027	5,062	22,318	31,019	82,099	65,595	85,839
	Malt	Bushels	5,184	5,740	5,704	6,853	11,036¼	18,501	38,313	76,779¾	107,551¼	100,441
		Value £	1,296	1,435	1,426	1,713	2,759	5,537	9,834	19,302	27,933	28,932
	Mantelpieces	,,	18	33	23	630	230	290	1,239	3,574	3,149	1,487
	Manure	,,	74	253	765	970	1,718	2,722	3,491	5,867	10,926	16,218
	*Marble, Stone and Slate (in the rough)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	249	568	1,368	1,529	2,175
	Marble, Stone and Slate (wrought)	,,	432	460	423	508	856	130	860	3,046	2,509	1,663
	Matches and Vestas	,,	2,057	2,014	2,720	3,619	3,366	5,640	7,641	8,902	10,764	8,221
Meats.	*Extract of	,,	...	...	...	...	...	769	1,071	3,684	1,993	2,095
	*Fresh	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	178	189	146,889	2,631,767	249,908
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	1,280	20,270	3,113
	*Potted and Fish in Paste	,,	...	...	...	...	...	742	2,041	2,615	3,329	1,836
	Preserved	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	2,067,124	2,143,302	4,006,799	2,696,003	3,262,096
		Value £	4,081	4,621	7,911	15,302	13,170	4,1260	45,976	78,033	55,584	62,363
	Salt Beef (including Salt Pork for years 1889 to 1893, and Fresh Meat for years 1889 to 1891)	lbs.	141,040	131,200	156,400	281,403	141,252	64,690	66,468	52,736	70,226	62,194
		Value £	3,526	3,280	3,910	7,035	3,801	959	706	658	770	623
	*Salt Pork (included with Salt Beef for years 1889 to 1893)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	2,4569	22,793	44,980	16,830	154,911
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	597	418	913	266	3,959
	*Match Lathing	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	629
	Metals, N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	251	346	710	2,920	2,730
	*Meters, Gas and Water	,,	...	...	...	...	...	362	1,034	1,652	3,067	1,528
	Milk, Preserved, and compounds thereof	Value £	2,724	3,609	6,937	8,048	9,792	17,639	37,167	47,466	73,799	73,198
	*Millboards and Strawboards	,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	248	602
	Molasses and Golden Syrup (included in "Sugar" for years 1889 to 1893)	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	100 3¾	127 7	187 17½	175 19	225 19
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	1,939	2,315	3,342	3,096	3,900
	*Mouldings, Gilt	,,	...	...	...	...	...	112	383	547	1,225	897
Musical Instruments.	Concertinas and Accordeons	,,	238	181	305	504	101	190	511	2,000	184	199
	Organs and Harmoniums	,,	157	133	382	296	107	413	442	879	1,183	896
	Pianos	,,	2,434	2,228	3,933	4,523	2,795	5,994	7,114	11,943	14,249	9,909
	Violins	,,	15	19	51	74	47	42	49	52	34	35
	For places of Worship (including Bells for years 1889 to 1893)	,,	176	...	1,710	12	452	259	348	72	293	493
	For Bands of Defence Forces	,,	...	...	26	71	119	30	15	...	47	167
	N.O.E.	,,	279	347	232	300	496	1,395	1,320	953	2,968	3,043
	Music	,,	288	223	535	185	125	1,130	501	1,089	1,117	1,680
	Mustard	,,	380	559	631	953	685	1,104	1,865	3,343	2,685	3,158
	Nails, Tacks, Bolts, Rivets, and Washers	,,	1,211	1,031	2,155	2,368	3,252	6,392	9,568	24,158	30,312	21,752
	Nuts, Edible (all kinds)	,,	461	310	560	591	445	934	1,517	2,855	2,885	2,164
	Oakum	,,	81	100	147	70	54	49	93	262	196	134
	*Oars	,,	...	...	...	...	...	169	141	311	357	198
	Oatmeal	Tons cwt.	65 0	97 12	115 0	155 1	197 16¾	493 12	451 8	667 13	724 15¼	761 1¼
		Value £	1,170	1,464	1,725	2,325	2,974	6,023	5,353	9,698	11,092	11,747
Oils	*Castor, refined	,,	...	...	...	...	...	187	361	460	441	385
	*Cod, refined	,,	...	...	...	...	...	102	154	251	397	157

Oils—*continued.*											
Cod, in bulk (included under Fish, Vegetable, and Turps for 1897 and 1898)	„	145	132	184	198	140	246	186	344		
*Eucalyptus	„	...	...	...	...	...	622	1,161	1,455	1,540	1,411
Fish, Vegetable, and Turps (Turps included with Mineral for years 1892 and 1893)	Gallons	172,220	162,360	239,220	26,522⅔	26,567	49,688$\frac{5}{12}$	71,272	131,630¼	203,708	128,334
	Value £	...	...	...	1,325	1,328	4,638	6,848	12,831	25,123	13,364
Mineral (including Turpentine for years 1892 and 1893)	Gallons	...	...	...	239,336	208,555	277,968$\frac{2}{12}$	495,024	853,649	1,058,022	1,153,374
	Value £	8,285	8,118	11,961	11,967	10,427	9,726	16,546	31,953	32,747	33,602
Salad	„	308	354	491	482	303	429	786	860	845	706
Sandalwood	„	...	...	...	...	...	7	24	27	39	21
*Turpentine	Gallons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,001
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,105
*N.O.E.	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,121
*Oil Cake	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	34 5	246 17¾	96 6¼
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	115	845	387
Oilmen's Stores, N.O.E.	„	15,517	16,253	25,400	25,148	22,974	6,654	13,115	31,038	25,662	13,054
Onions	Tons cwt.	48 16	106 0	244 0	379 12$\frac{5}{12}$	352 12¼	552 6	1,183 1	1,576 10½	2,106 4¾	1,694 11½
	Value £	244	376	854	1,329	1,234	3,254	3,989	10,620	13,545	11,887
Opium	lbs.	702	715	750	1,007½	1,072¼	891	1,172	1,794¼	2,103⅙	1,706½
	Value £	702	715	750	1,007	1,072	1,115	1,714	2,801	3,319	2,495
Paints and Colours	„	1,514	1,565	2,199	2,899	3,150	2,810	3,550	9,028	8,514	7,720
*Paper (unprinted), in the flat	„	...	...	..	...	...	4,278	7,792	13,956	18,319	17,525
Paper Bags	„	454	423	545	765	889	1,498	1,663	3,985	4,586	3,362
*Paper, Circulars and Advertising Matter	„										2,566
Paper, Wrapping (for 1894-7 included in Paper unprinted), in the flat	„	1,227	949	1,924	1,639	2,151					
Paper, Wall	„	225	141	642	371	437	689	926	2,702	3,070	1,128
Paper, Printing for Newspapers (including paper for general printing purposes in years '89 to '93)	„	3,558	2,412	3,080	4,290	3,164	3,096	5,260	13,235	9,016	8,119
*Papier-maché Wares	„	...	...	...	...	...	16	1	8	9	15
*Paraffine Wax „ „	„	...	677	1,027	806	789	211	528	756	750	1,702
Patent Fuel (*see* "Coke and Patent Fuel").											
Patent Slips and Docks	„	...	...	...	350						
*Peas, Split	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	37 6	74 15	72 8	73 5
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	251	412	806	702	738
*Peas, Whole	Bushels	...	...	...	...	...	6,527⅚	9,375	9,193¼	3,986	5,398½
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	745	1,001	954	886	925
Patent Materials for Wool Scouring	„	84	16	77	...	8	20				
Peel, Candied	lbs.	11,400	12,180	15,780	16,420	14,040½	13,225	20,714	28,708	36,155	29,692
	Value £	190	203	263	274	234	266	336	458	519	415
Pepper.											
Ground	lbs.	10,920	16,640	17,560	20,529	28,039	23,670	23,441	35,169	29,478	17,099½
	Value £						757	883	1,193	1,052	786
Whole	lbs.						16,150	18,239	28,763	34,566	43,883¼
	Value £	273	416	439	513	467	292	332	598	799	1,433
Perambulators	„	160	160	334	272	383	808	839	1,534	1,461	778
Perfumes and Pomades	„	495	822	1,304	951	642	1,501	2,410	4,429	5,139	4,060
Photographic Material	„	247	454	446	498	641	1,551	2,888	4,816	5,958	5,472
*Photographs	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	374	135	374
Pickles	„	1,162	1,350	1,463	1,841	1,903	2,197	3,652	6,793	6,026	4,645
*Picture Frames and Backs	„	...	...	...	...	...	332	258	695	712	734
Pitch (including Tar, 1889 to 1890 inclusive)	„	78	94	103	75	137	148	255	514	558	910
Plants, Seeds, and Bulbs	„	1,064	1,518	2,385	3,278	3,529	5,823	4,686	955	6,017	5,623
Plate, Electro	„	508	906	2,334	2,941	1,241	2,410	5,244	11,968	13,113	8,714
Plate, Silver and Gold	„	82	131	56	89	108	180	704	1,306	947	1,173
*Plaster of Paris	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	57 9⅝	51 5	241 14	488 7¾	242 10¼
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	207	210	709	1,245	545
Playing Cards, of all kinds	„	64	85	119	176	38	186	407	607	994	452
Pollard (*vide* "Bran" for years 1889 to 1893)	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	1,010 13	1,778 17	1,780 14	1,615 6	1,984 0¼
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	3,208	5,779	7,615	6,622	6,906

* See footnote marked * on page 107.

No. 15.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898*—continued.

Articles.			1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Potatoes		Tons cwt.	808 0	936 0	1,680 0	2.067 18	2,041 10	3,209 $5\frac{4}{15}$	4,941 15	8,285 18	11,992 8	8,475 15¼
		Value £	3,232	3,276	5,880	7,238	7,147	10,121	10,219	33,601	43,795	69,430
Powder—Baking, Egg, and Yeast		lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	62,962	69,507	120,195½	134,126	149,327¾
		Value £	1,057	1,198	1,195	1,837	1,977	2,963	3,067	5,051	5,619	6,411
*Precious Stones		,,	...	. .	...	...	...	6	69	238	301	520
*Presses, Copying and Embossing		,,	...	...	...	...	...	158	433	1,002	291	329
Printing Presses, Type, and Material		,,	1,344	941	1,326	1,967	930	3,867	4,843	9,201	9,515	4,039
Prints, Paintings, and Statuary		,,	193	389	630	1,145	409	716	784	6,979	1,646	679
Pumps and Apparatus for raising Water		,,	338	387	996	1,262	806	3,115	4,083	9,934	16,456	13,818
*Putty		,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	373	369
*Quicksilver		,,	...	...	...	337	550	1,287	1,976	4,047	4,541	5,056
Railway Stores: Government.	Carriages, Wagons, and parts	,,	5,117	5,510	55,801	61,909	239,927	69,599	151,380	111,600	168,038	128,779
	Iron and Steel Castings									21	24	
	Rails and Fastenings									150,658	124,252	49,989
	Wheels, Tires, and Axles									24,344	45,451	12,776
	Locomotives and parts									69,257	140,682	129,370
	Steam Engines and parts									2,570	5,783	
	All other									53,529	128,288	37,395
Railway Stores: All Other.	Carriages, Wagons, and parts	,,	23,253	27,560	31,901	21,087	5,061	74,694	29,354	21,279	6,765	2,759
	Iron and Steel Castings									24		
	Rails and Fastenings									19,246	12,414	17,809
	Wheels, Tires, and Axles									3,257	2,422	1,625
	Locomotives and parts									11,449	5,512	849
	Steam Engines and parts									486	98	
	All other									354	7,859	1,553
Resin		,,	215	71	246	159	116	258	312	464	302	815
Retorts (*vide* "Crucibles").												
Rice	Whole	Tons cwt.	429 0	513 5	630 10	555 9	613 15	811 7	734 7	1,146 0	1,271 6	1,434 17
		Value £						7,756	6,344	11,096	12,832	16,705
	Paddy	Tons cwt.						1 16	2 11	19 8	2 18	3 10
		Value £						7	11	72	15	22
	Ground and Meal	Tons cwt.						1 16	2 17	4 2	4 8	915
		Value £	3,861	6,159	7,566	6,628	7,364	31	66	77	78	170
*Saccharine		,,	...	...	...	...	...	88	62	225	200	164
*Saddlers' Ironmongery, Furniture, and Materials, N.O.E.		,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	551	2,518	3,547
*Sails		,,	...	...	...	...	...	127	145	185	182	56
Salt, Rock		,,	3	5	4	4	43	18	119	52	82	55
Salt, other		Tons cwt.	220 0	400 14	453 10	302 9⅙	407 4¼	638 14⅚	820 7	980 14¼	1,191 16¼	1,324 14
		Value £	385	761	907	604	814	1,604	1,942	2,138	2,313	2,533
Sauces		,,	504	916	1,255	1,732	1,924	3,849	5,723	12,602	11,832	10,037
*Sausage Skins		,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	438
Screws		,,	310	272	412	690	488	598	915	1,433	2,344	1,964
Sewing Machines		,,	670	705	1,586	1,977	1,848	3,305	3,173	5,789	6,557	5,397
Sheathing, Copper, and other Metal		,,	1,481	1,576	882	672	704	1,257	617	348	1,378	1,119
Sheathing, Felt		,,	55	49	27	22	19		10	50	416	30
*Sheep Dip		,,	...	...	...	...	...	70	406	164	281	409
*Sheep Skins		,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101
*Shellac		,,	...	...	...	...	...	5	8	77	86	95
Shoemakers' Grindery		,,	1,581	2,215	2,808	953	1,295	2,631	1,867	2,359	1,196	3,509

*Sieves, of all kinds	„	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	29	114	116
*Silk, for Flour-dressing	„	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	13	
*Silver Bullion	„	…	…	…	…	…		…	…	…	206
Smelting Material	„	7	1	60	…	80	131	21	81	100	6,860
Snuff (*vide* "Cigars") for years 1889 to 1893	lbs.	…	…	…	…	…	224	228	298	298	519½
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	78	44	48	35	62
Soap (Fancy, Powder, and Extract)	„	294	680	710	989	886	1,827	3,312	4,438	5,744	6,050
Soap, N.O.E.	Tons cwt.	99 0	61 0	90 5	150 6 5/9	78 12⅓	110 14	188 16	342 15¼	411 8¼	358 9¼
	Value £	1,683	732	1,083	1,804	937	2,575	5,252	9,127	10,982	9,926
*Soapmakers' Materials, N.O.E.	„	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	112	191	455
Solder	Tons cwt.	0 2	0 4	0 2	0 3¼	0 6½					
	Value £	1	2	1	2	4	108	129	309	528	367
Spars	„	62	232	18	5	7	11	30	28	25	
Spices. Ground	lbs.	6,500	5,600	6,640	6,196	5,625	3,408	6,132	10,058	11,796	8,154½
	Value £	…	…	…	…	…	191	285	478	446	370
Spices. Whole	lbs.	…	…	…	…	…	6,466	11,608	17,536	21,897	13,050¾
	Value £	325	280	332	310	281	275	491	657	699	493
Spirits. Brandy	Gallons	20,395	23,094	27,198	34,393	22,803	24,606	34,260	56,666	53,321	39,309
	Value £	12,237	11,547	13,599	17,195	11,402	13,208	19,398	32,162	35,407	23,694
Spirits. Geneva and Schnapps	Gallons	3,000	3,610	4,070	5,187	4,362	4,780⅘	9,172	10,011	15,960	13,812
	Value £	600	1,444	1,628	2,073	1,745	1,451	2,338	2,767	4,501	4,365
Spirits. Gin	Gallons	3,700	5,075	5,585	5,659	6,190	6,472	10,295	13,598	18,072	11,603
	Value £	740	1,015	1,117	1,132	1,238	1,944	1,882	3,427	4,312	2,725
Spirits. Rum	Gallons	20,210	21,230	22,075	25,403	21,296	16,855	17,867	20,298	20,459	13,026
	Value £	4,042	4,246	4,415	5,080	4,260	3,670	3,271	3,722	3,376	2,318
Spirits. Whisky	Gallons	23,100	33,135	43,788	58,362	56,112	72,250	129,451	196,956	212,296	166,917
	Value £	5,775	11,045	14,596	19,453	18,704	28,931	51,121	77,039	85,020	68,200
Spirits. Liqueurs and Cordials	Gallons	490	284	360	383	476	880⅒	1,936	2,900	3,177	2,108
	Value £	98	355	450	478	595	1,089	2,013	3,739	3,118	2,061
Spirits. of Wine, rectified	Gallons	280	480	404	364	352½	253 7/10	1,082	2,210	4,800	4,652
	Value £	70	120	101	91	89	76	240	288	399	385
Spirits. of Wine, destroyed in Bond	Gallons	…	…	…	…	…	490⅖	471	126	155	47
	Value £	60	87	79	344	279	111	49	15	14	4
Spirits. Methylated	Gallons	180	200	360	199¼	573	876¾	1,209	2,798	4,746	5,800
	Value £	18	30	54	29	86	170	182	351	677	592
*Spun Yarn	„	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	17	63	9
Starch	„	341	628	575	542	580	705	1,718	1,958	2,567	3,410
Stationery	„	4,894	4,006	5,952	7,731	7,195	12,418	23,235	40,670	45,302	33,754
Staves and Hoops (including "Casks, empty")	„	171	509	707	497	424	554	589	1,782	7,517	6,342
Steam Engines and parts	„	3,047	4,224	6,209	9,457	4,542	6,574	14,632	28,299	17,346	11,517
*Stearine	„	…	…	…	…	…	611	3,281	6,199	7,974	6,449
Steel	„	441	355	343	873	1,122	3,694	4,353	16,587	16,068	12,839
Stereoscopes (*see* under "Graphoscopes").											
Stones, Grind	„	61	48	75	95	356	136	132	411	489	228
Stones, other, N.O.E.	„	368	865	380	329	265	123	53	298	133	212
Sugar (including Molasses, Treacle, and Golden Syrup, for years 1889 to 1893 inclusive)	Tons cwt.	2,300 10	2,402 12	2,416 8	2,259 13	2,607 0	3,351 14	3,659 11	6,392 8	7,220 19	7,992 4
	Value £	69,015	60,065	60,410	56,491	51,940	55,178	54,239	92,685	105,366	111,085
*Sulphate of Iron	„	…	…	…	…	…	12	17	10	6	53
Sulphur	„	104	143	533	432	76	343	246	144	120	194
Tallow	„	308	320	366	1,816	234	334	980	565	254	170
*Tanning Material	„	…	…	…	…	…	468	640	1,260	981	1,296
Tar (*vide* Pitch, 1889-90 inclusive)	„	…	…	102	96	108	93	92	459	479	427
Tarpaulin (included in Tents and Cart Covers for years 1889 to 1893)	„	…	…	…	…	…	904	407	1,001	378	138
Tea	lbs.	745,230	507,420	679,840	644,951	548,525	796,097	848,164	1,414,992	1,382,166	1,601,974
	Value £	49,682	25,371	33,992	32,247	27,426	41,912	36,440	59,957	56,174	65,417

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* See footnote marked * on page 107.

No. 15—*Quantities and Values of Articles Imported into Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898.*—continued.

Article.			1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Telegraph and Telephone Material		Value £	4	176	214	45	200	98	256	2,260	1,984	625
Tents and Cart Covers		„	652	1,164	817	1,114	1,341	2,965	885	1,927	672	164
†Tiles		„	...	...	...	...	185	20	563	1,517	3,273	2,006
Timber.	Architraves	„	18	64	12	70	3	37	83	67	56	1
	Boards	„	1,194	3,467	3,812	7,728	2,951	4,324	4,680	23,618	33,058	10,571
	Laths	„	57	79	75	191	47	50	90	801	1,113	517
	Mouldings	„	163	476	530	853	287	134	167	744	797	43
	Palings	„	...	...	7	30	90	...	...	50	288	
	Skirtings	„	106	103	428	208	3	...	...	188	130	
	Worked	„	349	343	1,504	1,823	3,108	4,497	16,382	48,653	56,308	13,919
	Unworked	„	2,888	6,947	6,788	9,513	6,141	5,172	19,489	62,764	61,870	23,366
	*In Balk, Rough, or Hewn	„	...	...	...	...	...	1,890	2,830	3,481	2,149	1,506
	*In short lengths for case-making	„	...	...	...	...	...	1,054	994	1,184	2,093	1,400
	*Wooden Houses	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	870	854
	N.O.E.	„	407	1,201	2,721	1,957	254	90	871	109		
Tin.	Block	„	66	57	44	136	172	743	565	998	268	182
	Foil	„	15	6	9	30	63	29	66	60	187	234
	Ingot	„	131	160	148	313	106	...	...	818	1,272	1,298
	Plate	„	728	664	895	978	526	1,197	944	1,832	1,161	1,825
	Ware	„	129	200	364	375	401	1,256	1,605	3,989	3,351	1,589
*Tins, Empty		„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,557	1,960	1,656
Tobacco.	Cigars (*see* under "Cigars").											
	Cigarettes (*see* under "Cigarettes").											
	Manufactured	lbs.	182,080	182,040	117,400	130,576 1/12	145,798½	243,368 11/12	345,775	534,044¼	536,276¼	599,931¼
		Value £	13,656	13,653	8,805	9,792	10,935	18,090	27,501	41,208	46,907	49,799
	Snuff (*see* under "Snuff").											
	Unmanufactured	lbs.	900	110,697	163,320	199,994	89,165	112,955	60,288	56,191	156,165½	60,090½
		Value £	45	2,855	4,083	5,000	2,229	2,966	2,012	1,971	3,843	2,283
	For Sheep Wash	„	47	11	245	...	6	8	1	...	9	1
	Pipes and Wares	„	771	790	1,283	2,298	1,279	4,561	5,938	11,760	14,297	902
Tongues (*vide* "Bacon" for years 1889 to 1893)		lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	64,984	166,020	360,063	318,679	239,121
		Value £	...	...	...	...	...	2,269	5,775	11,443	10,872	9,347
Tools		„	3,571	3,410	5,577	8,143	6,072	25,550	31,726	68,988	50,663	28,610
*Transfers		„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	5
*Typewriters		„	...	...	...	...	...	313	936	4,830	3,576	1,988
Uniforms and Appointments for Defence Forces		„	513	783	127	98	334	1,534	288	310	978	710
*Varnish		„	...	...	555	527	390	657	1,124	2,156	4,744	3,229
Vegetables, Fresh		„	1,143	1,212	2,067	3,220	2,828	8,614	14,987	850	1,324	555
Vegetables, Preserved		„								25,989	18,473	15,361
*Veneer		„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	62
Vinegar		Gallons	7,620	15,880	15,000	15,243½	13,996⅔	18,030	18,187	35,288½	28,948½	24,813
		Value £	508	794	750	762	700	1,237	1,468	2,701	2,143	1,759
*Vinegar, Raspberry		„	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	23	16	5
‖Weighing Machines and Scales		„	4	3	10	13	...	1,484	2,245	4,073	5,842	3,352
Whiting		Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	27 6	95 11	93 17	211 8¾	182 12	170
		Value £	39	38	117	171	119	206	213	390	306	325
*Wheels	For Carriages	„	...	...	...	...	...	153	260	1,036	1,366	120
	For Carts and Waggons	„	...	...	...	...	...	277	163	599	235	93
*Wheelbarrows		„	...	...	...	...	...	269	731	2,074	1,092	444

Winches and Jacks for Lifting (previous to 1896 included in "Tools")	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	192	1,520	1,717
Window Sashes and Frames	„	60	122	130	259	121	95	751	1,003	1,485	980
Wine, Sparkling	Gallons	1,920	3,024	2,812	2,996½	2,539½	5,300	11,730	23,839	13,886	6,476
	Value £	1,344	4,536	4,218	4,493	3,809	8,321	20,302	42,983	23,737	10,915
Wine, Still	Gallons	12,895	13,826	19,028	20,630	17,814	23,044	42,633	68,680	75,705	49,421
	Value £	5,158	6,913	9,514	10,313	8,907	10,999	16,302	28,710	30,940	19,167
Wire Cloth for Quartz-crushing Machinery ...	„	...	165	62	5	72	434	252	218	1,604	2,974
Wire Rope (previous to 1896 included in Cordage)	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,094	5,404	6,298
Woodware	„	2,273	1,669	2,270	4,081	1,488	452	650	2,719	4,306	3,339
Wool Bales	„	5,073	3,553	4,066	1,868	1,998	2,790	2,158	2,630	2,423	1,486
Wool Presses	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	314	433
Zinc { Sheet, Plain, and Perforated	„	131	220	479	522	689	159	794	1,259	1,513	1,399
Zinc { *Ingot	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	297	12	143
All other goods	„	3,343	6,545	27,422	27,121	33,629	12,333	7,779	9,567	7,874	7,052
Total	Values £	818,127	874,447	1,280,093	1,391,109	1,494,438	2,114,414	‡ 3,774,951	§ 6,493,557	6,418,565	5,241,965

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* See footnote marked * on page 107.

† For years 1888 to 1891, inclusive, *vide* Bricks.

‡ See footnote marked § on page 107.

§ See footnotes marked † and ‡ on page 107.

‖ From 1888 to 1894 these importations, with the exception of the few recorded, were accounted for under the head of Ironmongery.

No. 16.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Exported from Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898.*

Articles.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Aërolites	Value £	...	...	...	40	...	...	4	...	100	
Aerated Waters	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	22
Alkali (Bicarbonate of Soda)	,,	...	...	...	...	4					
Ammunition and Explosives. Cartridges	,,	...	...	...	196						
Ammunition and Explosives. Detonators	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60
Ammunition and Explosives. Dynamite	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	675
Ammunition and Explosives. Fuse	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	227
Ammunition and Explosives. Gelatine Dynamite	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	825
Ammunition and Explosives. Gelignite	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,100
Animals, Living. Camels	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	200	502
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	6,000	15,060
Animals, Living. Dogs	Number	26	50	...	45	25	1	2	2	5	3
	Value £	78	150	...	135	25	2	10	7	24	21
Animals, Living. Horned Cattle	Number	70	69	33	33	26	...	...	...	...	172
	Value £	490	483	231	178	125	...	...	...	...	1,102
Animals, Living. Horses	Number	433	421	123	245	74	5	22	36	90	74
	Value £	5,196	5,052	1,476	2,450	780	285	958	360	2,047	1,947
Animals, Living. Pigs	Number	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3
	Value £	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	26
Animals, Living. Sheep	Number	3,400	1,385	2,148	300	1,551	1,300	...	1,004	1,794	300
	Value £	2,040	831	1,289	160	536	520	...	364	1,188	105
Animals, Living. Mules	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Anchors and Cables	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250
Apothecaries' Wares	,,	...	...	...	...	10	105	144	148	32	776
Apparel, Slops, and Effects	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,861	4,759
Arrowroot and other Farinaceous Foods	,,	...	...	...	...	...	131				
Bacon	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,683	217	
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	10	
Bags, Sacks, and Bagging, in the piece	,,	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	856	1,870
Baking Powder	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44		
Bark (subsequent to 1891 classified with All Other Goods).	,,	30	148	1,561							
Basket and Wicker Ware	,,	...	...	...	3						
Beché-de-Mer	,,	2,638	120	90	525	99	327	4	...	960	1,997
Beer	,,	278	125	...	...	30	...	9	...	325	372
Beeswax	,,	36	35	45	49	5	50	10	...	17	6
Bicycles and Parts thereof	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	623	2,515	4,148
Billiard Tables and Accessories	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	175	124
Blankets and Rugs	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	30	41	132
Boats	,,	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	160
Boilers	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	250	100
Bones (classified with All Other Goods in years 1890 to 1896)	,,	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	33
Brushware	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	
Books and Printed Matter	,,	...	...	...	...	20	88	28	20	817	821
Boots and Shoes	,,	...	...	...	...	1	199	123	319	507	1,006
Brassware	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	25	
Bottles (empty)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	31	44	62	298	582

Butter	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,360	...	...	112
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	5	86	...	57	7
Canary Seed	„	...	...	...	...	25					
Candles	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97,500
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,405
Canvas	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	401	...	...	448
Carpets	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	208
Carts, Carriages, and Wagons	„	...	...	...	...	15	...	70	40	451	185
Cart and Carriage Makers' Materials	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	370	
Casks (empty)	„	184	388	...	453	393	244	26	5	...	53
Cement	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	
Cheese	„	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	103
Chronometers	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	50
Cigars	lbs.	792	267	681	50	350	703	165	732	...	535
	Value £	198	67	170	17	122	85	48	354	243	196
Cigarettes	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	239
Clocks and Watches	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	169	205
Coal	Tons	...	...	...	...	6,243	8,191	14,857	14,435	23,382	25,827
	Value £	...	...	...	...	8,750	9,006	18,535	15,041	25,802	25,827
Coin (Gold)	„	...	...	...	...	20,060	...	4,500	92	626,080	15,000
Confectionery	„	...	...	...	...	105					
Cordage (including Twine)	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	20	35	161
Corks	„	...	...	...	...	...	8				
Cow Tails (*vide* "Hair").											
Curios	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	106	267
Cutlery (previous to 1896 classified under "Hardware and Cutlery").	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66		
Cyanide	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	596	240
Cylinders, Empty	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	304	785
Diving Gear	„	...	...	...	135	20	40	...	60	...	33
Drapery	„	844	72	...	...	1,129	1,059	2,694	1,111	4,219	1,274
Drugs (*vide* "Apothecaries' Wares").											
Dryblower	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48
Dyers' Material	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	100			
Earthen and China Ware	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	62	632
Eucalyptus Oil	„	400	...	...	1,100	...	...	...	4		
Fancy Goods	„	...	...	...	...	...	95	123	16	707	627
Figs, Dried	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	
Firearms	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	40	143
Fireworks	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	
Fish, Preserved	„	2	25	...	35	...	1	...	76	64	278
Fodder	„	...	...	...	325						
Fruits, Green	„	...	...	...	1	1	18	1	11	...	1
Fruits, Bottled and Preserved	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	216
Furniture	„	...	...	...	...	308	73	92	142	174	661
Glassware	„	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	120	94
Glucose	„	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	15
Gold	Oz.	15,493	22,806	30,311	59,548	110,891	207,131	231,513	281,265	674,994	1,050,183
	Value £	58,872	86,664	115,182	226,284	421,385	787,099	879,748	1,068,808	2,564,977	3,990,698
Guano	Tons	3,395	3,913	6,251	2,508	4,030	2,239	100	1,660	1,496	3,950
	Value £	8,488	9,783	15,628	4,389	7,052	3,919	200	4,506	3,250	9,386
Gum	„	1,076	1,131	423	1,010	573	94	252	44	539	389
Hair	„	10	30	9	55	...	33	44	24	96	193
Harness and Saddlery	„	...	...	...	...	110	...	...	39	278	237
Hats	„	...	...	...	...	25					
Hessian	„	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	189	
Hides	„	...	196	186	240	294	103	353	458	9,965	15,681

No. 16.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Exported from Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898*—continued.

Articles.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Hoofs and Horns	Value £	20	42	48	30	30	15	93	...	209	281
Hops (no weight declared 1892)	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,360	...	8,940
	Value £	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	95	...	338
Instruments, Scientific and Optical	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	239
Iron.											
Bar and Plate	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300
Grates and Stoves	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5		
Galvanised, Corrugated	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	490	7,721
Gas Pipes	,,	...	...	...	3						
Girder Plates	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	45
Hoop	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	10	
Safes	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	80
Scrap	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	271	72
Tanks	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	
Wire Netting	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
N.O.E.	Tons	...	...	...	10						
	Value £	...	...	...	20						
Ironmongery	,,	525	220	...	...	183	1,188	45	74	154	1,095
Jars, Empty	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	60			
Jewellery	,,	800	400	...	...	130	...	468	1,476	3,020	1,915
Lamps and Wares	,,	...	...	...	...	20	...	138	...	18	
Lead, Pig	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	
Leather, Kip	,,	146	290	210	230	152	90	625			
Leather, Fancy	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	
Limejuice	,,	...	...	...	...	5	15				
Machinery, Agricultural,	,,	...	...	...	...	154	154	703	285	2,193	2,265
Do. N.O.E.											5,162
Manures, Patent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120
Matches	,,	...	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	5	118
Meats, Extrract of	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	20			
Meats, Preserved	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	147	139
Mica	lbs.	...	...	...	...	86	...	36			
	Value £	...	...	...	25	4	...	3	...	209	
Milk (Preserved)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	55	
Muntz-Metal and Old Copper	,,	...	...	...	...	...	230	239	30	123	45
Musical Instruments:—											
Pianos	,,	...	...	...	...	40	62	195	270	228	656
N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	10		90	199
Mustard	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	257	
Nuts (Edible)	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22		
Oilmen's Stores	,	...	...	...	...	28	24	25	...	400	658
Oil.											
Mineral Oil	,,	...	...	...	...	300	...	...	...	974	25
Whale Oil	,,	...	...	...	22	...	...	...	...	5	
Sandalwood Oil	,,	...	1,675	1,530	330	2,142	2,103				
Other Vegetable Oil	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Opium	,,	...	...	...	...	72	...	...			
Ore.											
Copper	Tons cwt.	112 0	8 0	262 10	567 0	50 0	...	826 0	6 6	86 0	355 8
	Value £	1,904	136	4,463	8,696	606	...	12,952	100	1,033	4,266
Lead	Tons cwt.	250 0	213 10	25 0	29 15	...	...	...	...	...	5 0
	Value £	2,500	2,135	250	150	...	...	...	...	4	33
Tin	Tons cwt.	5 0	67 10	204 0	265 9¾	227 19	390 5	277 3	137 5	95 11	68 2¾
	Value £	300	5,400	10,300	13,843	11,134	15,274	9,703	4,338	3,275	2,760

Paper—Wrapping	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,360			
Paper—Other	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	228
Paraffine Wax	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	310			
Pearls	,,	*30,000	*40,000	*40,000	*40,000	*30,000	*25,000	*20,000	*20,000	*20,000	*20,000
Pepper	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34		
Perambulators	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Photographic Material	,,	...	...	...	...	15	5	...	9	7	65
Photographs	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	130	112
Pictures and Engravings	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	603	777	38
Plans, Charts, etc.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	539	266
Plate—Electro	,,	...	...	...	88	...	...	...	...	816	91
,, Silver	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17		
Plough—Shares	,,	...	...	...	4						
Portmanteaux	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	15
Potatoes	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	
Printing Presses and Material	,,	...	...	...	150	82	...	...	71	115	
Pumps	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	276	28
Quartz	,,	...	...	...	6,220	415	485				
Quicksilver	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	240	
Rags	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	2
Rice	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	229
Rugs and Fur	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	263	111
Sago	,,	...	...	...	...	10					
Salt	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5		
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16		
Saccharine	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	
Sacks (Corn)	,,	...	...	...	861						
Sandalwood	Tons cwt.	6,385 0	5,135 10	3,760 0	5,716 0	3,893 0	2,784 10	3,850 10¼	6,848 1¾	5,852 9	4,348 16
	Value £	57,465	51,355	37,600	42,870	32,160	23,430	30,863	65,800	49,480	31,812
Seeds, Karri	,,	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	9
Sheep Dip	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70
Sewing Machine	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	55
Shell. Mother of Pearl, Live	Tons cwt.	744 10	702 10	749 0	781 9	522 12¾	414 7½	349 14⅝	361 8	365 19	537 5¼
	Value £	74,450	70,250	89,880	78,471	57,487	35,222	26,156	30,131	38,627	76,548
Shell. Mother of Pearl, Dead	Tons cwt.	...	...	...	...	17 17	8 9¼	2 19	1 0	0 6	1 1½
	Value £	...	...	...	...	510	277	102	29	5	38
Shell. Shark Bay	Tons cwt.	403 0	534 15	760 10	41 0	47 4	106 1	64 0¾	1 13	53 4	80 10¾
	Value £	14,105	16,043	10,647	788	1,257	2,306	1,040	53	1,621	2,198
Shell. Turtle‡	,,	35	15	...	260	399	...	203	527	243	225
†Ships' Stores	,,	6,166	6,810	9,950	8,650	13,725	16,750	24,250	†	†	†
Silver Bullion	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	206
Skins. Kangaroo	,,	...	§24,207	§38,058	27,599	9,097	5,161	5,577	940	1,204	3,359
Skins. Opossum	,,	...	...	...	1,038	801	327	390	38	558	1,908
Skins. Sheep	,,	28,337	...	...	7,108	7,403	8,811	11,188	15,881	25,509	39,278
Skins. Seal	,,	...	...	1,190	300	170	...	23			
Skins. N.O.E.	,,	...	...	...	612	6,504	476	1,410	1,252	760	
Soap, Toilet and Fancy	,,	...	...	...	...	90					
Soap, other	,,	...	...	...	...	178	436	...	...	...	242
Spirits. Brandy	Gallons	201	2,082	55	...	...	470	154	60	...	851
	Value £	121	1,249	33	...	...	85	81	12	...	523
Spirits. Gin	Gallons	40	36	8	...	...	...	19	156	...	148
	Value £	8	7	3	...	...	...	16	70	...	31
Spirits. Geneva	Gallons	132	194	124							
	Value £	23	34	62							
Spirits. Liqueurs	Gallons	30	65	4	5						
	Value £	6	13	5	3						

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* Estimated values. † Included in all other goods for 1896-97. ‡ Described as Tortise-shell in trade circulars. § Kangaroo and sheep skins.

No. 16.—*Quantities and Values of Articles Exported from Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898*—continued.

Articles.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Spirits. Rum ...	Gallons	282	433	90	...	...	...	30	...	24	
	Value £	49	76	27	...	...	...	21	...	6	
Whisky ...	Gallons	1,673	400	277	371	84	2	65½	447	371	2,718
	Value £	293	70	139	86	60	1	26	165	196	1,160
Stationery ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	70	415	112
Steam Engines ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	800			
Steel ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	305
Stills ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16		
Sugar ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	218
Surgical Instruments ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	
Tallow ...	,,	41	57	30	...	87	90	12	20	2,104	2,787
Tarpaulins ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
Tea ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	334	126	21	123
Telegraph Material ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	100			
Timber. Jarrah ...	Loads	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52,315¼
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	189,741
Karri ...	Loads	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,407¾
	Value £	15,770	23,433½	25,479	21,653	10,259½	2,1274$\frac{15}{50}$	25,105$\frac{9}{14}$	30,911½	47,866	136,371
Tuart ...	Loads	63,080	82,052	89,176	78,419	33,888	74,804	88,146	116,420	192,451	10
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
White Gum ...	Loads	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5½
	Value £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33
Total Timber ...	Loads									...	81,738½
	Value £									...	326,195
Tins, Empty ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	75
Tobacco. Manufactured ...	lbs.	2,220	2,489	3,598	245	978	1,930	9,835	7,358	969	682
	Value £	167	187	270	11	78	120	559	498	77	50
Unmanufactured ...	lbs.	...	...	...	...	20‡	...	3,588	366	...	29,182
	Value £	...	...	...	...	563	...	199	23	...	616
Wares ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41		
Tools ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	123	80
Travellers' Samples ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,744	464
Typewriting Machines ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85	56
Vegetables, Preserved ...	,,	...	...	...	...	125	...	...	30		
Wattle Bark ...	,,	...	...	...	...	30					
Whalebone ...	,,	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	35
Wine. Still ...	Gallons	...	118	82	8	325	68	2	290	156	211
	Value £	61	30	41	4	94	19	3	115	28	107
Sparkling ...	Gallons	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	968½
	Value £	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	1,903
Woodware ...	,,	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	...	15	28
Wool. Greasy ...	lbs.	9,501,695	6,969,380	8,783,073	8,712,080	9,471,937	8,657,666	7,715,547	10,064,286	11,651,574	9,538,229
	Value £	...	...	...	...	197,332	201,650	160,740	230,640	267,015	258,327
Scoured ...	lbs.	...	...	...	...	1,270,411	775,210	575,258	931,373	723,307	588,077
	Value £	395,904	261,352	329,365	326,703	47,640	30,551	22,770	36,866	28,631	29,404
Zinc ...	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	159	205
All Other Goods...	,,	4,013	2,410	...	696	842	2,613	1,756	29,726	33,811	27,428
Total Value ...	£	761,392	671,813	799,466	882,148	918,147	1,251,406	1,332,554	1,650,226	3,940,098	4,960,006

‡ Hogsheads.

No. 17.—*Quantity and Value of Gold, the produce of the Colony, entered for Export during each Month of the Year 1898, distinguishing the Goldfields from which obtained.*

Name of Goldfield.	January.						February.						March.						April.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	oz.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	oz.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
Kimberley	...			...			12	13	15	48	3	9	...			...			16	16	12	63	18	8
Pilbarra	...			...			...			...			1,729	8	7	6,571	15	6	1,430	8	22	5,435	13	11
West Pilbarra																								
Ashburton	27	3	0	103	3	5	38	15	7	147	6	1	...			...			0	10	0	1	18	0
Murchison	14,403	18	12	54,734	18	4	1,230	14	16	4,676	15	9	7,038	10	13	26,746	8	1	12,905	9	0	49,040	14	2
East Murchison	5,394	14	4	20,499	17	10	45	16	10	174	2	5	2,534	13	0	9,631	13	5	5,059	8	21	19,225	17	9
Yalgoo	953	15	20	3,624	8	2	13	0	0	49	8	0	484	6	22	1,840	10	3	729	3	11	2,770	17	2
Peak Hill	3,247	19	6	12,342	5	2	...			...			38	11	12	146	11	8	2,148	14	15	8,165	3	7
Mount Margaret	3,629	12	1	13,792	9	9	3,697	2	9	14,049	1	1	1,034	10	17	3,931	4	8	3,117	3	15	11,845	5	9
North Coolgardie	5,772	11	2	21,935	14	1	3,184	1	17	12,099	10	6	4,476	9	23	17,010	13	10	5,862	2	3	22,276	0	1
North-East Coolgardie	7,724	17	0	29,354	8	7	7,535	14	15	28,635	15	6	14,479	2	7	55,020	12	9	7,342	7	9	27,901	0	0
Broad Arrow	588	4	0	2,235	3	3	284	12	0	1,081	9	7	919	0	9	3,492	5	5	1,311	6	5	4,982	19	7
East Coolgardie	38,152	12	1	144,979	17	9	25,031	10	23	95,119	17	8	32,762	19	8	124,499	5	6	27,612	4	13	104,926	9	3
Coolgardie	12,746	10	21	48,436	17	4	9,785	3	1	37,183	11	7	6,691	1	21	25,426	3	1	12,126	5	13	46,079	17	1
Yilgarn	753	11	0	2,863	9	9	794	9	6	3,018	19	1	868	19	0	3,302	0	3	1,273	2	13	4,837	17	8
Dundas	...			...			2,085	9	15	7,924	16	7	2,322	7	2	8,824	18	11	3,147	9	8	11,960	7	6
Total	93,395	8	19	354,902	13	5	53,739	3	14	204,208	17	7	75,380	0	21	286,444	3	4	84,082	12	16	319,514	0	2

Name of Goldfield.	May.						June.						July.						August.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
Kimberley	...			...			...			...			...			...			114	6	11	434	8	7
Pilbarra	...			...			...			...			1,927	8	18	7,324	5	3	1,443	0	0	5,483	8	0
West Pilbarra	1,725	5	0	6,555	19	1	...			...			...			...			80	0	0	304	0	0
Ashburton	...			...			21	0	15	79	18	5	88	10	18	336	8	10	41	0	0	155	16	0
Murchison	7,970	12	13	30,288	7	9	8,802	17	16	33,450	19	2	5,857	6	10	22,257	16	6	2,096	9	6	7,966	11	1
East Murchison	2,586	0	17	9,826	18	8	3,026	8	15	11,500	8	8	2,475	8	15	9,406	12	9	3,047	19	20	11,582	7	4
Yalgoo	277	3	4	1,053	4	0	...			...			539	13	17	2,050	16	1	343	4	12	1,304	5	1
Peak Hill	1,102	3	12	4,188	5	4	1,322	1	0	5,023	15	9	35	3	6	133	12	4						
Mount Margaret	3,335	17	14	12,676	6	10	3,379	2	9	12,840	13	1	3,004	19	15	11,418	18	7	4,520	19	11	17,179	14	0
North Coolgardie	4,589	6	14	17,439	9	0	5,456	0	21	20,732	19	4	6,208	8	23	23,592	2	1	6,473	12	0	24,599	13	7
North-East Coolgardie	11,399	11	8	43,318	7	0	7,995	1	17	30,381	6	6	11,747	6	15	44,639	17	2	12,998	7	11	49,393	16	4
Broad Arrow	1,317	4	14	5,005	9	5	2,924	5	0	11,112	3	0	2,421	6	21	9,201	2	1	3,498	15	23	13,295	8	8
East Coolgardie	34,260	8	9	130,189	11	10	33,186	10	12	126,108	15	11	29,459	9	1	111,945	18	4	36,890	6	23	140,183	6	5
Coolgardie	11,877	2	12	45,133	1	5	11,103	17	6	42,194	15	1	9,101	18	9	34,587	5	10	13,701	18	3	52,067	4	10
Yilgarn	868	0	0	3,298	8	0	725	0	12	2,755	1	11	949	18	0	3,609	12	5	1,100	0	12	4,180	1	11
Dundas	2,038	2	21	7,744	18	11	2,807	6	7	10,667	15	11	3,163	16	9	12,022	10	2	3,045	8	22	11,572	13	11
Total	83,346	18	18	316,718	7	3	80,749	12	20	306,848	12	9	76,980	15	9	292,526	18	5	89,395	9	10	339,702	15	9

No. 17.—*Quantity and Value of Gold, the produce of the Colony, entered for Export*—continued.

Name of Goldfield.	September.						October.						November.						December.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
Kimberley	...			...			36	14	3	139	9	8	87	7	0	331	18	7	20	0	0	76	0	0
Pilbarra	...			...			1,388	0	0	5,274	8	0	1,317	13	0	5,007	1	5	2,426	12	6	9,221	2	6
West Pilbarra	19	8	4	73	15	1	56	0	0	212	16	0	67	0	0	254	12	0	80	12	6	306	6	6
Ashburton	...			...			91	8	6	347	7	4	139	9	14	530	0	5	2	0	0	7	12	0
Murchison	6,569	19	12	24,965	18	1	14,316	0	1	54,400	16	2	5,638	13	14	21,426	19	7	6,836	11	13	25,979	0	0
East Murchison	2,822	13	12	10,726	3	4	3,696	13	0	14,047	5	5	3,771	0	20	14,329	19	2	5,102	9	10	19,389	7	9
Yalgoo	144	9	19	549	1	3	46	13	23	177	9	0	5	11	0	21	1	10	219	5	8	833	4	3
Peak Hill	101	13	15	386	7	9	3,155	9	17	11,990	16	11	2,522	16	0	9,586	12	9	62	4	14	236	9	5
Mount Margaret	4,769	15	5	18,125	1	9	2,929	3	17	11,130	18	2	4,854	6	9	18,446	8	3	4,994	0	18	18,977	6	10
North Coolgardie	6,668	15	12	25,341	6	10	7,274	7	23	27,642	14	2	6,292	6	19	23,910	17	9	8,367	2	15	31,795	2	1
North-East Coolgardie	14,294	8	3	54,318	14	11	10,139	17	23	38,531	12	3	10,298	12	3	39,134	14	1	9,285	3	4	35,283	12	0
Broad Arrow	2,537	10	20	9,642	13	2	2,791	15	22	10,608	16	6	2,407	5	2	9,147	11	4	3,630	2	0	13,794	7	7
East Coolgardie	39,549	4	0	150,286	19	2	55,148	9	18	209,564	5	1	58,100	11	10	220,782	3	5	40,157	18	12	152,600	2	4
Coolgardie	8,943	17	11	33,986	14	4	10,780	13	9	40,966	10	10	11,332	19	1	43,065	4	4	9,035	13	11	34,335	11	1
Yilgarn	1,018	3	8	3,869	0	8	1,717	8	10	6,526	4	0	925	5	12	3,516	0	11	702	5	12	2,668	12	11
Dundas	1,739	5	3	6,609	3	6	3,255	16	1	12,372	0	11	4,032	5	1	15,322	11	2	4,394	9	13	16,699	0	3
Total	89,179	4	4	338,880	19	10	116,824	12	5	443,933	10	5	111,793	2	9	424,813	17	0	95,316	10	22	362,202	17	6

Summary for 1898.

Name of Goldfield.	Total.					
	Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
Kimberley	287	17	17	1,093	19	3
Pilbarra	11,662	11	5	44,317	14	7
West Pilbarra	2,028	5	10	7,707	8	8
Ashburton	449	17	12	1,709	10	6
Murchison	93,667	3	6	355,935	4	8
East Murchison	39,563	7	0	150,340	14	6
Yalgoo	3,756	7	16	14,274	5	1
Peak Hill	13,736	17	1	52,200	0	8
Mount Margaret	43,266	13	20	164,413	8	9
North Coolgardie	70,625	6	4	268,376	3	4
North-East Coolgardie	125,240	9	19	475,913	17	1
Broad Arrow	24,631	8	20	93,599	9	7
East Coolgardie	450,312	5	10	1,711,186	12	8
Coolgardie	127,227	1	8	483,462	16	10
Yilgarn	11,696	3	13	44,445	9	6
Dundas	32,031	16	6	121,720	17	9
Total	1,050,183	11	23	3,990,697	13	5

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No. 18.—*Quantity and Value of Gold, the produce of the Colony, entered for Export during each year from the commencement of the Gold Export in 1886 to 1898 inclusive, distinguishing Quantity and Value* obtained from each Goldfield.*

YEAR.	KIMBERLEY.						PILBARRA.						WEST PILBARRA.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
1886	302	0	0	1,147	12	0	...			...			...			...		
1887	4,873	0	0	18,517	8	0	...			...			...			...		
1888	3,493	0	0	13,273	8	0	...			...			...			...		
1889	2,464	0	0	9,363	4	0	11,170	0	0	42,446	0	0	...			...		
1890	4,474	0	0	17,001	4	0	16,055	6	6	61,010	3	9	...			...		
1891	2,699	12	8	10,258	10	10	11,875	0	0	45,125	0	0	...			...		
1892	1,088	16	22	4,137	12	3	12,892	16	0	48,992	12	10	...			...		
1893	1,621	13	23	6,162	9	0	11,698	10	0	44,454	6	0	...			...		
1894	588	12	17	2,236	16	4	16,254	10	0	61,767	2	0	...			...		
1895	876	13	16	3,331	7	11	19,522	8	0	74,185	2	4	...			...		
1896	891	17	6	3,389	1	7	11,810	2	4	44,878	8	3	...			...		
1897	554	1	12	2,105	9	8	11,955	17	9	45,432	6	1	...			...		
1898	287	17	17	1,093	19	3	11,662	11	5	44,317	14	7	2,028	5	10	7,707	8	8
Total	24,215	6	1	92,018	2	10	134,897	1	0	512,608	15	10	2,028	5	10	7,707	8	8

YEAR.	ASHBURTON.						MURCHISON.						EAST MURCHISON.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
1886	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1887	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1888	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1889	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1890	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1891	838	14	10	3,187	2	9	2,064	8	16	7,844	16	11	...			...		
1892	0	14	0	2	13	2	24,356	9	12	92,554	12	1	...			...		
1893	467	14	22	1,777	8	8	21,210	8	22	80,599	13	11	...			...		
1894	285	5	10	1,084	0	8	52,946	6	11	201,196	0	7	...			...		
1895	540	15	4	2,054	17	8	65,477	5	3	248,813	11	5	...			...		
1896	669	3	9	2,542	16	9	71,282	13	17	270,874	4	0	...			...		
1897	1,038	3	13	3,945	1	6	82,891	17	1	314,989	0	10	9,453	16	6	35,924	9	9
1898	449	17	12	1,709	10	6	93,667	3	6	355,935	4	8	39,563	7	0	150,340	14	6
Total	4,290	8	8	16,303	11	8	413,896	12	16	1,572,807	4	5	49,017	3	6	186,265	4	3

YEAR.	† YALGOO.						PEAK HILL.						MOUNT MARGARET.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
1886	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1887	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1888	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1889	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1890	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1891	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1892	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1893	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1894	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1895	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1896	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1897	2,034	4	15	7,730	1	7	5,110	0	0	19,418	0	0	8,685	14	14	33,005	15	5
1898	3,756	7	16	14,274	5	1	13,736	17	1	52,200	0	8	43,266	13	20	164,413	8	9
Total	5,790	12	7	22,004	6	8	18,846	17	1	71,618	0	8	51,952	8	10	197,419	4	2

*The Official Valuation is £3 16s. per oz.
† Prior to 1st April, 1897, included with Murchison.

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No. 18.—*Quantity and Value of Gold, the produce of the Colony, entered for Export during each year from the commencement of the Gold Export in 1886 to 1898 inclusive, distinguishing Quantity and Value* obtained from each Goldfield*—continued.

YEAR.	‡ NORTH COOLGARDIE.						‡ NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE.						BROAD ARROW.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s	d.
1886	...			...			...			...			...					
1887	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1888	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1889	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1890	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1891	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1892	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1893	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1894	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1895	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1896	17,160	10	4	65,209	18	8	4,113	3	15	15,630	1	9	...			...		
1897	74,556	2	12	283,313	5	5	32,905	16	8	125,042	2	1	4,159	5	9	15,805	4	6
1898	70,625	6	4	268,376	3	4	125,240	9	19	475,913	17	1	24,631	8	20	93,599	9	7
Total	162,341	18	20	616,899	7	5	162,259	9	18	616,586	0	11	28,790	14	5	109,404	14	1

YEAR.	‡ EAST COOLGARDIE.						† COOLGARDIE.						YILGARN.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
1886	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1887	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1888	...			...			...			...			...			...		
1889	...			...			...			...			1,858	10	0	7,062	6	0
1890	...			...			...			...			2,277	0	0	8,652	12	0
1891	...			...			...			...			12,833	5	23	48,766	10	8
1892	...			...			...			...			21,209	9	18	80,596	1	1
1893	...			...			...			...			75,744	10	23	287,829	5	8
1894	...			...			105,329	16	11	400,253	6	8	31,498	7	17	119,693	17	1
1895	...			..			125,105	18	18	475,402	11	2	19,747	15	2	75,041	9	5
1896	85,287	1	7	324,090	16	11	69,135	3	16	262,713	13	11	16,565	5	0	62,947	19	0
1897	300.037	4	18	1,140,141	10	0	104,306	7	9	396,364	4	0	17,994	9	13	68,379	0	3
1898	450,312	5	10	1,711,186	12	8	127,227	1	8	483,462	16	10	11,696	3	13	44,445	9	6
Total	835,636	11	11	3,175,418	19	7	531,104	7	14	2,018,196	12	7	211,424	17	13	803,414	10	8

YEAR.	DUNDAS.						TOTALS.					
	Quantity.			Value.			Quantity.			Value.		
	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	dwts.	grs.	£	s.	d.
1886	...			...			302	0	0	1,147	12	0
1887	...			...			4,873	0	0	18,517	8	0
1888	...			...			3,493	0	0	13,273	8	0
1889	...			...			15,492	10	0	58,871	10	0
1890	...			...			22,806	6	6	86,663	19	9
1891	...			...			30,311	1	9	115,182	1	2
1892	...			...			59,548	6	4	226,283	11	5
1893	147	19	11	562	5	11	110,890	18	5	421,385	9	2
1894	228	7	12	867	16	6	207,131	6	6	787,098	19	10
1895	241	18	2	919	4	9	231,512	13	21	879,748	4	11
1896	4,350	6	6	16,531	3	9	281,265	6	12	1,068,808	4	8
1897	19,310	16	7	73,381	1	11	674.993	17	2	2,564,976	12	11
1898	32,031	16	6	121,720	17	9	1,050.183	11	23	3.990,697	13	5
Total	56,311	3	20	213,982	10	7	2,692,803	17	16	10,232,654	15	3

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* The Official Valuation is £3 16s. per oz. † Export for 1894 included in the Yilgarn returns. ‡ Prior to 1st of May, 1896, the output of these Goldfields was included in the Coolgardie returns.

No. 19.—*Customs Revenue from Duties levied at various Rates, from Customs Sales, Rents received on Bonded Goods, and Store Charges, and also from Excise (from 18th August, 1898), for each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

REVENUE.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount of Specific Duties	127,612 10 4	134,577 16 9	170,822 5 9	197,023 19 2	*197,725 19 3	*319,269 6 9	*466,116 7 11	*708,818 3 8	*787,849 8 6	685,000 0 9
Ditto Duty received at 20 per cent.	2,988 7 0	4,121 3 9	7,410 2 6	8,979 18 8	5,958 13 2	11,749 11 1	20,530 4 2	51,141 16 8	50,991 0 8	26,021 3 7
Ditto ditto 15 do....	...	...	...	...	9,292 9 3	41,900 8 7	67,814 19 5	126,827 17 10	139,398 8 0	124,053 11 3
Ditto ditto 12½ do....	35,160 10 8	36,008 3 9	52,228 4 7	62,170 3 2	32,164 0 0					
Ditto ditto 10 do....	...	...	...	...	4,948 17 7	26,453 9 9	41,440 17 1	66,618 17 11	73,881 3 7	47,358 15 8
Ditto ditto 5 do....	2,230 13 5	3,523 17 10	3,315 18 10	3,202 7 7	4,004 10 9	10,513 12 6	18,554 9 7	35,502 2 9	9,906 7 3	14,186 9 11
Ditto ditto on Exports	1,673 14 10	1,317 18 9	947 18 6	1,791 1 8	1,176 16 5	1,056 10 2	573 4 7			
								988,908 18 10		
Less Rebates under operation of 59 Vict., No. 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79 14 5		
Total Net Revenue from Duties...	169,665 16 3	179,549 0 10	234,724 10 2	273,167 10 3	255,271 6 5	410,942 18 10	615,030 2 9	988,829 4 5	1,032,026 8 0	896,620 1 2
Amount of Customs Sales...	61 14 3	477 7 10	350 13 9	38 5 1	466 16 7	210 11 11	685 4 4	570 10 0	1,886 11 5	4,231 12 7
Ditto Rent received on Bonded Goods	1,787 1 11	1,986 1 2	1,942 6 1	2,432 2 0	2,555 7 6	2,890 13 0	4,508 2 3	5,044 9 1	8,717 11 5	10,729 9 2
Ditto Store Charges ditto	475 11 8	533 16 7	663 18 2	916 3 4	973 19 0	1,264 8 10	1,581 7 3	2,359 17 1	3,699 5 2	3,090 13 1
Total Net amount of Customs Revenue collected ...	171,990 4 1	182,546 6 5	237,686 8 2	276,554 0 8	259,267 9 6	415,308 12 7	621,804 16 7	996,804 0 7	1,076,329 16 0	914,671 16 0
Amount of Revenue collected from Excise	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,211 5 0
Total Revenue from Customs and Excise ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	924,883 1 0

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* Including Duties collected under the provisions of "The Stock Tax Act, 1893," repealed by "Customs Duties Amendment Act, 1898" (62 Vict., No. 5), which latter came into force on the 18th of August, 1893.

NOTE.—It will be noticed that in several instances the Departmental totals of Revenue and Expenditure are not identical with the Treasury amounts published under corresponding headings in *Part II., Public Finance.* In explanation, it must be stated that the figures supplied by the Treasury represent the *actual amounts received and expended within the period under review,* whilst the Departmental Returns also include *all amounts directly relating to the transactions of that period, although not collected or not paid until after its expiration.*

No. 20.—*Customs Revenue collected at each Port of the Colony of Western Australia during the Year 1898.*

Port.	Amount.		
Fremantle	£626,384	16	0
Perth	147,769	6	7
Albany	36,623	6	11
Geraldton	49,921	4	7
Bunbury	13,925	0	7
Vasse	3,265	12	2
Esperance	10,375	1	7
Cossack	12,966	6	1
Broome	4,910	7	7
Onslow	1,827	7	11
Carnarvon	3,693	7	4
Derby	2,434	15	5
Wyndham	1,273	19	9
Dongara	1,785	2	0
	£917,155	14	6
Less Rebates	2,483	18	6
Total Customs	£914,671	16	0
Excise	10,211	5	0
Grand Total	£924,883	1	0

✓ Includes Customs & other sources but not Excise

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18,05 2
899,10 3
4 6
£78

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898; also rates of Duties leviable under "The Tariff Act, 1893" (57 Vict., No. 11), amended by "The Customs Duties Repeal Act, 1895" (59 Vict., No. 8), "The Customs Duties Repeal Act, 1896" (60 Vict., No. 13), and "The Customs Duties Amendment Act, 1898" (62 Vict., No. 5).*

(In this Table are included not only those headings which are specified in the various enumerated Acts of Parliament, but also such being the outcome of decisions of the Executive Council or of rulings of the Collector of Customs and headings made use of in the Customs Department for the sake of convenien of classification.)

First Schedule.—Specific Duties.

Articles.	Rate of Duty.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Duty Collected.		
		Quantity or Value.	£	s.	d.
Ale, Beer, and Stout (in wood)	1s. 3d. per gallon	219,454$\frac{7}{15}$	13,715	18	1
do. (in bottle)	1s. 6d. per gallon	505,231$\frac{7}{9}$	37,892	7	8
ANIMALS AND LIVE STOCK, VIZ.:—					
Camels	40s. each	106	212	0	0
Cattle (including Bullocks, Steers, Cows, and Calves), N.O.E.	30s. each to 17th Aug.; from 18/8/98, 15s. each	16,028	20,295	15	0
Dogs	20s. each	167	167	0	0
Horses, N.O.E.	20s. each	312	312	0	0
Pigs, N.O.E.	4s. each; 2s. each from 18/9/98	8,863	1,428	4	0
Sheep (including Wethers, Ewes, and Lambs), N.O.E.	2s. 6d. each; from 18/8/98, 1s 3d. each	81,531	9,042	13	9
Bacon (*see* under "Meats").					
Barley (other than malting)	4d. per bushel	3,725	62	1	8
,, (malting)...	6d. per bushel	20,106⅓	502	13	2
Beans	6d. per bushel	1,338⅚	33	9	5
Beeswax	2d. per lb.	812½	6	15	5
Biscuits	2d. per lb.	474,542½	3,954	10	5
Boots, Men's (invoiced at or under 10s. per pair) ...	18s. per dozen pairs ...	6,286$\frac{6}{12}$	5,657	16	9
Boots, Women's (invoiced at or under 6s. per pair)	10s. per dozen pairs ...	1,459$\frac{4}{12}$	729	13	2
Bran	20s. per ton	8,802 14	8,802	13	11
Brandy (colouring)	16s. per gallon				
Bricks, building. (*See* also under Schedule No. 5)...	15s. per thousand from 18/8/98	182,213	136	13	2
Butter	2d. per lb.	4,138,685	34,489	0	10
Camels (*see* under "Animals and Live Stock").					
Candles	2d. per lb.	235,683½	1,964	0	7
Cement	2s. per barrel	52,410½	5,241	1	0
Cheese	3d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, 2d. per lb.	997,010⅙	11,190	16	3
Chaff	30s. per ton	2,126 8½	3,189	12	10
Chicory	3d. per lb.	22,364	279	11	0
Cigars	6s. per lb.	60,198	18,059	8	1
Cigarettes...	6s. per lb.	61,401	18,420	5	8
Cider and Perry	1s. per gallon	878⅔	43	18	8
Coffee (Roasted or Ground)	3d. per lb.	3,299	41	4	9
,, Date	6d. per lb.				
,, mixed with Chicory ,, Essence ,, ,, ...	6d. per lb.	13,655⅓	341	7	8
Confectionery	4d. per lb.	215,812½	3,596	17	6
Cordage (Coir Rope) ... ... (*see* also under Schedule No. 2)	5s. per cwt. from 18/8/98	137	34	5	0
,, other ... ... (*see* also under Schedule No. 2)	8s. per cwt. from 18/8/98	1,327	530	15	8
Currants	2d. per lb.	525,200½	4,376	13	5
Dates	1d. per lb.	180,501	752	1	9
Dogs (*see* under "Animals and Live Stock").					
Doors, Wooden (not exceeding 1½in.) ... ... (*See* also under Schedule No. 5)	3s. each from 18/8/98 ...	1,639	245	17	0
,, Wooden (over 1½in. and not exceeding 1¾in.) (*See* also under Schedule No. 5)	4s. each from 18/8/98 ...	465	93	0	0
,, Wooden (over 1¾in.) ... ... (*See* also under Schedule No. 5)	5s. each from 18/8/98 ...	152	38	0	0
Eggs	2d. per doz.	1,027,967½	8,566	7	11
Essences (being spirituous compound)	16s. per gallon	652	521	11	10
Fish (Preserved, Tinned, Salted, and Dried), N.O.E.	1d. per lb.	1,264,868	5,270	5	8
Flour	30s. per ton	14,860 6¾	22,290	10	2
,, Self-raising	1d. per lb.	71,057	296	1	5
Fruit, Dried, N.O.E.	3d. per lb.	138,738⅔	1,734	4	8
,, Pulp	2d. per lb.	360	3	0	0
Ginger, Whole	2d. per lb.	21,575½	179	15	11
,, Ground	4d. per lb.	4,867½	81	2	6
Glucose	2s. per cwt.	22 10	44	19	11
Glue	1d. per lb.	41,431	172	12	7
Ham (*see* under "Meats").					

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

First Schedule—Specific Duties—continued.

Articles.	Rate of Duty.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Duty Collected.		
		Quantity or Value.	£	s.	d.
Hay	30s. per ton	400 $17\frac{3}{4}$	601	6	7
Hides, Green	1s. 6d. each	$13\frac{2}{3}$	1	0	0
Honey	2d. per lb.	166,851	1,390	8	6
Hops	4d. per lb.	$271,934\frac{1}{2}$	4,532	4	10
Iron, Galvanised Corrugated (*see* also under Schedule No. 6)	20s. per ton from 18/8/98	2,360 $6\frac{5}{6}$	2,360	6	10
Lard	2d. per lb.	$66,860\frac{1}{2}$	557	3	5
Linseed, Whole	6d. per bushel	475	11	17	6
Maize and Gram	6d. per bushel	$19,911\frac{1}{6}$	497	15	8
Malt	3s. per bushel	$102,590\frac{1}{9}$	15,388	10	5
MEATS:					
Bacon, N.O.E.	3d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, 2d per lb.	2,256,646	25,272	1	8
Hams, N.O.E.	3d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, 2d. per lb.	$326,032\frac{1}{2}$	3,521	18	8
Fresh, Frozen and Chilled, N.O.E.	$1\frac{1}{2}$d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, $\frac{3}{4}$d. per lb.	249,908	1,176	14	6
Salt Beef, and Salt and Cured Mutton, N.O.E. ...	$1\frac{1}{2}$d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, $\frac{1}{2}$d. per lb.	$63,791\frac{1}{3}$	309	1	3
Pork, Salt	2d. per lb.	150,632	1,255	5	4
Preserved and Tinned, N.O.E.	$\frac{3}{4}$d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, $\frac{1}{2}$d. per lb.	$3,760,041\frac{1}{3}$	8,901	5	2
Tongues, N.O.E.	3d. per lb.; from 18/8/98, 2d. per lb.	$242,382\frac{1}{2}$	2,814	14	2
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS:					
Pianos, Upright, N.O.E. (*see* also under Schedule No. 4)	£5 each from 18/8/98 ...	125	625	0	0
Pianos—Square, Grand, or Semi-grand, N.O.E. (*see* also under Schedule No. 4)	£15 each from 18/8/98 ...	4	60	0	0
Harmoniums and Cabinet Organs, N.O.E. (*see* also under Schedule No. 4)	£3 each from 18/8/98 ...	28	84	0	0
Nuts, Edible, N.O.E.	2d. per lb.	49,968	416	8	0
Oatmeal (*see* also under Schedule No. 6)	20s. per ton to 18/8/98 ...	598 $0\frac{1}{2}$	598	0	6
Oats	4d. per bushel	$727,903\frac{3}{4}$	12,131	14	7
Oilcake	10s. per ton	94 $7\frac{1}{6}$	47	3	7
Onions	20s. per ton	1,695 $8\frac{5}{6}$	1,695	8	10
Opium	30s. per lb.	$1,909\frac{1}{2}$	2,864	5	0
Peas, Whole	6d. per bushel	4,653	116	6	6
„ Split	2s. per cwt.	$1,453\frac{1}{2}$	145	7	0
Peel, Candied	3d. per lb.	27,179	339	14	9
Pepper, Ground	3d. per lb.	$17,218\frac{2}{3}$	215	4	8
„ Whole	1d. per lb.	38,003	158	6	11
Plaster of Paris	2s. per cwt.	4,525	452	10	0
Pollard	20s. per ton	1,973 · $5\frac{5}{12}$	1,973	5	5
Potatoes	20s. per ton	8,498 $6\frac{1}{6}$	8,498	6	2
Powder, Gun and Sporting	4d. per lb.	1,565	26	1	8
Powder—Baking, Egg, Yeast, and Custard ...	3d. per lb.	$145,190\frac{2}{3}$	1,814	17	8
Raisins	3d. per lb.	$275,052\frac{1}{3}$	3,438	3	1
Rye	4d. per bushel	247	4	2	4
Salt, N.O.E.	20s. per ton	1,339 $19\frac{2}{3}$	1,339	19	8
Shot, N.O.E.	5s. per cwt.	$270\frac{1}{3}$	67	11	11
Snuff	6s. per lb.	$516\frac{1}{6}$	154	17	2
Soap (all other kinds), N.O.E.	5s. per cwt.; from 18/8/98, 7s. 6d. per cwt.	$6,922\frac{7}{40}$	2,065	19	2
Soda, Crystal	2s. per cwt.	$2,698\frac{3}{4}$	269	17	6
Spices, Ground	4d. per lb.	$8,504\frac{3}{4}$	141	14	11
„ Whole	2d. per lb.	13,726	114	7	8
SPIRITS.—Spirits of Wine, Cordials, or Strong Waters, of all kinds, N.O.E., for each and every Imperial gallon of such spirits, of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof by Syke's hydrometer, and so in proportion for any greater strength than the strength of proof, or any quantity greater or less than a gallon.					
Spirits of Wine	16s. per gallon	$1,353\frac{23}{32}$	1,082	19	8
Brandy	16s. per gallon	$41,926\frac{25}{32}$	33,541	8	9
Gin, Geneva, and Schnapps	16s. per gallon	$27,180\frac{13}{32}$	21,744	6	7
Rum	16s. per gallon	$18,145\frac{17}{32}$	14,516	8	8
Whisky	16s. per gallon	$168,264\frac{26}{32}$	134,611	17	2
Liqueurs and Cordials	16s. per gallon	$1,810\frac{26}{32}$	1,448	13	2

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

First Schedule—Specific Duties—continued.

Articles.	Rate of Duty.	Entered for Home Consumption. Quantity or Value.	Duty Collected. £	s.	d.
SPIRITS—(*continued*).					
Spirits of Wine, proof as above, destroyed in Bond under Regulations	5s. per gallon	1,352$\frac{1}{10}$	338	0	6
Spirits, Methylated	2s. per gallon	6,992$\frac{1}{4}$	699	4	2
Tobacco, Manufactured	3s. per lb.	586,778	88,016	14	1
„ Unmanufactured	1s. 10½d. per lb.	66,474$\frac{1}{5}$	6,231	19	1
Tongues (*see* under "Meats").					
Vinegar	6d. per gallon	26,750	668	15	0
Wheat	6d. per bushel	288,664$\frac{5}{6}$	7,216	12	5
Whiting	1s. per cwt.	3,364$\frac{1}{2}$	168	4	6
Wine, Sparkling	10s. per gallon	7,048$\frac{1}{3}$	3,524	3	6
„ Still	6s. 6d. per gallon	54,459$\frac{3}{4}$	17,699	8	6
Total Specific Duties	... ...	... ...	£685,000	0	9

Second Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, a Duty of 5 per cent. ad valorem.

Articles.	Entered for Home Consumption. Value. £	s.	d.	Duty Collected. £	s.	d.
Abdominal Belts and Trusses	314	0	0	15	14	0
Agricultural Machinery (*see* "Machinery")	...			...		
Alkalies, of all kinds, N.O.E.	7	0	0	0	7	0
Alum	84	0	0	4	4	0
Anchors	392	0	0	19	12	0
Bark (5 per cent. from October, 1898; previously free of duty. *See* "Tanning Material," Schedule No. 6)	118	0	0	5	18	0
Bedsteads	3,962	0	0	198	2	0
Belting for Machinery (5 per cent. from the 18th August, 1898; previously free of duty. *See* Schedule No. 6) ...	903	0	0	45	3	0
Bluestone (Sulph. Copper)	177	0	0	8	17	0
Bottles, empty	8,508	0	0	425	8	0
Bottling Plant, Wire, and Capsules	2,463	0	0	123	3	0
Brewery and Distilling Plant	1,901	0	0	95	1	0
Bristles and Bass	5	0	0	0	5	0
Bungs	144	0	0	7	4	0
Bunting in piece	23	0	0	1	3	0
Buttons (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Cables and Chains	2,044	0	0	102	4	0
Cane, N.O.E.	171	0	0	8	11	0
Canvas	7,982	0	0	399	2	0
Casks, empty (*see* "Staves and Hoops")	...			...		
Cod Liver Oil (refined)	157	0	0	7	17	0
Cordage (5 per cent. to the 17th August, 1898; afterwards specific duty. *See* Schedule No. 1).	8,201	0	0	410	1	0
Corks	4,020	0	0	201	0	0
Diving apparatus for purposes other than pearling	34	0	0	1	14	0
Drapery, N.O.E. (*see* also under 10 per cent. and 15 per cent. *ad valorem*)	11,176	0	0	558	16	0
Electric Bells, Cables, and Lighting Materials	7,600	0	0	380	0	0
Forfars, Dowlas, and Flax Sheeting, in the piece. (*See* "Drapery")	...			...		
Grindstones	228	0	0	11	8	0
Harness Oil, Leather Dressing, and Composition	413	0	0	20	13	0
Hat and Bonnet Shapes	1,282	0	0	64	2	0
Hessian	1,303	0	0	65	3	0
Inks, of all kinds, N.O.E.	2,619	0	0	130	19	0

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

Second Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, etc.—continued.

Articles.	Entered for Home Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Iron, Gas, Water, and Drain Pipes	51,927	0	0	2,596	7	0
Iron Gates and Hurdles	191	0	0	9	11	0
Iron, Sulphate	53	0	0	2	13	0
Iron Wire, other than fencing	505	0	0	25	5	0
Jute Piece Goods (accounted for under "Canvas" or "Hessian").						
Leather (all other kinds), N.O.E.	7,779	0	0	388	19	0
Machinery (5 per cent. from the 18th August, 1898; previously free of duty. *See* Schedule No. 6).	...			...		
Chaff Cutters	840	0	0	42	0	0
Cream Separators	59	0	0	2	19	0
Boilers (Land and Marine)	1,515	0	0	75	15	0
Electrical Machinery	109	0	0	5	9	0
Flour Mill Machinery	67	0	0	3	7	0
Horse Gear	24	0	0	1	4	0
Ice-making Machinery	475	0	0	23	15	0
Mining Machinery	81,451	0	0	4,072	11	0
Printing Machinery	136	0	0	6	16	0
Pumps and Apparatus for raising water	3,670	0	0	183	10	0
Reapers, Winnowers, Thrashing, and Mowing Machines ...	10,064	0	0	503	4	0
Steam Engines	2,510	0	0	125	10	0
N.O.E.	37,686	0	0	1,884	6	0
Marble, Stone, and Slate (in the rough)	2,175	0	0	108	15	0
Millboards and Strawboards	578	0	0	28	18	0
Music	1,663	0	0	83	3	0
Pine and other Softwoods, in balks, rough or hewn (*see* "Timber")	...			...		
Presses (copying and embossing)	304	0	0	15	4	0
Salt, Rock	55	0	0	2	15	0
Sewing Cottons, Silks, and Threads (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Shellac	95	0	0	4	15	0
Slips and Docks (patent)	*Nil*			*Nil*		
Spars	*Nil*			*Nil*		
Spun Yarn	9	0	0	0	9	0
Staves and Hoops	6,328	0	0	316	8	0
Strawboard (*see* under "Millboard")	...			...		
Timber (in balks, rough or hewn), N.O.E.	1,506	0	0	75	6	0
Typewriters	1,988	0	0	99	8	0
Weighing Machines and Scales	3,304	0	0	165	3	11
Wool Presses	433	0	0	21	13	0
Total amount of Duty collected at 5 per cent. *ad valorem* ...	...			£14,186	9	11

Third Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, a Duty of 10 per cent. ad valorem.

Articles.	Entered for Home Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Air Beds and Cushions	55	0	0	5	10	0
Ammunition (Cartridges and Guncaps)	2,410	0	0	241	0	0
Apparel and Slops (10 per cent. to 17th August, 1898; afterwards 15 per cent. *See* Schedule No. 4).	131,331	0	0	13,133	2	0
Barometers (*see* "Instruments, Surgical," etc.)						
Boots, Shoes, and Slippers—Children's	13,761	0	0	1,376	2	0
Boot and Shoe Vamps, Uppers, and Laces	4,074	0	0	407	8	0
Brooms and Brushes	6,005	0	0	600	10	0
Calicoes, in the piece, N.O.E. (*see* "Drapery").						
Cardboard (unprinted), in the flat	689	0	0	68	18	0
Carpeting, Mats, Matting, Floor Cloths, and Verandah Chicks ...	16,001	0	0	1,600	2	0
Clocks and Watches (10 per cent. to 17th August, 1898; afterwards 15 per cent. *See* also under Schedule No. 4).	12,417	0	0	1,241	14	0

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

Third Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, etc.—continued.

Articles.	Entered for Home Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Clothing, Piece Goods for, N.O.E. (*see* "Drapery").						
Cotton Piece Goods, N.O.E. (*see* "Drapery").						
Counterpanes and Quilts (*see* "Drapery").						
Cricket and other Outdoor Games, Materials for	3,027	0	0	302	14	0
Dentists' Materials	1,034	0	0	103	8	0
Drapery, N.O.E. (*see* also under 5 per cent. and 15 per cent. *ad valorem*	126,722	0	0	12,672	4	0
Enamelled Ware, of all kinds, N.O.E.	3,800	0	0	380	0	0
Filters	755	0	0	75	10	0
Firearms, and parts of, and accessories, N.O.E.	2,459	0	0	245	18	0
Fruit, Fresh	17,245	0	0	1,724	10	0
Game, Frozen (Poultry)	975	0	0	97	10	0
Garden Rollers	93	0	0	9	6	0
Glass, in Sheets	7,453	0	0	745	6	0
Hats and Caps for men (10 per cent. to 17th August, 1898; afterwards 15 per cent.)	8,299	0	0	829	18	0
Ice Cream Machines and Coolers	515	0	0	51	10	0
Instruments—Surgical, Optical, and Scientific, N.O.E.	3,932	0	0	393	4	0
Iron, Tanks, Grates, Stoves, and Ovens	17,345	0	0	1,734	10	0
Lamps and Lampware (including Electric Lamps)	11,264	0	0	1,126	8	0
Lead (red and white)	5,547	0	0	554	14	0
Machinery, parts of	15,707	0	0	1,570	14	0
Meters (Gas and Water)	1,528	0	0	152	16	0
Mouldings, Gilt	941	0	0	94	2	0
Muslins, of all kinds, in the piece (*see* "Drapery").						
Oars	198	0	0	19	16	0
Oil Baize, in the piece (*see* "Drapery").						
Opera, Field, Marine Glasses and Telescopes (*see* "Instruments, Surgical," etc.).						
Paints, Colours, N.O.E.	7,802	0	0	780	4	0
Perambulators	820	0	0	82	0	0
Photographic Apparatus and Material	5,405	0	0	540	10	0
Poultry and other Birds	2,059	0	0	205	18	0
Shawls (*see* "Drapery").						
Spectacles and Eye-glasses (*see* "Instruments, Surgical," etc.).						
Tallow	170	0	0	17	0	0
Textile Piece Goods not containing Silk, and N.O.E. (*see* "Drapery").						
Thermometers (*see* "Instruments, Surgical," etc.).						
Timber, of all kinds (unworked)	23,305	0	0	2,330	10	0
Varnish, N.O.E.	3,300	0	0	330	0	0
Vegetables (preserved)	15,025	0	0	1,502	9	8
Watches (*see* under "Clocks and Watches").						
Waterproof Material, in the piece (*see* "Drapery").						
Wheels for Carriages	120	0	0	12	0	0
Total amount of Duty collected at 10 per cent. *ad valorem* ...	...			£47,358	15	8

Fourth Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, and on all others so imported and not included in the First, Second, Third, Fifth, or Sixth Schedules, a Duty of 15 per cent. ad valorem.

Articles.	Entered for Home Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Acids of all kinds, N.O.E.	3,873	0	0	580	19	0
Air Bricks	257	0	0	38	11	0
Animals, Living, N.O.E.	24	0	0	3	12	0
Apothecaries' Wares, N.O.E. (*see* "Drugs, etc.")	...			...		
Apparel and Slops (10 per cent. to 18th August, 1897. *See* also under Schedule No. 3)	72,812	0	0	10,921	16	0
Artists' Materials	684	0	0	102	12	0
Axle Grease	742	0	0	111	6	0
Bags, Paper (*see* "Paper Bags")	...			...		

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

Fourth Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, etc.—continued.

Articles.	Entered for Home Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Baskets and Wickerware	1,130	0	0	169	10	0
Bath Bricks	34	0	0	5	2	0
Bicarbonate of Soda	1,305	0	0	195	15	0
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof	36,043	0	0	5,406	9	0
Blue	1,204	0	0	180	12	0
Boots, including Shoes, Slippers, and Goloshes, N.O.E.	47,464	0	0	7,119	12	0
Boot Polish and Blacking	1,581	0	0	237	3	0
Books, Account, and Diaries (*see* "Stationery")	...			...		
Books of Printed Forms, including Reports or methods of Business (*see* "Stationery")	...			...		
Boxes (paper and cardboard), whether made up or not (*see* "All other Goods, N.O.E.")	...			...		
Brassware, N.O.E....	4,505	0	0	675	15	0
Brewing Materials	945	0	0	141	15	0
Cakes and Puddings	16,480	0	0	2,472	0	0
Canary Seed	336	0	0	50	8	0
Castor Oil (refined)	372	0	0	55	16	0
Canvas Goods, N.O.E.	149	0	0	22	7	0
Castings of all kinds, not being part of Machinery (*see* "Iron Castings")	...			...		
Chicory Root	244	0	0	36	12	0
Cigarette Papers (*see* "Tobacco, Pipes, and Wares")	...			...		
Clocks and Watches	4,970	0	0	745	10	0
Closets, Earth	40	0	0	6	0	0
Condensers	1,068	0	0	160	4	0
Copperware of all kinds, N.O.E.	402	0	0	60	6	0
Cutlery, N.O.E.	6,981	0	0	1,047	3	0
Drapery, N.O.E. (*see* also under 5 per cent. and 10 per cent. *ad valorem*)	152,196	0	0	22,829	8	0
Dresses and Skirts, made up (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Dripping	3,911	0	0	586	13	0
Drugs and Druggists' Sundries, N.O.E.	52,003	0	0	7,800	9	0
Earthen, Stone, and Chinaware, N.O.E.	12,906	0	0	1,935	18	0
Earthenware, Drain Pipes	1,241	0	0	186	3	0
Earth Scoops	70	0	0	10	10	0
Essences, non-spirituous	401	0	0	60	3	0
Feathers (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Fashion Plates, printed and engraved (*see* "Stationery")	...			...		
Felt, Roofing	109	0	0	16	7	0
Flags (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Fishing Nets	366	0	0	54	18	0
Fruit, preserved and in syrup	30,417	0	0	4,562	11	0
Furs (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Galvanised Ironware of all kinds, N.O.E. (*see* "Ironmongery") ...	...			...		
Game, Frozen (Rabbits and Hares)	437	0	0	65	11	0
Glassware, N.O.E.	9,793	0	0	1,468	19	0
Gum of all kinds, N.O.E. (*see* "Stationery")	...			...		
Haberdashery, N.O.E. (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Handbills, printed and engraved (*see* "Paper, Circulars, etc.") ...	...			...		
Harness and Saddlery, N.O.E.	4,013	0	0	601	19	0
Hardware, N.O.E. (*see* "Ironmongery and Hardware")	...			...		
Hats and Bonnets, N.O.E.	4,010	0	0	601	10	0
Hats, Straw, untrimmed (*see* "Hats, Straw," to 17th August, 1898, afterwards "Hats, N.O.E.")	...			...		
Hats and Caps for men (10 per cent. to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 15 per cent.)	4,832	0	0	724	16	0
Hemp Seed	72	0	0	10	16	0
Hollow-ware, N.O.E. (*see* "Ironmongery")	...			...		
Hop Bitters	24	0	0	3	12	0
Hosiery (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Incubators	194	0	0	29	2	0
India-rubber Goods	1,229	0	0	184	7	0
Iron Castings	648	0	0	97	4	0
Iron Girders, Columns, and Joists	4,551	0	0	682	13	0
Ironmongery and Hardware, N.O.E.	47,055	0	0	7,058	5	0
Iron Safes	2,954	0	0	443	2	0

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

Fourth Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, etc.—continued.

Articles.	Entered for House Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
Iron Sashweights	1,433	0	0	214	19	0
Jams, Jellies, and Preserves	47,279	0	0	7,091	17	0
Lace Goods, N.O.E. (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Lead, Strip	2	0	0	0	6	0
Leather—kip (whole and split), bridle stirrup, bag and basil, rim, skirt, and sear, sole, and harness	18,251	0	0	2,737	13	0
Leather, Manufactured Goods, N.O.E.	6,043	0	0	906	9	0
Mantles (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Matches and Vestas	8,100	0	0	1,215	0	0
Meat, Extract of	1,948	0	0	292	4	0
Medicines (Patent) of all kinds, N.O.E. (*see* "Drugs etc.")	...			...		
Metal Lathing	519	0	0	77	17	0
Milk, Preserved	72,112	0	0	10,816	16	0
Milk and Cream, Concentrated	2,227	0	0	334	1	0
Millinery (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Musical Instruments: Concertinas and Accordeons	226	0	0	33	18	0
Organs and Harmoniums*	556	0	0	83	8	0
Pianos*	7,225	0	0	1,083	15	0
Violins	36	0	0	5	8	0
N.O.E.	2,902	0	0	435	6	0
Mustard	3,210	0	0	481	10	0
Nuts, Almonds, and Cocoanuts	1,688	0	0	253	4	0
Oil, Castor, refined (*see* "Castor Oil")	...			...		
Oil, Salad (*see* "Salad Oil")	...			...		
Oil, N.O.E.	1,133	0	0	169	19	0
Oilmen's Stores, N.O.E.	12,505	0	0	1,875	15	0
Paper (Circulars and Advertising matter)	2,555	0	0	383	5	0
Paper, Bags	3,389	0	0	508	7	0
Paper, Wall	1,128	0	0	169	4	0
Pickles	4,468	0	0	670	4	0
Plate, Electro	8,248	0	0	1,237	4	0
Posters, Printed and Engraved (see "Paper, Circulars, etc.")	...			...		
Potted Hams, Chicken, Tongues, or other Meats and Fish in Paste	1,989	0	0	298	7	0
Putty	370	0	0	55	10	0
Printed, Lithographed, or otherwise mechanically produced Forms, Circulars, and Prospectuses (*see* "Paper, Circulars, and Stationery")	...			...		
Salad Oil	679	0	0	101	17	0
Sauces	9,900	0	0	1,485	0	0
Sausage Skins	639	0	0	95	17	0
Seltzogenes (*see* "Glassware")	...			...		
Sewing Machines	5,377	0	0	806	11	0
Sheepskins	101	0	0	15	3	0
Shell Fish	2,068	0	0	310	4	0
Silks, Satins, Velvets, Plush in piece (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Spice, Horse and Cattle (*see* "All other Goods")	...			...		
Starch	3,379	0	0	506	17	0
Stationery, N.O.E.	33,607	0	0	5,041	1	0
Stones, N.O.E.	215	0	0	32	5	0
Tents, Cart Covers, etc.	164	0	0	24	12	0
Tiles	2,006	0	0	300	18	0
Tins, empty	1,660	0	0	249	0	0
Tobacco Pipes	9,151	0	0	1,372	13	0
Tobacconists' Wares						
Umbrellas and Parasols (*see* "Drapery")	...			...		
Vegetables, Fresh, N.O.E.	555	0	0	83	5	0
Watches (*see* under "Clocks and Watches")	...			...		
Wickerware (*see* under "Baskets and Wickerware")	...			...		
Wire Mattresses	782	0	0	117	6	0
Woodenware	3,365	0	0	504	15	0
All other Goods, N.O.E.	6,757	0	0	1,013	10	3
Total amount of Duty collected at 15 per cent. *ad valorem*	...			124,053	11	3

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* 15 per cent. to the 17th August, 1898; afterwards specific duty (*see* Schedule No. 1).

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*,—continued.

Fifth Schedule.—On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, a Duty of 20 per cent. ad valorem.

Articles.	Entered for House Consumption. Value.			Duty Collected.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Aerated and Mineral Waters	3,451	0	0	690	4	0
Architraves, Mouldings, Skirting Boards, Laths, and Palings	11,132	0	0	2,226	8	0
Bay Rum (*see* "Perfumes, Pomades")	...			...		
Billiard Tables and Accessories	5,021	0	0	1,004	4	0
Bird Cages	253	0	0	50	12	0
Boards—planed, tongued, and grooved (*see* "Timber worked")	...			...		
Boats	973	0	0	194	12	0
Bricks, Building 20 per cent. to the 17th August afterwards Specific duty, Schedule No. 1)	401	0	0	80	4	0
Bricks, Fire	1,881	0	0	376	4	0
Carriages, Carts, and Wagons	5,643	0	0	1,128	12	0
Cordials (not spirituous)	795	0	0	159	0	0
Cornices and Ceiling Roses	338	0	0	67	12	0
Dashboards, leather covered (*see* "Carts, Carriages, etc.")	...			...		
Dog Collars	107	0	0	21	8	0
Doors, Wooden } Free to the 17th August, 1998, afterwards	3,296	0	0	659	4	0
Do. Iron } Specific duty. *See* Schedule No. 1	401	0	0	80	4	0
Eucalyptus Oil	1,411	0	0	282	4	0
Fancy Goods and Toys, N.O.E.	11,661	0	0	2,332	4	0
Fireworks	213	0	0	42	12	0
Fishing Material (fancy)	459	0	0	91	16	0
Furniture, Household and Cabinetware, N.O.E.	20,419	0	0	4,083	16	0
Ginger, Hop, and Spruce Beer	84	0	0	16	16	0
Gold and Silver Leaf	823	0	0	164	12	0
Graphoscopes and Stereoscopes	52	0	0	10	8	0
Hair (Fancy and Wigs)	168	0	0	33	12	0
Hammocks	25	0	0	5	0	0
Handtrucks and parts	64	0	0	12	16	0
India-rubber Stamps	118	0	0	23	12	0
Ivory Goods, N.O.E. (*see* "Fancy Goods")	...			...		
Japanned Ware of all kinds, N.O.E.	147	0	0	29	8	0
Jewellery of all kinds, N.O.E.	23,898	0	0	4,779	12	0
Limejuice	1,073	0	0	214	12	0
Mantlepieces	1,411	0	0	282	4	0
Marble, Stone, and Slate (worked)	1,668	0	0	333	12	0
Oleographs, (*see* "Prints, Paintings, etc.")	...			...		
Prints, Paintings, and Statuary	659	0	0	131	16	0
Papier-Maché Ware	15	0	0	3	0	0
Perfumes and Pomades	3,913	0	0	782	12	0
Picture Frames and Backs	733	0	0	146	12	0
Playing Cards of all kinds	444	0	0	88	16	0
Plate (Silver and Gold)	1,128	0	0	225	12	0
Precious Stones	520	0	0	104	0	0
Saccharine	164	0	0	32	16	0
Saddles (riding) and Flaps	1,169	0	0	233	16	0
Sails	36	0	0	7	4	0
Sandalwood Oil	21	0	0	4	4	0
Sashes and Frames for Windows	978	0	0	195	11	7
Silver Goods, N.O.E. (*see* "Jewellery" and "Plate—Silver, and Gold")	...			...		
Soap (Fancy, Perfumed, and Toilet)	5,886	0	0	1,177	4	0
Soap, Powder and Extract						
Stereoscopes (*see* "Graphoscopes")	...			...		
Tarpaulins	138	0	0	27	12	0
Timber (worked)	13,919	0	0	2,783	16	0
Tinware of all kinds, N.O.E.	1,534	0	0	306	16	0
Transfers	5	0	0	1	0	0
Turnery	...			...		
Veneer	62	0	0	12	8	0
Vinegar (Raspberry)	5	0	0	1	0	0
Wheels for Carts and Wagons	93	0	0	18	12	0
Wheelbarrows	444	0	0	88	16	0
Wooden Houses	854	0	0	170	16	0
Total amount of duty collected at 20 per cent. *ad valorem*	...			26,021	3	7
Grand Total amount of Revenue collected from Customs Duties	...			896,620	1	2

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*,—continued.

Sixth Schedule.—Goods Free of Duty.

Agricultural Implements—
  Chaffcutters (free to the 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* Schedule No. 2)
  Harrows
  Horse Gear (free to the 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* Schedule No. 2)
  Horse Rakes
  Ploughs and Shares
  Reapers, Winnowers, Threshing, and Mowing Machines (free to the 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* Schedule No. 2), N.O.E.

Alkalies—
  Soda, Caustic, as Soapmakers' material
  Soda, Ash, and Nitrate of Potash

Ammunition and Explosives—
  Amberite
  Blasting Gelatine
  Detonators
  Dynamite
    ,, Hercules
    ,, Gelatine
  Fuse
  Powder, Blasting
  Gelignite
  Rackarock, N.O.E.

Animals, Living—
  Bulls for Breeding
  Cows for Breeding
  Calves (under six months)
  Horses and Mares for Breeding
  Foals (under six months)
  Rams for Breeding
  Ewes ,, ,,
  Pigs ,, ,,
Asbestos
Asphalt
Atlases, Maps, Charts, and Globes
Bags, Sacks, and Bagging in piece
Bellows, Smith's
Bells for Places of Worship
Belting for Machinery (free to 17th August, 1898, and again from October, 1898. *See* also under Schedule 2)
Bench Screws (Iron and Wood)
Bees
Blankets and Rugs
Blocks, Sheaves, and Lifting Tackle
Boiler Fluid
Books, Printed
Bookbinders' Machinery and Material, N.O.E. (Bookbinders' Machinery free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* also under Machinery, Schedule No. 2)
Broom and Brushmakers' Material
Bullion
Candle-makers' Materials
Cardboard for Box-making
Cart and Carriage-makers' Materials
Chalks, Prepared
Coal
Coke
Cocoa and Chocolate, N.O.E.
Cocoa in Slabs
Cocoa Nibs
Coffee, Raw.

Coin and Bullion—
  Gold
  Silver
  Bronze

Copybooks and Slates for Schools

Copper—
  Rod
  Sheet
  Wire
  Ingot

Cotton Waste
Crucibles and Retorts
Cyanide
Disinfectants
Diving Apparatus for Pearling
Dyers' Materials
Emery Wheels
Engine Packing, all kinds
Explosives of all kinds, not including powder (gun and sporting), ammunition, and fireworks

Farinaceous Food—
  Arrowroot
  Sago
  Tapioca, N.O.E.
Files
Fire Clay
Fire Engines
Flock, Kapok, and Horsehair
Forges, Anvils, and Vices
Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Scions, and Grafts
Furniture-makers' Materials, N.O.E.
Garden Seeds
Glass, Coloured, for Church Windows
Gold Bullion
Government Stores
Governor's Stores
Grindery and Materials for Shoemakers, N.O.E.
Hemp and Flax
Hose of all kinds
Immigrants' Baggage

Iron—
  Bar and Rod
  Galvanised Corrugated (free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards specific duty. *See* Schedule No. 1.)
  Galvanised Plain Sheet
  Hoop
  Pig
  Plate
  Screws
  Sheet
  Wire Netting
  Wire, Standards, Droppers, and Staples for fencing
Kindergarten Materials
Lead (Sheet, Scrap, Pig, and Piping)
Litho. Machinery and Material, including Stones (Lithographic Machinery free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* Schedule No. 2)

No. 21.—*Details of the Net Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1898, etc.*—continued.

Sixth Schedule.—Goods Free of Duty—continued.

Machinery—
  Cream Separators
  Electrical
  Flour Mill
  Ice Making
  Mining
  } Free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* under Schedule No. 2
  Parts of, N.O.E. (free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 10 per cent. *See* under Schedule No. 3)

Manure—
  Bonedust, N.O.E.
Metals, N.O.E.
Millstones
Molasses and Golden Syrup

Musical Instruments—
  For Places of Worship
  For Bands of Defence Force
Nails, Tacks, Bolts, Nuts, Rivets, Spikes, and Washers
Oakum
Oatmeal (free from 17th August, 1898, afterwards specific duty. *See* under Schedule No. 1)

Oil—
  Kerosene
  Mineral, N.O.E.
  Fish and Vegetable
  Turpentine
  } other than in bottles

Paper—
  Unprinted, original wrapper
  Printing, for Newspapers and Posters
Paraffine Wax
Patent Fuel
Photographs
Picture Cards for School use
Pitch
Plants, Seeds, and Bulbs
Pumps and Apparatus for raising water (free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* under Schedule No. 2)
Printing Presses, Type, and Material (Printing Presses free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* under Schedule No. 2)
Quicksilver

Railway Stores (Government)—
  Carriages, Wagons, and parts
  Iron and Steel Castings
  Rails and Fastenings
  Wheels, Tyres, and Axles
  Locomotives and parts
  Steam Engines of all kinds, N.O.E.
  N.O.E.

Railway Stores (others)—
  Carriages, Wagons, and parts
  Rails and Fastenings
  Wheels, Tyres, and Axles
  N.O.E

Resin
Retorts

Rice—
  Whole
  Paddy
  Ground and Meal
Saddlers' Materials, Furniture and Ironmongery
Screws

Sheathing—
  Felt
  Copper Metal
Sheep Dip
Shoemakers' Grindery
Sieves
Silk for Flour-dressing
Slate Pencils
Smelting Material
Soapmakers' Material
Solder
Stearine
Steel (*see* "Iron, etc.")
Stones and Slate imported by Municipalities for Flagging and Paving
Sugar
Sulphur
Tar
Tanning Materials (Bark 5 per cent. from 17th August, 1898. *See* under Schedule No. 2)
Tea
Telegraph and Telephone Material, including Instruments
Timber in short lengths for Case-making

Tin—
  Stream
  Block
  Foil
  Ingot
  Plate
  Strip
Tinned Sheet Iron
Tobacco for Sheepwash.
Tools.
Uniforms and Appointments for Defence Force.
Vine Cuttings (*see* "Plants")
Winches and Jacks for Lifting (free to 17th August, 1898, afterwards 5 per cent. *See* under machinery, Schedule No. 2)
Wire Cloth, Gauges, and Screens for Quartz-crushing
Wire Rope
Wool Bales

Zinc—
  Sheet, Plain, and Perforated
  Ingot

Repealed by 60 Vict., No. 5.

Session and Number.	Title.	Extent or Repeal.
50 Vict., No. 12 … …	"The Opium Duty Act, 1886" …	The whole.
57 Vict., No. 4 … …	"The Stock Tax Act, 1893" …	,,

Part IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 22.—*Bonding Warehouses in the Colony of Western Australia on 31st December, 1898.*

FREMANTLE.

Public.	Private.	
	Name.	Locality.
Store "A" } Customs Reserve, Store "B" } Cliff Street.	Wigglesworth's	Phillimore Street
	Dixon's	Newman Street
	Tolley's	Packenham Street
	Bateman's	Henry Street
	Moore's	Henry Street
	Samson's	Marine Terrace
	Shenton's	Cliff Street
	McCleery's	Essex Street
	Sandover's	Mouatt Street
	Moylan's	William Street
	Monger's W.A. Stores, Ltd.	Newman Street
	Wood, Son, & Co's.	Cantonment Street.

PERTH.

Public.	Private.
"Crown" Bond at Railway Station Yard.	McBean, Bowker, & Co's., Bazaar Terrace.
Do. Bond at Riverside.	Milne & Co's., William Street.

GERALDTON.

Public.	Private.
"Crown" Bond.	Wainwright's.

Public Warehouses are also provided at each of the following outports :—

Albany
Broome
Bunbury
Carnarvon
Cossack
Derby
Dongara
Esperance
Onslow
Vasse
Wyndham.

No. 23.—*Rents and Charges for the Storage of Goods in Public Warehouses throughout the Colony.—Order in Council, 20th February, 1893 (55th Vict., No. 31, s. 129).*

Schedule.

Articles.	Receipt and delivery.	Rent.	
		One week or under.	Rate per week when bonded for over a week.
	s. d.	s. d.	d.
Barrel or quarter-cask, each	1 6	0 4	2
Beer, bottled in case or cask, per ton	1 6	1 0	6
Butter, per ton	1 6	1 0	6
Cigars, per box	1 0	0 2	1
Do. per case	2 0	0 6	3
Cement, barrel or cask, per ton	1 6	1 0	6
Liquids, 4 gal. cases and under, each	0 6	0 2	1
Do. 2 gal. do. do.	0 3	0 1	½
Do. hogshead each	2 0	0 8	4
Do. pipe or puncheon, each	3 0	1 0	6
Do. octave up to 20 gal. do.	0 6	0 2	1
Sugar, per ton	1 6	1 0	6
Tea, per ton	1 6	0 10	5
Tobacco, per tierce, each	5 0	0 6	3
Do. per case, 250lbs. or under, each	2 0	0 6	3
Do. keg or box under 150lbs., each	1 6	0 4	2
Flour, bran, pollard, and grain, per ton	1 6	1 0	6
Salt, rice, pepper, and coffee, per ton	1 6	1 0	6
All other goods (by dead weight 2,240lbs., or measurement of 40 cubic feet, at the discretion of the Collector of Customs), per ton	1 6	0 8	4
Single packages under ½ ton, each	1 0	0 4	2

Note.—Dangerous goods double the above rents and charges.

No. 24.—*Rents and charges Payable for Goods deposited in the Queen's Warehouse (55th Vict., No. 31, s. 174).*

[*Gazetted 6th April, 1894.*]

SCHEDULE.

Articles.	Rate per Week.	
	s.	d.
Rents—		
Pipe or Puncheon	1	0 each
Hogshead	0	6 ,,
Barrel or Quarter-cask	0	3 ,,
Octave	0	2 ,,
Spirits or Wines, 6-gallon cases and over	0	3 ,,
Do. 4-gallon cases, and up to 6 gallons	0	2 ,,
Do. under 4-gallon cases	0	1 ,,
Cigars, per box	0	2 ,,
Do. per case	0	6 ,,
All other Goods by deadweight or measurement, at option of Collector of Customs; minimum charge 3d.	1	0 per ton
Charges—		
Receiving and delivering	2	0 per ton
Minimum charge	1	0 under 1 ton

II.—SHIPPING.

No. 25.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia from and to each Country, Colony, and Port during 1898.*

COUNTRIES.	ENTERED.									CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.			WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
SAILING VESSELS.																		
United Kingdom	25	25,170	452	...	...	...	25	25,170	452	50	44,457	755	...	...	...	50	44,457	755
Australasian Colonies:																		
South Australia	4	286	19	1	10	2	5	296	21	6	1,370	41	2	65	6	8	1,435	47
Victoria	...	...	...	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	484	10	...	...	...	1	484	10
New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	14,691	237	13	14,691	237
New Zealand	1	380	8	...	...	...	1	380	8	1	843	13	2	2,293	42	3	3,136	55
Total	5	666	27	2	21	3	7	687	30	8	2,697	64	17	17,049	285	25	19,746	349
Other British Possessions:																		
British Columbia	1	1,168	19	...	...	...	1	1,168	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cape Colony	...	...	...	34	24,904	428	34	24,904	428	16	9,269	183	...	...	...	16	9,269	183
Ceylon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	993	20	...	...	...	2	993	20
Hong Kong	1	324	11	...	...	...	1	324	11	4	1,987	48	...	...	...	4	1,987	48
India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	490	11	1	866	16	2	1,356	27
Mauritius	1	399	12	...	...	...	1	399	12	1	355	9	...	...	...	1	355	9
Natal	...	...	...	19	10,345	216	19	10,345	216	17	10,865	198	...	...	...	17	10,865	198
Singapore	3	618	28	1	1,270	21	4	1,888	49	3	544	25	...	...	...	3	544	25
Total	6	2,509	70	54	36,519	665	60	39,028	735	44	24,503	494	1	866	16	45	25,369	510
Foreign Countries:																		
Argentine Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,373	23	...	...	...	2	1,373	23
Brazil	...	...	...	1	612	12	1	612	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delagoa Bay	...	...	...	9	7,719	126	9	7,719	126	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,147	18	...	...	...	1	1,147	18
Germany	5	4,073	71	...	...	...	5	4,073	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Caledonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,425	33	1	2,425	33
Norway	1	1,038	17	...	...	...	1	1,038	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Portugal	...	...	...	1	688	13	1	688	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Siam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,065	18	1	1,065	18
Sweden	4	4,762	66	...	...	...	4	4,762	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timor	1	40	15	1	62	4	2	102	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
U.S. of America	7	6,882	113	...	...	...	7	6,882	113	...	...	...	1	1,320	18	1	1,320	18
Total	18	16,795	282	12	9,081	155	30	25,876	437	3	2,520	41	3	4,810	69	6	7,330	110

No. 25.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia, etc.*—continued.

COUNTRIES.	ENTERED.									CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.			WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
SUMMARY (SAILING).																		
United Kingdom...	25	25,170	452	...	...	...	25	25,170	452	50	44,457	755	...	...	...	50	44,457	755
Australasian Colonies	5	666	27	2	21	3	7	687	30	8	2,697	64	17	17,049	285	25	19,746	349
Other British Possessions ...	6	2,509	70	54	36,519	665	60	39,028	735	44	24,503	494	1	866	16	45	25,369	510
Foreign Countries	18	16,795	282	12	9,081	155	30	25,876	437	3	2,520	41	3	4,810	69	6	7,330	110
Total Sailing	54	45,140	831	68	45,621	823	122	90,761	1,654	105	74,177	1,354	21	22,725	370	126	96,902	1,724
STEAM VESSELS.																		
United Kingdom...	69	212,222	11,586	...	...	...	69	212,222	11,586	85	249,587	12,634	...	...	...	85	249,587	12,634
Australasian Colonies:																		
South Australia	265	557,799	24,168	...	...	...	265	557,799	24,168	194	438,244	20,772	8	7,541	229	202	445,785	21,001
Victoria	35	68,570	1,874	...	...	...	35	68,570	1,874	29	37,607	1,174	4	5,074	160	33	42,681	1,334
New South Wales	72	110,316	2,205	1	37	9	73	110,353	2,214	61	108,085	2,529	46	68,355	1,387	107	176,440	3,916
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,393	28	...	...	...	1	1,393	28
Total	372	736,685	28,247	1	37	9	373	736,722	28,256	285	585,329	24,503	58	80,970	1,776	343	666,299	26,279
Other British Possessions:																		
Cape Colony	...	...	...	1	1,552	23	1	1,552	23	14	30,603	972	...	...	...	14	30,603	972
India	3	4,755	153	...	...	...	3	4,755	153	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Natal	...	...	...	2	3,095	65	2	3,095	65	4	8,503	323	...	...	...	4	8,503	323
Singapore	24	30,576	1,761	1	89	24	25	30,665	1,785	22	25,330	1,715	2	178	45	24	25,508	1,760
Total	27	35,331	1,914	4	4,736	112	31	40,067	2,026	40	64,436	3,010	2	178	45	42	64,614	3,055
Foreign Countries:																		
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3,387	39	...	...	...	1	3,387	39
France	14	39,122	2,647	...	...	...	14	39,122	2,647	20	48,875	2,665	...	...	...	20	48,875	2,665
Germany	21	78,209	2,301	...	...	...	21	78,209	2,301	14	60,068	1,893	...	...	...	14	60,068	1,893
Guam	1	47	6	...	...	...	1	47	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Java	2	2,744	74	...	...	...	2	2,744	74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total	38	120,122	5,028	...	...	...	38	120,122	5,028	35	112,330	4,597	...	...	...	35	112,330	4,597

SUMMARY (STEAM).

United Kingdom...	69	212,222	11,586	...	...	...	69	212,222	11,586	85	249,587	12,634	...	...	...	85	249,587	12,634
Australasian Colonies	372	736,685	28,247	1	37	9	373	736,722	28,256	285	585,329	24,503	58	80,970	1,776	343	666,299	26,279
Other British Possessions ...	27	35,331	1,914	4	4,736	112	31	40,067	2,026	40	64,436	3,010	2	178	45	42	64,614	3,055
Foreign Countries	38	120,122	5,028	...	...	...	38	120,122	5,028	35	112,330	4,597	...	...	...	35	112,330	4,597
Total Steam	506	1,104,360	46,775	5	4,773	121	511	1,109,133	46,896	445	1,011,682	44,744	60	81,148	1,821	505	1,092,830	46,565
Grand Total (Sailing and Steam)	560	1,149,500	47,606	73	50,394	944	633	1,999,894	48,550	550	1,085,859	46,098	81	103,873	2,191	631	1,189,732	48,289

No. 26.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels of each Nation entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia during 1898.*

NATIONALITY OF VESSELS.	ENTERED.									CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.			WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
SAILING VESSELS:																		
British	37	26,953	556	13	8,353	160	50	35,306	716	38	26,624	537	15	15,741	268	53	42,365	805
Norwegian	6	5,270	81	40	25,259	464	46	30,529	545	43	26,643	478	1	687	10	44	27,330	488
German	7	6,842	105	8	7,006	114	15	13,848	219	14	12,705	206	2	1,326	25	16	14031	231
Swedish	1	1,363	19	4	2,681	49	5	4,044	68	6	5,681	86	...	...	...	6	5,681	86
Danish	...	...	...	3	2,322	36	3	2,322	36	2	1,096	21	1	1,226	16	3	2,322	37
French	2	3,524	52	...	...	...	2	3,524	52	...	...	...	2	3,745	51	2	3,745	51
Italian	1	1,188	18	...	...	...	1	1,188	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Russian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,428	26	...	...	...	2	1,428	26
Total Sailing	54	45,140	831	68	45,621	823	122	90,761	1,654	105	74,177	1,354	21	22,725	370	126	96,902	1,724
STEAM VESSELS:																		
British	441	884,513	37,373	5	4,773	121	446	889,286	37,494	380	791,835	35,336	60	81,148	1,821	440	872,983	37,157
German	37	143,270	4,285	...	...	...	37	143,270	4,285	37	143,270	4,285	...	...	...	37	143,270	4,285
French	27	75,452	5,096	...	...	...	27	75,452	5,096	27	75,452	5,102	...	..	...	27	75,452	5,102
Norwegian	1	1,125	21	...	...	...	1	1,125	21	1	1,125	21	...	...	...	1	1,125	21
Total Steam	506	1,104,360	46.775	5	4,773	121	511	1,109,133	46,896	445	1,011,682	44,744	60	81,148	1,821	505	1,092,830	46,565
Grand Total (Sailing and Steam)	560	1,149,500	47,606	73	50,394	944	633	1,199,894	48,550	550	1,085,859	46,098	81	103,873	2,191	631	1,189,732	48,289

No. 27—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered and cleared at each Port in the Colony of Western Australia during 1898.*

Names of Port at which entered or cleared.	ENTERED.									CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.			WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
SAILING VESSELS:																		
Fremantle	49	44,814	797	26	14,595	275	75	59,409	1,072	60	39,708	761	19	21,451	350	79	61,159	1,111
Albany	...	...	...	22	19,769	319	22	19,769	319	20	20,841	319	1	1,226	16	21	22,067	335
Bunbury	...	...	...	4	2,541	49	4	2,541	49	2	1,315	24	...	...	...	2	1,315	24
Vasse	...	...	...	13	7,558	154	13	7,558	154	17	9,644	191	...	...	...	17	9,644	191
Geraldton	...	...	...	2	1,096	22	2	1,096	22	3	1,837	34	...	...	...	3	1,837	34
Cossack	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	689	17	...	...	...	1	689	17
Broome	1	40	15	1	62	4	2	102	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	4	286	19	...	...	...	4	286	19	2	143	8	1	48	4	3	191	12
Total Sailing	54	45,140	831	68	45,621	823	122	90,761	1,654	105	74,177	1,354	21	22,725	370	126	96,902	1,724
STEAM VESSELS:																		
Fremantle	108	225,623	5,827	1	1,198	30	109	226,821	5,857	92	195,206	5,805	36	52 364	1,094	128	247,570	6,899
Albany	363	844,223	38,909	2	1,589	32	365	845,812	38,941	323	786,805	37,064	16	23,680	501	339	810,485	37,565
Vasse	...	...	...	1	1,897	35	1	1,897	35	2	3,794	70	...	...	...	2	3,794	70
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,237	50	2	2,237	50
Cossack	...	...	...	1	89	24	1	89	24	3	3,107	227	2	178	45	5	3,285	272
Broome	5	7,384	354	...	...	...	5	7,384	354	2	2,409	165	...	...	...	2	2,409	165
Derby	18	21,586	1,368	...	...	...	18	21,586	1,368	16	18,554	1,243	...	...	...	16	18,554	1,243
Esperance	12	5,544	317	...	...	...	12	5,544	317	7	1,807	170	4	2,689	131	11	4,496	301
Total Steam	506	1,104,360	46,775	5	4,773	121	511	1,109,133	46,896	445	1,011,682	44,744	60	81,148	1,821	505	1,092,830	46,565
Grand Total (Sailing and Steam)	560	1,149,500	47,606	73	50,394	944	633	1,199,894	48,550	550	1,085,859	46,098	81	103,873	2,191	631	1,189,732	48,289

No. 28.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

YEAR.	ENTERED.									CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.			WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
1889	304	486,647	25,551	45	10,585	670	349	497,232	26,221	273	496,179	25,414	72	11,407	1,217	345	507,586	26,631
1890	267	478,989	26,144	14	5,545	162	281	484,534	26,306	240	409,928	25,303	27	10,399	345	267	420,327	25,648
1891	292	524,608	26,892	18	8,825	256	310	533,433	27,148	264	501,735	26,257	24	10,387	303	288	512,122	26,560
1892	327	546,719	30,038	29	25,371	637	356	572,090	30,675	276	517,936	28,718	44	34,539	1,026	320	552,475	29,744
1893	279	532,364	29,402	14	7,589	162	293	539,953	29,564	251	507,037	28,820	37	24,428	506	288	531,465	29,326
1894	340	654,127	33,378	32	21,648	425	372	675,775	33,803	322	625,479	33,024	27	27,824	675	349	653,303	33,699
1895	457	792,736	37,080	28	21,632	390	485	814,368	37,470	369	714,387	34,403	64	49,798	1,664	433	764,185	36,067
1896	731	1,079,328	47,099	37	26,579	588	768	1,105,907	47,687	479	869,626	40,654	204	160,845	5,007	683	1,030,471	45,661
1897	683	1,164,579	49,189	38	32,181	578	721	1,196,760	49,767	512	995,583	44,310	195	185,489	4,545	707	1,181,072	48,855
1898	560	1,149,500	47,606	73	50,394	944	633	1,199,894	48,550	550	1,085,859	46,098	81	103,873	2,191	631	1,189,732	48,289

No. 29.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia from and to the United Kingdom, Australasian Colonies, other British Possessions, and Foreign Countries during each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

Year.	United Kingdom.			Australasian Colonies.			Other British Possessions.			Foreign Countries.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
ENTERED.															
1889	34	68,260	2,237	170	242,751	12,817	66	138,280	7,728	79	47,941	3,439	349	497,232	26,221
1890	51	93,767	3,765	149	248,719	13,819	64	107,757	6,696	17	34,291	2,026	281	484,534	26,306
1891	80	170,291	7,403	155	242,004	12,941	49	63,070	4,028	26	58,068	2,776	310	533,433	27,148
1892	52	102,386	4,844	208	307,682	15,954	66	105,049	7,354	30	56,973	2,523	356	572,090	30,675
1893	83	189,926	10,626	157	284,571	15,126	33	25,423	1,312	20	40,033	2,500	293	539,953	29,564
1894	79	196,423	11,090	225	396,862	18,501	44	37,860	1,616	24	44,630	2,596	372	675,775	33,803
1895	92	217,624	11,050	321	506,093	21,938	44	43,772	1,873	28	46,879	2,609	485	814,368	37,470
1896	119	256,534	12,207	525	685,154	29,176	63	69,953	2,483	61	94,266	3,824	768	1,105,907	47,690
1897	109	252,523	12,349	479	748,676	30,090	63	61,760	2,391	70	133,801	4,937	721	1,196,760	49,767
1898	94	237,392	12,038	380	737,409	28,286	91	79,095	2,761	68	145,998	5,465	633	1,199,894	48,550
CLEARED.															
1889	39	82,667	2,518	162	262,479	13,521	76	118,463	7,194	68	43,977	3,398	345	507,586	26,631
1890	23	50,651	1,826	150	200,635	13,796	64	135,478	7,824	30	33,563	2,202	267	420,327	25,648
1891	80	170,291	7,403	155	242,004	12,941	49	63,070	4,028	26	58,068	2,776	310	533,433	27,148
1892	65	150,575	7,734	172	276,219	15,378	43	57,701	3,748	40	67,980	2,884	320	552,475	29,744
1893	77	192,181	11,192	136	258,462	14,307	32	25,323	1,213	43	55,499	2,614	288	531,465	29,326
1894	88	203,031	10,748	202	371,613	18,877	33	28,414	1,371	26	50,245	2,703	349	653,303	33,699
1895	90	217,661	11,129	282	452,008	20,259	32	37,857	1,701	29	56,659	2,978	433	764,185	36,067
1896	98	229,764	11,584	500	689,906	28,826	59	55,309	2,304	26	55,492	2,947	683	1,030,471	45,661
1897	96	236,411	12,057	489	740,900	29,018	69	79,174	2,919	53	124,587	4,861	707	1,181,072	48,855
1898	135	294,044	13,389	368	686,045	26,628	87	89,983	3,565	41	119,660	4,707	631	1,189,732	48,289

No. 30.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels of each Nation entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

YEAR.	BRITISH.			FOREIGN.																							TOTALS, BRITISH AND FOREIGN.		
				GERMAN.			FRENCH.			SWEDISH.			NORWEGIAN.			AMERICAN. (UNITED STATES.)			OTHER NATIONALITIES.			TOTAL, FOREIGN.							
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.		
													ENTERED.																
1889	312	430,486	21,886	6	2,786	61	23	59,359	4,190	2	1,096	17	1	769	15	3	1,472	29	2	1,264	23	37	66,746	4,335	349	497,232	26,221		
1890	246	422,765	22,563	7	5,231	111	19	51,580	3,530	...	...	...	3	1,878	39	2	866	17	4	2,214	46	35	61,769	3,743	281	484,534	26,306		
1891	272	445,387	22,646	8	5,908	118	23	77,513	4,302	1	654	11	3	2,415	37	...	...	...	3	1,556	34	38	88,046	4,502	310	533,433	27,148		
1892	310	465,786	25,867	13	8,593	164	24	91,182	4,470	1	1,132	15	6	4,130	129	...	...	...	2	1,267	30	46	106,304	4,808	356	572,090	30,675		
1893	255	466,060	25,164	7	6,084	109	23	63,529	4,200	...	...	...	3	1,860	34	1	738	11	4	1,682	46	38	73,893	4,400	293	539,953	29,564		
1894	323	591,724	28,704	9	5,257	111	24	68,772	4,800	4	2,361	48	11	7,071	126	...	...	...	1	590	14	49	84,051	5,099	372	675,775	33,803		
1895	436	727,397	32,371	4	2,562	54	24	69,200	4,777	3	2,341	37	13	8,655	164	2	1,154	20	3	3,059	47	49	86,971	5,099	485	814,368	37,470		
1896	662	942,436	41,123	23	48,156	1,321	24	65,760	4,379	8	4,305	85	33	25,211	468	8	5,625	85	10	14,414	226	106	163,471	6,564	768	1,105,907	47,687		
1897	602	957,594	40,216	44	128,613	3,775	27	74,304	5,172	...	...	...	36	25,424	448	4	2,927	45	8	7,898	111	119	239,166	9,551	721	1,196,760	49,767		
1898	496	924,592	38,210	52	157,118	4,504	29	78,976	5,148	5	4,044	68	47	31,654	566	...	...	...	4	3,510	54	137	275,302	10,340	633	1,199,894	48,550		
													CLEARED.																
1889	306	435,213	21,932	3	1,754	37	24	63,820	4,540	5	2,551	47	2	1,512	25	3	1,473	29	2	1,263	21	39	72,373	4,699	345	507,586	26,631		
1890	233	350,696	21,267	5	4,393	86	23	62,300	4,230	...	...	...	2	1,109	20	2	866	17	2	963	28	34	69,631	4,381	267	420,327	25,648		
1891	256	425,476	22,103	5	4,194	81	23	79,032	4,322	1	590	12	2	2,225	30	...	...	...	1	605	12	32	86,646	4,457	288	512,122	26,560		
1892	276	448,080	24,949	11	7,611	144	24	91,034	4,510	2	1,779	23	4	1,335	34	...	...	...	3	2,636	84	44	104,395	4,795	320	552,475	29,744		
1893	254	460,720	25,260	6	4,076	71	23	63,451	3,940	1	594	9	3	1,886	35	1	738	11	...	...	...	34	70,745	4,066	288	531,465	29,326		
1894	301	567,937	28,588	10	7,366	136	24	68,772	4,800	5	3,591	65	7	4,389	84	...	...	...	2	1,248	26	48	85,366	5,111	349	653,303	33,699		
1895	390	678,788	31,057	5	4,002	65	24	71,209	4,771	3	2,341	34	6	3,632	73	2	1,154	20	3	3,059	47	43	85,397	5,010	433	764,185	36,067		
1896	586	873,229	38,949	16	40,354	1,139	25	71,360	4,754	5	2,566	54	38	26,779	513	5	3,518	55	8	12,665	197	97	157,242	6,712	683	1,030,471	45,661		
1897	588	940,258	39,406	44	128,513	3,778	26	74,154	5,051	...	...	...	32	22,887	402	8	5,721	86	9	9,539	132	119	240,814	9,449	707	1,181,072	48,855		
1898	493	915,348	37,962	53	157,301	4,516	29	79,197	5,153	6	5,681	86	45	28,455	509	...	...	...	5	3,750	63	138	274,384	10,327	631	1,189,732	48,289		

Part IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 31.—*Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered and cleared at each Port in the Colony of Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889–1898.*

Year.	Fremantle.			Albany.			Bunbury.			Vasse.			Geraldton.			Cossack.			Onslow.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
										ENTERED.											
1889	68	34,655	955	190	446,377	23,555	...	...	...	4	1,755	37	...	...	...	16	1,847	311	...	...	...
1890	64	40,037	959	182	431,817	24,412	...	...	...	5	2,057	60	1	749	23	1	98	23	...	...	...
1891	58	41,654	876	203	464,134	24,667	1	1,189	22	1	190	7	6	5,647	111	14	12,801	903	...	...	...
1892	74	56,408	1,320	215	482,680	27,192	1	782	17	...	...	...	1	1,587	59	...	...	...	...	...	...
1893	53	43,077	956	206	471,572	27,244	1	2,378	36	3	2,691	50	2	2,937	52	4	882	35	...	...	...
1894	63	62,600	1,580	271	585,195	30,760	...	...	...	10	5,022	115	4	2,873	57	...	...	...	...	...	...
1895	106	115,289	2,855	303	648,439	32,198	1	498	13	12	9,641	167	8	10,542	234	1	589	12	...	...	...
1896	212	232,299	5,890	398	800,757	37,842	4	4,928	80	11	7,737	148	12	10,877	241	2	62	21	...	...	...
1897	177	212,099	4,337	436	936,951	42,375	...	...	...	10	5,605	112	9	7,760	164	5	4,072	328	...	...	...
1898	184	286,230	6,929	387	865,581	39,260	4	2,541	49	14	9,455	189	2	1,096	22	1	89	24	...	...	...
										CLEARED.											
1889	50	20,286	452	194	463,919	24,093	...	...	...	12	4,333	111	2	1,031	28	16	3,900	422	...	...	...
1890	42	19,929	460	186	388,725	24,522	...	...	...	8	3,167	79	4	2,197	61	2	234	15	...	...	...
1891	32	21,414	439	201	467,368	24,638	...	...	...	1	190	7	10	5,011	115	3	1,114	49	...	...	...
1892	55	37,696	862	203	482,463	26,813	3	2,502	54	3	1,064	33	5	3,546	112	1	478	16	...	...	...
1893	28	26,829	505	205	478,006	27,267	...	...	...	3	1,353	31	7	4,415	94	6	5,503	197	...	...	...
1894	65	66,689	1,808	240	553,212	30,366	...	...	...	11	5,776	121	7	5,158	112	4	4,402	145	...	...	...
1895	71	76,765	1,924	295	640,129	31,719	...	...	...	9	7,563	126	3	4,885	134	6	7,724	264	...	...	...
1896	144	177,074	4,537	357	748,206	36,385	8	7,796	132	18	10,054	198	30	37,347	856	...	...	...	...	...	...
1897	191	225,073	5,010	396	885,304	40,364	...	...	...	12	8,174	153	18	19,902	394	6	7,138	320	1	1,700	71
1898	207	308,729	8,010	360	832,552	37,900	2	1,315	24	19	13,438	261	5	4,074	84	6	3,974	289	...	...	...

Year.	Broome.			Derby.			Wyndham.			Carnarvon.			Esperance.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
										ENTERED.								
1889	42	5,124	638	...	...	...	28	6,844	711	1	630	14	...	...	...	349	497,232	26,221
1890	5	2,443	116	...	...	...	23	7,333	713	...	...	...	...	...	...	281	484,534	26,306
1891	10	5,200	296	10	21,22	214	7	496	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	310	533,433	27,148
1892	32	14,643	1,059	5	4,639	348	26	9,264	633	2	2,087	47	...	...	...	356	572,090	30,675
1893	13	9,220	633	6	6,152	458	5	1,044	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	293	539,953	29,564
1894	2	74	10	16	17,452	1,167	1	39	10	...	...	...	5	2,520	104	372	675,775	33,803
1895	...	...	...	19	19,846	1,321	2	2,072	124	...	...	...	33	7,452	546	485	814,368	37,470
1896	4	3,824	240	14	15,419	1,032	...	...	...	...	...	...	111	30,004	2,193	768	1,105,907	47,687
1897	4	4,687	327	11	9,527	772	2	21	5	...	...	...	67	16,038	1,347	721	1,196,760	49,767
1898	7	7,486	373	18	21,586	1,368	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	5,830	336	633	1,199,894	48,550
										CLEARED.								
1889	37	4,241	655	...	...	...	30	8,216	824	4	1,660	46	...	...	...	345	507,586	26,631
1890	4	208	46	...	...	...	19	4,979	437	2	888	28	...	...	...	267	420,327	25,648
1891	33	15,871	1,244	...	...	...	7	496	52	1	658	16	...	...	...	288	512,122	26,560
1892	12	7,803	576	12	10,386	714	23	3,777	500	3	2,760	64	...	...	...	320	552,475	29,744
1893	23	5,776	445	10	7,848	651	5	1,044	120	1	691	16	...	...	...	288	531,465	29,326
1894	2	801	19	15	15,148	1,033	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2,117	95	349	653,303	33,699
1895	2	171	80	16	16,224	1,177	1	1,036	62	...	...	...	30	9,688	581	433	764,185	36,067
1896	6	6,188	437	13	14,880	990	...	...	...	...	...	...	107	28,926	2,126	683	1,030,471	45,661
1897	3	3,094	230	12	11,365	887	2	21	5	...	...	...	66	19,301	1,411	707	1,181,072	48,855
1898	2	2,409	165	16	18,554	1,243	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	4,687	313	631	1,189,732	48,289

No. 32.—*Number and Tonnage of Steam Vessels entered and cleared at Ports in the Colony of Western Australia from and to the United Kingdom and each British Possession and Foreign Country via the Suez during the Year 1898.*

Countries from and to which Vessels Entered and Cleared.	Entered.		Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
United Kingdom	56	184,338	56	184,760
Germany	14	63,843	13	56,668
France	14	39,122	13	36,330
	84	287,303	82	277,758

No. 33.—*Business transacted in the Government Shipping Offices, 1898.*

Government Shipping Office at	Seamen discharged and engaged.		Wages paid.		Shipping Fees collected.
	Intercolonial Vessels.	British Vessels.	Through the Shipping Office.	Issued in Advance Notes.	
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Fremantle ...	884	432	3,690 15 4	255 16 0	157 0 3
Outports ...	1,102	53	3,741 0 8	173 10 8	*

* Information not available.

No. 34.—*Number and Tonnage of Steam and Sailing Vessels on the Register of the Colony on the 31st December, 1897; of those added to or struck off during 1898; and of those remaining on the Register on the 31st December, 1898.*

Details.	Steam Vessels.		Sailing Vessels.		Total.	
	Vessels. No.	Net Tonnage.	Vessels. No.	Net Tonnage.	Vessels. No.	Net Tonnage.
Upon the Register, 31st December, 1897	18	3,898	133	5,812	151	9,710
Added to the Register during 1898	10	1,653	3	136	13	1,789
Struck off the Register during 1898	...	...	3	149	3	149
Total remaining on the Register on the 31st December, 1898	28	5,551	133	5,799	161	11,350
Details of Vessels added—						
Vessels registered for the first time (new)	5	1,336	3	136	8	1,472
Vessels registered *de nova, Nil.*						
Vessels transferred from other Ports	5	317	...	...	5	317
Tonnage added in consequence of re-measurement or alteration (without re-registration).						
Total Vessels added	10	1,653	3	136	13	1,789
Details of Vessels struck off—						
Vessels wrecked, foundered, abandoned at sea, destroyed by fire, or otherwise missing	...	...	3	149	3	149
Vessels sold to foreigners.						
Vessels transferred to other Ports.						
Vessels registered *de nova.*						
Tonnage deducted for alteration (without re-registration).						
Total Vessels deducted	...	...	3	149	3	149

N.B.—All vessels are registered at the Port of Fremantle.

No. 35.—*Vessels remaining on the West Australian Register on the 31st December in each year for the Seven Years, 1892 to 1898.*

Year.	Sailing.		Steam.		Total.	
	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.
1892	142	5,293	8	1,285	150	6,578
1893	148	5,162	9	737	157	5,899
1894	143	4,639	9	737	152	5,376
1895	144	4,770	11	3,504	155	8,274
1896	132	4,550	12	3,563	144	8,113
1897	133	5,812	18	3,898	151	9,710
1898	133	5,799	28	5,551	161	11,350

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No. 36.—*Material used in Construction of the Vessels on the Register on the 31st December, 1898.*

Name of Port where registered.	Wood.		Iron.		Steel.		Composite.		Total.	
	No.	Net Tonnage.	No.	Net Tonnage.	No.	Net Tonnage.	No.	Net Tonnage.	No.	Net Tonnage.
Fremantle* … …	151	6,351	6	2,358	4	2,641	…	…	161	11,350

* All vessels are registered at the port of Fremantle.

No. 37.—*Wrecks and other Casualties to Shipping within the Jurisdiction of Western Australia, 1898.*

Date of Casualty.	Name and Description of Vessel.	Tonnage.	Class or kind of Cargo.	Value of Vessel and Cargo.	Crew and Passengers.	Lives lost.	Particulars of Casualty.
3-1-98	"Lubra," steamer … …	223	General	Unknown	Unknown	*Nil*	Total wreck
20-1-98	"Kolya" (late "Kirklands"), steamer	1,168	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Slight grounding
23-1-98	"Myra," schooner … …	51	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Total wreck
25-1-98	"Hindustan," steamer… …	1,552	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Slight grounding
27-1-98	"August Tellefsen," barque …	697	Timber	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Total wreck
27-1-98	"Bulimba," steamer … …	1,607	General	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Slight grounding
29-1-98	"Time," steamer … …	1,670	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Do. striking
29-3-98	"Innamincka," steamer …	1,355	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Do. fire
2-4-98	"Beagle," steamer … …	121	Do.	£1,800	Crew, 18	*Nil*	Stranding
2-4-98	"Maggie Gollan," ketch …	58	Do.	Unknown	Unknown	*Nil*	Total wreck
2-4-98	"Albany," steamer … …	460	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Loss of rudder
2-4-98	"Harriet," schooner … …	40	Used as a lighter	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Total wreck
9-4-98	"Gulf of Ancud," steamer …	1,700	General	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Slight fire
17-4-98	"Flinders," steamer … …	278	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Do. grounding
18-5-98	"Herbert," steamer … …	139	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Do. striking
-6-98	"Peninsular," steamer …	3,048	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Loss of a boat
30-6-98	"Lark," schooner … …	197	Ballast	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Stranding
28-7-98	"Gertie," steamer … …	100	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Do.
2-8-98	"Bothwell Castle," steamer …	1,653	General	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Slight fire
25-8-98	"Adelaide," steamer .. …	917	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Broken rudder
29-9-98	"Pilbarra," steamer … …	1,718	Do.	Do	Do.	*Nil*	Main steam pipe burst
20-10-98	"Pilbarra," steamer .. …	1,718	Do.	Do.	Do.	*Nil*	Main steam pipe burst
18-12-98	"Caswell," barque … …	517	Do.	Do.	Do.	Nil	Slight damage to rudder
29-12-98	"Sepia," do. … …	725	Do.	£22,000	Crew, 16	*Nil*	Total wreck

No. 38.—*Wrecks and other Casualties to Shipping within the Jurisdiction of Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889-1898.*

Year.	VESSELS.								Total Tonnage.	Lives Lost.
	Under 50 tons.	50 and under 100 tons.	100 and under 200 tons.	200 and under 300 tons.	300 and under 400 tons.	400 and under 500 tons.	500 tons and upwards.	Total No. of Vessels.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	No.
1888 … … …	1	1	…	1	…	…	3	6	2,981	4
1889 … … …	3	…	1	1	2	1	5	13	5,311	2
1890 … … …	1	3	2	2	2	…	2	12	3,577	1
1891 … … …	2	…	…	…	1	…	2	5	2,448	4
1892 … … …	6	…	…	1	…	…	…	7	363	
1893 … … …	1	…	…	…	…	…	1	2	2,406	3
1894 … … …	3	…	…	…	…	…	…	3	59	
1895 … … …	1	1	…	…	…	…	1	3	2,127	
1896 … … …	1	2	…	…	…	…	1	4	1,211	3
1897 … … …	2	1	1	…	…	…	11	15	14,380	2
1898 … … …	1	2	4	2	…	1	14	24	19,994	

No. 39.—*Transactions under "The Boat Licensing Act" (42 Vict., No. 24), for 1898.*

Locality where Licensed.	Number of Licenses issued during 1898.			Number of Licensed			Inspections and Surveys made.	Suspensions of Licenses.	Amount of Fees received under the Act.
	Masters.	Engine Drivers.	Total.	Steamers.	Other Vessels.	Total.			
									£ s. d.
Fremantle …	18	25	43	33	59	92	125	…	92 0 0

No. 40.—*Jetty and Wharfage Accommodation at the various Ports of the Colony on 31st December, 1898.*

Locality.	Character of Situation.	Nature of Jetty or Wharf.	Total Length from Shore Line. ft.	Head of Jetty.		No. of Berths.		Depth of Water.						Accommodation.	Remarks.
				Length. ft.	Width. ft.	Vessels up to 300ft.	Schooners or Lighters.	High Water.				Low Water. Ordinary Springs.			
								Ordinary Springs.		Neaps.					
								ft.	in.	ft.	in.	ft.	in.		
Wyndham ...	At head of Cambridge Gulf, not exposed to ocean seas	Old timber jetty, with T head	113	43	23	1	...	20	9	12	0	Dry		Goods shed, cattle yards, and race; tramway and receiving shed	Dry at low water; vessels lie aground on mud; ordinary springs rise 23ft. 9in. Superseded by new timber jetty.
Do. ...	Do.	New timber jetty, with T head	230	89½	31	1	...	28	9	20	0	5	0	Do. ...	Do. do. Berthage accommodation available on 31st Dec., 1898, but work not quite completed.
Derby	At head of King Sound, not exposed to ocean seas	Old timber jetty, with T head	330	96	31	1	...	23	6	12	6	Dry		Goods shed, cattle yards, and race and gangway; tramway 3ft. 6in. gauge, with 10 trucks and one passenger car	Dry at low water; vessels lie aground on mud. Springs rise 36ft.
Broome... ...	Protected by entrance point on S.W., thence by land on N. and E. and coast line trending S.S.W. Further partially protected by sand banks 3ft. above low water immediately outside anchorage, and by other banks dry at low water at a distance of 7 or 8 miles S. and S.S.W. of jetty	Timber jetty, with straight head. Designed especially for shipping stock	2,500	340	30	2	...	22	6	12	0	Dry		Tramway, cattle yards, and race, Customs shed; tramway 2ft. gauge and 5 trucks; 2-ton crane on jetty	Dry at low water. Rise of spring tide, 30ft. Vessels lie aground on muddy sand. Completed March, 1898.
Port Hedland ...	Land-locked harbour, perfectly protected from ocean seas	Timber jetty, with L head	480	252	32	1	...	39	0	29	6	16	0	Tramway, 2ft. gauge, and 4 trucks; cattle yards, and race and gangway; two moving dolphins	Rise of spring tide, 23ft.
Balla Balla ...	In creek, sheltered from ocean seas ...	Timber jetty, with T head	157	97	30	...	2	16	0	8	0	2	0	Tramway 2ft. gauge, 4 wool trucks, sheep yards, race, and gangway	Spring tides rise 14ft.

Cossack ...	On Butcher's Inlet or "Cossack Creek" ...	Quay constructed of concrete masonry	...	262	...	...	2	13 0	8 0	Dry	Goods shed, crane, tramway to Roebourne.	
Do. ...	Do.	Stock jetty ...	...	30½	34	...	1	18 6	13 6	4 0	Stockyard and cattle-race	Lighters can lie afloat alongside at low water.
Fortescue ...	In creek, not exposed to seas	Landing stage; stone embankment; timber extension	100 (including embankment).	50	40	...	1	21 0	No record	7 0	Goods shed and sheep-shipping facilities	Completed March, 1898. Spring tides rise 14ft.
									High Water.	Low Water.		Southward of N.W. Cape no true tides exist. Depths at Highest and Lowest water only are given.
Maud's Landing	Well protected by reefs on W. and S., but exposed to N.W. winds	Timber jetty, with straight head	1,500	100	20	...	2	...	15 6	9 6	Wool shed. Tramway (and 4 trucks), terminating with loading platform	
Carnarvon ...	Partially protected by islands, 25 miles distant, running parallel with coast on the W., but open to N.W.	Timber jetty, with straight head	4,580	240	30	2	...	...	22 0	16 6	Tramway, 2ft. gauge	
Do.	Do.	Lighter jetty...	2,880	108	30	...	2	...	19 6	14 0	...	In bad state of repair.
Geraldton ...	Protected from S. and W., but open to N.W.	Timber jetty, with straight head	1,756	1,068	47½	2 2	according to size	...	21 0 17 0	16 0 12 0	Railway and goods sheds. Mooring buoys. 2 hand cranes.	
Dongara ...	Protected on W. by reefs dry at low water, but open to N.W.	Timber jetty with straight head	850½	150	25½	2	...	...	18 0	13 0	Tramway, 3′ 6″ gauge, goods shed; 2-ton crane on jetty and 4 trucks	
Rottnest ...	Sheltered by Rottnest Island	Stone jetty ...	66	...	15	...	1	...	5 0	Dry.	1-ton crane on Jetty	

No. 40.—*Jetty and Wharfage Accommodation to the various Ports of the Colony, on 31st December, 1898*—continued.

Locality.	Character of Situation.	Nature of Jetty or Wharf.	Total Length from Shore Line.	Head of Jetty.		No. of Berths.		Depth of Water.						Accommodation.	Remarks.
				Length.	Width.	Vessels up to 300 ft.	Schooners or Lighters.	Exceptionally High Water Spring Tides.		Ordinary High Water.		Low Water.			
			ft.	ft.	ft.			ft.	in.	ft.	in.	ft.	in.		
Fremantle—Main Jetty ...	Protected by islands and shoals in all directions, except N.W.	Timber jetty, with straight head	3,294	...	48	2	...	23	9	22	0	19	0	Mooring buoys—5 on South side, 2 on North; Railway—3 lines; 4 cranes—1, 35 cwt., 1, 2 tons, 2, 3 tons; ample goods shed accommodation on shore, directly connected by railway and road.	
						2	...	21	9	20	0	17	0		
						2	...	19	9	18	0	15	0		
						2	...	17	9	16	0	13	0		
							8	15	9	14	0	11	0		
							4	10	9	9	0	6	0		
Harbour Master's Jetty	At shore end of Main Jetty, and well protected by same	Timber jetty, with enlarged head	484	54	92	...	3	10	9	9	0	6	0	2 lines rails; 5 derrick cranes—2, 30 cwt., 2, 25 cwt., 1, 20 cwt.; ample goods shed accommodation on shore in direct communication by road and rail.	
				Wharf. Length. ft.	Wharf. Width. ft.										
North Mole Wharf	Protected on the S.W. and W. by islands and shoals, and on the N. and N.W. by mole	Timber wharf	...	1,000	51	1	...	27	3	25	6	22	6	2 lines of rails in connection with goods sheds on shore.	
						1	...	30	9	29	0	26	0		
South Mole Wharf	Protected from W. by islands and shoals; in all other directions by moles	Timber wharf	...	303	46	1	...	22	3	20	6	17	6	1 line of railway connecting with goods shed on shore; 1 mooring buoy.	
South Quay ...	Situated along South bank of Swan River, inner basin of Fremantle Harbour Works	Timber wharf	...	4,575	47	2	...	31	9	30	0	27	0	Connected by railway and road to existing goods sheds; further length of 750 feet in course of construction; further goods sheds and railway connections proposed.	
						3	...	29	9	28	0	25	0		
						4	...	24	9	23	0	20	0		
						4	...	16	9	15	0	12	0		
										High Water.					
Owen's Anchorage	Well protected by islands and banks in all directions	Timber jetty, straight head	771	255	21	2	...	...		18	0	21	0	Tramway, 2ft. gauge; cattle yards	
Bunbury ...	Protected by mole; now in progress ...	Timber jetty, with ⌊ head	2,660	747	36	1	...	...		22	8	18	0	Railways and goods sheds; cranes; mooring buoys	Outer berth completed Feb., 1898; berthage for steamers available only on East side.
						1	...	...		20	8	16	0		
							1	...		16	8	12	0		
							1	...		14	8	10	0		
Busselton ...	Partially protected from South-West by Cape Naturaliste	Timber jetty, with straight head	4,027	260	35½	2	...	...		21	6	18	3	Railway	Total length, including 426ft. of embankment, 4,453 lineal feet.

Quindalup ...	Open to North; water very shallow for some distance outside	Timber jetty, with straight head	633	108	20	...	2	...	7	6	4	3	3 ton crane; tramway, 3ft. 6in. gauge	Completed February, 1898.
Albany—														
Town Jetty ...	Well sheltered in land-locked harbour ...	Timber jetty, ⌣ head	1,558	222	35	2	...	...	22	6	18	0	Goods sheds; tramway, 3ft. 6in. gauge	
Quarantine ...	Well sheltered in land-locked harbour ...	Timber jetty	450	45	13	...	2	...	11	9	7	3	Waiting-room; tramway, 2ft. gauge	Every accommodation for quarantined passengers.
Railway ...	Well sheltered in land-locked harbour ...	Timber & iron, straight head	1,650	676	42	1	...	...	34	6	30	0	Travelling cranes; 4 mooring buoys; railway, 3ft. 6in. gauge	
						1	...	...	28	6	24	0		
						1	...	...	20	6	16	0		
						1	...	...	16	6	12	0		
Harbour Master's and Defence	Well sheltered in land-locked harbour; just inside entrance Inner Harbour on North side	Timber jetty, └ head	337½	15	20	...	2	...	7	6	3	0	Tramway, 2ft. gauge	
Esperance ...	Protected by Dempster Head from South-West, and by islands from other directions except South	Timber jetty, straight head	2,810	330	30	2	...	...	22	0	17	0	Tramway, 3ft. 6in. gauge; large goods shed; mooring buoys	Length given includes recent extension of 2,370 lineal feet.
							2	...	14	0	9	0		
Israelite Bay ...	Partially protected by shoals and weed banks	Timber boat jetty	248	11¼	10¼	...	...	...	9	0	4	0	Boat landing and steps ...	Approach embankment across marsh.
Eucla	Partially protected by banks	Timber jetty, straight head	496	46	24	...	2	...	9	0	5	0	Tramway, 3ft. 6in. gauge; derrick on Head; sheep fencing and gangway	Recently been thoroughly repaired and piles renewed; 1,000 lineal feet of approach road made.

No. 41.—*Description of Lights on Western Australian Coast, 31st December, 1898.*

Name of Light.	Position.	Latitude S. °	Latitude S. ′	Longitude E. °	Longitude E. ′	Colour of Light.	Character of Light.	Period of revolution or of system.	Miles seen in clear weather	General Description of building or vessel.	Height in feet above high water.	Height in feet of building.	Year Established.	Character and order of apparatus, and power in units of 1,000 candle power.	Remarks.
Wyndham Jetty Light	South end of Cambridge Gulf	15	27	128	06	White	Fixed ...	...	4	Wooden gallows on jetty end	15	12	1895	Ordinary Lantern.	
Derby Jetty Light	Head of King Sound	17	16	123	37	White	Fixed ...	...	4	Wooden gallows on jetty end	15	12	1886	Ordinary Lantern.	
Jarman Island Light	Centre of Jarman Island, Port Walcott	20	39	117	13	White	Fixed ...	...	15	Iron tower, painted lower half red, upper half white	97	30	1888	Dioptric, 3rd Order. $2\frac{1}{2}$	
Babbage Island Light	West side of Babbage Island entrance Gascoyne River	24	52	113	39	White	Fixed ...	...	12	Wooden frame tower, square in form, painted white	102	60	1897		
Carnarvon Jetty Light	South of Gascoyne River	24	52	113	39	White	Fixed ...	...	4	Wooden gallows on jetty end	17	12	1886	Ordinary Lantern	Jetty runs into Tagg's Channel.
No. 1 Bluff Leading Light, upper	North part of Champion Bay, about 1 mile Southward of Chapman River	28	45	114	37	White	Fixed ...	...	8	Square white stone tower	65	25	1882	Dioptric Holophote 1	Leading Lights 300yds apart, visible N. 76° E. and S. 76° W. Lights in line E. by N. 1/8 N. lead through the channel N. of Moore Point Reefs.
No. 2 Bluff Leading Light, lower	North part of Champion Bay, near high water mark	28	45	114	37	White	Fixed ...	...	8	Octagonal white stone tower	41	37	1882	Dioptric, 4th Order. $\frac{1}{2}$	
Geraldton North Jetty Light	Near centre of town of Geraldton	28	46	114	36	Green	Fixed ...	...	5	Hoisted to a wrought iron tapered mast, lowered in daytime	30	10	1895	Dioptric, Port Light 5th Order.	
Geraldton South Jetty Light	300 yards South of North Geraldton Jetty	28	46	114	36	Red	Fixed ...	...	5	Wooden gallows on jetty end	25	10	1885	Ordinary Lantern	
No. 1 Point Moore Upper Light	Extreme West end of point Moore, South of Champion Bay	28	47	114	35	White	Revolving, showing single flash every 40sec.	...	18	Round iron tower, painted red and white horizontal bands	110	114 Base to Vane	1878	Revolving Dioptric Light, 2nd Order 20	Visible from seaward between the bearings of N. 25 W. and S. 31 W.
No. 2 Point Moore Lower Light	Same Tower as Upper Light	28	47	114	35	Red in 2 Sectors	Fixed ...	...	8	Round iron tower, painted red and white horizontal bands	90	94	1878	Dioptric, 4th Order vertical prisms $\frac{1}{2}$	Two red sectors are shown from lower light in same building, one visible from Southward between N. 25 W. and N. 2° W. which leads $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles West of African Reef; another from Northward between S. 31° W. and S. 59° W. which leads one cable E. of Inner Knoll Rock.
Dongara Jetty Light	End of Dongara Jetty, Port Irwin	29	17	114	56	Red	Fixed ...	...	3	Wooden gallows on jetty end	18	12	1887	Ordinary Lantern.	
Port Irwin Light	150 yards from Beach	29	17	114	56	White	Fixed ...	...	5	Wooden gallows	61	12	1887	Ordinary Lantern. $\frac{1}{33}$	

Rottnest Light	On a Hill 154 feet high, near middle of Island	32	00	115	31	White	Revolving, showing single flash every 20 sec.	1 complete revolution in 2 min. 40 sec.	23	Round stone tower	264	127 Base to Vane	1896	Revolving Dioptric, 1st Order 45	
Arthur's Head Light	On Arthur's Head, South side of Swan River	32	03	115	44	White	Fixed ...	...	14	Round stone white tower	92	71	1879	Dioptric, 3rd Order. 2	
Fremantle Jetty Light	End of Fremantle Jetty	32	03	115	44	Red	Fixed ...	...	7	Iron skeleton frame	30	20	1893	Dioptric, 6th Order; Oil.	Jetty lighted up with 20 ordinary gas lamps.
Bunbury Light	On summit of Hill 400 yards within Casuarina Point, Koombana Bay	33	19	115	39	White	Fixed ...	...	12	Square wooden tower, painted white	117	30	1870	2 Ordinary Oil Lamps with reflectors. $\frac{1}{11}$	
Bunbury Jetty Lights (two)	End of Jetty, Koombana Bay	33	19	115	39	Red	Fixed ...	...	5	2 wooden gallows, 700 feet apart	25	15	1890	Ordinary Lantern.	Two Red Lights in line lead North of Reef Buoy.
Vasse Light ...	Geographe Bay, 50 yards from inner end of Jetty	33	38	115	21	White	Fixed ...	...	11	Square wooden tower on piles, painted white	63	56	1870	Ordinary Oil Lamps. $\frac{1}{11}$	
Vasse Jetty Light	End of Busselton Jetty, Vasse	33	38	115	21	Red	Fixed ...	...	6	Wooden gallows	25	15	1870	Ordinary Lantern.	
Cape Leeuwin Light	Cape Leeuwin Point	34	22	115	09	White	Revolving, showing a single flash of $\frac{1}{5}$-sec. duration every 5 sec.	1 complete revolution in 10 sec.	20	Round stone tower	185	115	1896	1st Order Lens Light.	*Feu éclair* or Lightning Light; single flash; revolved on mercury.
Breaksea Island Light	1,200 yards from East extreme of Breaksea Island	35	04	118	04	White	Fixed ...	...	25	Ronnd iron tower, painted white	384	43	1858	Dioptric, 3rd Order. 2 Breaksea to be replaced by a 1st Order Fixed Light	Visible from seaward between N.E. ¼ N. and W. by S. ½ S. and is also visible over low neck inside Bald Head on a N.E. bearing. From within the Sound it is visible all round except where obscured by Michaelmas Island. This light is to be improved.
Channel Beacon Lights (four)	Entrance to Princess Royal Harbour	35	02	117	55	Two Red Lights North side of Channel & two White Lights South side of Channel	Fixed ...	...	3 4	Wood pile beacons	14	10	1889	Four Dioptric, Port Lights	Guiding Lights to Inner Harbour.
Albany Town Jetty Lights (two)	...	...		...		Red	Fixed ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Lights kept in line lead up to Town Jetty by Mid-Channel.
Point King Light	On extremity of Point King, North side of Princess Royal Harbour	35	02	117	55	White	Fixed ...	...	12	Wooden tower, square	47	17	1858	Dioptric, 5th Order. $\frac{1}{5}$	
Esperance Jetty Light	...	...		...		Red	Fixed ...	...	5	Wooden gallows on jetty end	20	8ft. 6in.	1898	Ordinary Lantern.	

No. 42.—PILOTAGE DUES, 1898.

(Collected under the provisions of Schedule B of 18 Vict., No. 15.)

Draught of Vessel.	Into Gage Roads or Owen's Anchorage by passage North or South of Rottnest and North of Stragglers, and *vice versa*.	Into Gage Roads or Owen's Anchorage, or Cockburn Sound by any channel South of Stragglers, and *vice versa*.	Into King George Sound from sea, and *vice versa*.*	Into Princess Royal Harbour, including the navigation of the Sound, and *vice versa*.*	Into Oyster Harbour, including the navigation of the Sound, and *vice versa*.*	Into Port Gregory, and *vice versa*.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Under 8 feet … …	2 10 0	3 10 0	…	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 1 0
8 feet and under 9 feet	2 15 0	3 15 0	…	2 5 0	2 5 0	1 4 0
9 ,, 10 ,,	3 0 0	4 0 0	†2 0 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	1 7 0
10 ,, 11 ,,	3 5 0	4 5 0	2 4 0	2 15 0	2 15 0	1 10 0
11 ,, 12 ,,	3 10 0	4 10 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	1 13 0
12 ,, 13 ,,	4 5 0	5 5 0	2 15 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	1 16 0
13 ,, 14 ,,	4 12 0	5 12 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	‡3 10 0	1 19 0
14 ,, 15 ,,	4 19 0	5 19 0	3 5 0	3 15 0	…	‖2 2 0
15 ,, 16 ,,	5 6 0	6 6 0	3 10 0	4 0 0		
16 ,, 17 ,,	6 11 0	7 11 0	3 15 0	4 5 0		
17 ,, 18 ,,	7 0 0	8 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0		
18 ,, 19 ,,	7 9 0	8 9 0	4 5 0	4 15 0		
19 ,, 20 ,,	7 19 0	9 7 0	4 10 0	5 12 0		
20 ,, 21 ,,	9 0 0	10 0 0	4 15 0	5 18 0		
21 ,, 22 ,,	9 10 0	10 10 0	§5 0 0	§6 6 0		
22 ,, 23 ,,	10 0 0	11 0 0				
23 feet and upwards …	11 0 0	12 0 0				

* For moving from one harbour to another in King George Sound one half of the pilotage for the harbour into which the vessel is moved will be charged. † Under 10 feet. ‡ 13 feet and over. § 21 feet and over. ‖ 14 feet and over.

No. 43.—HARBOUR MASTER'S DUES, 1898.

(Collected under the provisions of Schedule A of 18 Vict., No. 15).

Draught of Vessel.	Removal from Gage Roads into Owen's Anchorage or Cockburn Sound, and from Cockburn Sound into Gage Roads or Owen's Anchorage, or from Owen's Anchorage into Cockburn Sound or Gage Roads—across the banks.	Removal from Gage Roads into Cockburn Sound or Owen's Anchorage; or from Owen's Anchorage into Cockburn Sound, and *vice versa* round the Stragglers or through the passages South of the Stragglers.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Under 8 feet … … … … …	2 5 0	3 10 0
8 feet and under 9 feet … … …	2 10 0	3 15 0
9 ,, ,, ,, 10 ,, … … …	2 15 0	4 0 0
10 ,, ,, ,, 11 ,, … … …	3 0 0	4 5 0
11 ,, ,, ,, 12 ,, … … …	3 5 0	4 10 0
12 ,, ,, ,, 13 ,, … … …	4 0 0	5 5 0
13 ,, ,, ,, 14 ,, … … …	4 7 0	5 12 0
14 ,, ,, ,, 15 ,, … … …	4 14 0	5 19 0
15 ,, ,, ,, 16 ,, … … …	5 1 0	6 6 0
16 ,, ,, ,, 17 ,, … … …	6 6 0	7 11 0
17 ,, ,, ,, 18 ,, … … …	6 15 0	8 0 0
18 ,, ,, ,, 19 ,, … … …	*7 4 0	8 9 0
19 ,, ,, ,, 20 ,, … … …	…	9 7 0
20 ,, ,, ,, 21 ,, … … …	…	10 0 0
21 ,, ,, ,, 22 ,, … … ..	…	10 10 0
22 ,, ,, ,, 23 ,, … … …	…	11 0 0
23 feet and upwards … … … …	…	12 0 0

* 18 and upwards.

Dues for shifting Berth in Harbour or Anchorage.

	£ s. d.
Tonnage not exceeding 200 tons … … … … …	1 0 0
,, ,, ,, 400 ,, … … … … …	1 10 0
,, ,, ,, 600 ,, … … … … …	2 0 0
,, ,, ,, 800 ,, … … … … …	2 10 0
,, exceeding 800 ,, … … … … …	3 0 0

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 44.—*Wharfage Dues payable during 1898 by Consignees and Shippers on Goods landed, and shipped at Jetties under the control of the Railway Department.*

Particulars.	Computation of Tonnage.	Charge per ton, including labour in trucking on jetties.	
		s.	d.
Bone Dust (in bags)	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Ballast	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Ballast (stone and sand)	Per ton of 2240lbs.	§ 2	0
Bullion or Specie	Per box	2	0
Bran (in bags)	Per ton of 2000lbs	2	0
Barley (in bags)	Per ton of 11 bags (of 4 bushels)	2	0
Bales (undescribed cargo)	Per ton of 40 cubic feet	2	0
Beef (in tierces)	Per ton of 6 tierces	2	0
Do.	Per ton of 2240lbs.		
Beef (in barrels)	Per ton of 8 barrels	2	0
Do.	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Beer (bottled)	Per ton of 8 cases (of 4 doz.)	2	0
Do.	Per ton of 8 casks (of 4 doz.)	2	0
Do.	Per ton of 10 cases (of 3 doz.)	2	0
Do.	Per ton of 10 casks (of 3 doz.	2	0
Beer (in barrels)	Per ton of 6 barrels	2	0
Beer (in hhds.)	Per ton of 4 hhds.	2	0
Cases (undescribed cargo)	Per ton of 40 cubic feet	2	0
Coal	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Chaff (in bales)	Per ton of 4 bales	2	0
Chaff in (bales or bags)	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Chairs (cane)	Each	0	3
*Explosives	Per ton of 2240lbs.	5	0
Do. minimum charge	Per consignment	2	6
Flour (in bags)	Per ton of 2000lbs	2	0
Flour (in barrels	Per ton of 8 barrels	2	0
Hay (in pressed bales)	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Hides (loose or in bags)	Each	0	1
Hogsheads (empty)	Each	0	3
Ironware (not in cases)	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Lead Ore	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Lime (in bags)	Per ton of 10 bags	2	0
Live Stock—			
Cattle	Each	0	9
Horses	Each	0	9
Sheep	Each	0	0½
Pigs	Each	0	1
Dogs	Each	0	1
Lounges (cane)	Each	0	6
Maize (in bags)	Per ton of 10 bags	2	0
Oats (in bags)	Per ton of 13 bags (of 4 bushels	2	0
Potatoes (in bags)	Per ton of 2240lbs.	2	0
Pollard (in bags)	Per ton of 12 bags	2	0
Pork (in barrels)	Per ton of 8 barrels	2	0
Pork (in tierces)	Per ton of six tierces	2	0
Salt	Per ton of 2240lbs	2	0
Sandalwood	Per ton of 2240lbs	2	0
Sandalwood, if loaded and discharged by shippers	Per ton of 2240lbs	1	0
Timber	Per ton of 40 cubic feet	2	0
Timber, if loaded and discharged by shippers	Per ton of 40 cubic feet	1	0
Tin ore	Per ton of 2240lbs	2	0
Vehicles—			
Carriages	Each	6	0
Buggies and Dog-carts	Each	4	0
Two-wheeled Vehicles	Each	4	0
Drays (two-wheeled)	Each	4	0
Drays (four-wheeled	Each	6	0
Wheat (in bags)	Per ton of 10 bags	2	0
Wines and Spirits (in ¼-casks)	Per ton of 8 ¼-casks	2	0
Wool (in bales)	Per ton of 5 bales	2	0
Minimum charge	Per consignment	0	6
All goods not enumerated in the foregoing scale	Per ton of 40 cubic feet or dead weight of 2240lbs. at the Pier Master's option	2	0

* Except at Owen's Anchorage Jetty, where the Wharfage dues charged for Explosives during 1898 were 2s. 6d. per ton of 2,240lbs.
§ At Albany Town Jetty.

No. 45.—*Light Dues, 1898.*

Light Dues are charged at all Ports in Western Australia, where lights are provided, at a rate of *2d. per ton, inwards and outwards, on the registered tonnage of each vessel.*

ANNUAL PAYMENTS OF LIGHT DUES FOR VESSELS *bonâ fide* ENGAGED IN THE COASTING TRADE OF THE COLONY.

Registered Tonnage.	Annual Light Dues.		
	£	s.	d.
Under 10 tons	1	0	0
10 tons and under 20	1	10	0
20 ,, ,, ,, 30	2	0	0
30 ,, ,, ,, 40	2	10	0
40 ,, ,, ,, 50	3	0	0
50 and upwards	5	0	0

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 46.—*Approximate Distances from Fremantle and Albany by Sea of Principal Places on the Coast of Western Australia and of Intercolonial and Foreign Ports.*

	From Fremantle.	From Albany.
	Nautical miles.	Nautical miles.
WESTERN AUSTRALIA:		
Wyndham	1,956	2,299
Derby	1,456	1,799
Broome	1,256	1,599
Shellborough	1,076	1,749
Port Hedland	986	1,420
Cossack	926	1,360
Onslow	754	1,097
Gladstone	489	832
Carnarvon	484	827
Sharks Bay	414	757
Port Gregory	254	597
Champion Bay	214	557
Dongara	160	503
Fremantle	...	343
Rockingham	16	340
Mandurah	30	310
Bunbury	86	257
Vasse	114	229
Port Hamelin	173	180
Breaksea Island	335	8
Albany	343	
Bremer Bay	428	85
Fanny's Cove	509	174
Esperance	553	210
Israelite Bay	653	310
Eyre	808	473
Eucla	918	575
SOUTH AUSTRALIA:		
Semaphore	1,363	1,020
Cape Borda	1,253	910
Port Pirie	1,408	1,065
Port Augusta	1,428	1,085
Port Darwin	2,241	2,584
TASMANIA:		
Hobart	1,863	1,520
Launceston	1,758	1,415
VICTORIA:		
Gabo Island	1,943	1,600
Wilson's Promontory	1,753	1,410
Port Phillip Heads	1,651	1,308
Melbourne	1,693	1,350
Cape Otway	1,587	1,244
NEW SOUTH WALES:		
Cape Howe	1,948	1,605
Twofold Bay	2,013	1,670
Moruya	2,046	1,703
Bateman's Bay	2,075	1,732
Shoalhaven	2,113	1,770
Kiama	2,128	1,785
Wollongong	2,142	1,799
Bulli	2,153	1,810
Botany Bay	2,168	1,825
Sydney Heads	2,153	1,810
Sydney	2,161	1,818
Richmond River Heads	2,473	2,130
Clarence do. do.	2,357	2,014
Macleay do. do.	2,267	1,924
Manning do. do.	2,287	1,944
Newcastle do. do.	2,213	1,870
QUEENSLAND:		
Brisbane	2,618	2,275
Maryborough	2,743	2,400
Bundaberg	2,835	2,492
QUEENSLAND—(*continued*):		
Gladstone	2,935	2,592
Rockhampton	3,035	2,692
Mackay	3,118	2,775
Bowen	3 223	2,880
Townsville	3,326	2,983
Cairns	3,486	3,143
Port Douglas	3,521	3,178
Cooktown	3,586	3,243
Thursday Island	3,986	3,643
Normanton	4,486	4,143
Burketown	4,624	4,281
NEW ZEALAND:		
Auckland	3,068	2,725
Napier	3,173	2,830
Wellington	3,013	2,670
Nelson	3,010	2,667
Dunedin	2,968	2,625
SOUTH SEA ISLAND PORTS:		
Lord Howe Island	2,538	2,195
Norfolk Island	2,953	2,610
Suva (Fiji Islands)	3,753	3,410
Noumea (New Caledonia)	3,198	2,855
Havana (New Hebrides)	3,538	3,195
Tongatabu (Tonga)	3,953	3,610
Apia (Samoa)	4,345	4,002
Port Moresby (New Guinea)	3,966	3,623
Honolulu	7,513	6,170
BRITISH AND FOREIGN PORTS:		
Via P. & O. and Orient Line routes.		
Colombo	3,115	3,458
Madras	3,932	4,275
Bombay	5,589	5,932
Calcutta	5,647	5,990
Aden	5,624	5,464
Suez	6,429	6,772
Brindisi	7,465	7,808
Naples	7,627	7,970
Malta	7,825	8,168
Gibraltar	8,806	9,149
Plymouth	9,651	9,994
Southampton	9,766	10,109
London	9,945	10,288
Via Cape of Good Hope.		
Cape Town	4,843	4,993
Madeira	8,454	8,604
London	11,335	11,485
Antwerp (Belgium)	11,495	11,645
Bremen } Germany	11,735	11,885
Hamburg }	11,775	11,925
Marseilles } France	9,699	9,849
Dunkirk }	9,842	9,992
New York } U.S.A.	11,789	11,939
San Francisco }	8,503	8,160
Buenos Ayres (Argentine)	8,518	8,668
Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)	8,128	8,278
Via Colombo.		
Singapore	4,899	5,049
Hong Kong } China	6,336	6,486
Shanghai }	7,206	7,356
Nagaski } Japan	7,403	7,553
Yokohama }	8,138	8,288

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

No. 47.—*Approximate Passenger Fares by the Intercolonial Steamers from Fremantle and Albany to specified Australasian and South Sea Island Ports during 1898.*

(Compiled from figures kindly supplied by Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, 269 Collins Street, Melbourne.)

TO	FROM FREMANTLE.				FROM ALBANY.			
	FIRST CLASS.		STEERAGE.		FIRST CLASS.		STEERAGE.	
	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.
*NEW SOUTH WALES PORTS—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sydney	8 0 0	12 0 0	4 5 0	...	6 0 0	9 0 0	3 5 0	
Bateman's Bay	9 0 0	13 10 0	4 15 0	...	7 0 0	10 10 0	3 15 0	
Bellinger	9 15 0	14 15 0	5 5 0	...	7 15 0	11 15 0	4 5 0	
Byron Bay...	9 10 0	14 15 0	5 5 0	...	7 10 0	11 15 0	4 5 0	
Clarence River	9 10 0	14 10 0	5 0 0	...	7 10 0	11 10 0	4 0 0	
Eden	9 10 0	14 5 0	5 0 0	...	7 10 0	11 15 0	4 0 0	
Macleay River	9 10 0	14 5 0	5 0 0	...	7 10 0	11 5 0	4 0 0	
Manning River	9 5 0	14 0 0	5 0 0	...	7 5 0	11 0 0	4 0 0	
Nambucca River	9 10 0	14 10 0	5 0 6	...	7 10 0	11 10 0	4 0 0	
Newcastle	8 4 0	12 6 0	4 7 0	...	6 4 0	9 6 0	3 7 0	
Port Macquarie	9 10 0	14 5 0	5 0 0	...	7 10 0	11 5 0	4 0 0	
Richmond River	9 10 0	14 10 0	5 0 0	...	7 10 0	11 10 0	4 0 0	
Ulladulla	8 15 0	13 2 6	4 15 0	...	6 15 0	10 2 6	3 15 0	
Wollongong	8 4 0	...	4 7 6	...	6 4 0	...	4 7 6	
* *Via* Sydney.								
†VICTORIAN PORTS—								
Melbourne	7 0 0	10 0 0	2 10 0	...	6 0 0	9 0 0	2 0 0	
Belfast	7 17 6	11 5 0	2 17 6	...	6 17 6	9 15 0	2 7 6	
Bairnsdale	7 15 0	11 10 0	2 17 6	...	6 15 0	9 15 0	2 2 6	
Geelong	7 2 6	10 3 0	2 12 6	...	6 2 6	9 5 0	2 2 6	
Portland	7 17 6	11 5 0	3 2 6	...	6 17 6	9 15 0	2 12 6	
Prot Albert	7 10 0	11 0 0	3 2 6	...	6 10 0	9 15 0	2 10 0	
Warrnambool	7 17 6	11 5 0	3 2 6	...	6 17 6	9 15 0	2 7 6	
† *Via* Melbourne.								
*QUEENSLAND PORTS—								
Brisbane	11 0 0	17 0 0	5 5 0	...	9 0 0	14 0 0	4 5 0	
Burketown	23 5 0	37 0 0	11 10 0	...	21 5 0	34 0 0	10 10 0	
Bowen	16 0 0	26 0 0	8 5 0	...	14 0 0	23 0 0	7 5 0	
Bundaberg	12 10 0	19 10 0	6 0 0	...	10 10 0	16 10 0	5 0 0	
Cairns	16 10 0	26 0 0	8 15 0	...	14 10 0	23 0 0	7 15 0	
Cooktown	17 10 0	28 0 0	9 5 0	...	15 10 0	25 0 0	8 5 0	
Mackay	15 0 0	23 10 0	7 15 0	...	13 0 0	20 10 0	6 15 0	
Maryborough	12 0 0	18 10 0	5 15 0	...	10 0 0	15 10 0	4 15 0	
Mourilyan Harbour ...	16 10 0	26 0 0	8 15 0	...	14 10 0	23 0 0	7 15 0	
Normanton	21 10 0	33 5 0	11 0 0	...	19 10 0	30 5 0	10 0 0	
Rockhampton	14 0 0	23 0 0	7 0 0	...	12 0 0	20 0 0	6 0 0	
Townsville	16 0 0	26 0 0	8 5 0	...	14 0 0	23 0 0	7 5 0	
Thursday Island	20 15 0	31 0 0	10 10 0	...	18 15 0	27 0 0	9 10 0	
* *Via* Sydney.								
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN PORTS—								
Adelaide	5 0 0	9 0 0	1 10 0	...	5 0 0	9 0 0	1 10 0	
*Port Darwin	26 0 0	45 10 0	13 5 0	25 5 0	24 0 0	42 10 0	12 5 0	
* *Via* Sydney.								
‡TASMANIAN PORTS—								
Hobart	9 5 0	12 10 0	3 10 0	...	8 15 0	12 10 0	3 0 0	
Launceston	8 10 0	11 10 0	3 10 0	...	8 0 0	11 10 0	3 10 0	
‡ *Via* Melbourne.								
NEW ZEALAND PORTS—								
† Bluff	12 10 0	18 15 0	6 0 0	10 5 0	12 0 0	17 15 0	5 10 0	9 5 0
† Dunedin	13 0 0	19 15 0	6 5 0	10 10 0	12 10 0	18 15 0	5 15 0	9 10 0
† Lyttleton	13 10 0	20 10 0	6 10 0	11 0 0	13 0 0	19 10 0	6 0 0	10 0 0
‡ Napier	14 10 0	22 10 0	7 10 0	13 10 0	14 0 0	21 10 0	7 0 0	12 10 0
* Auckland	13 0 0	16 0 0	6 15 0	12 10 0	12 10 0	15 0 0	6 5 0	11 10 0
* Wellington	13 0 0	16 0 0	6 15 0	12 10 0	12 10 0	15 0 0	6 5 0	11 10 0
* *Via* Sydney. † *Via* Melbourne. ‡ *Via* Sydney and Auckland.								
*SOUTH SEA ISLANDS—								
Suva and Levuka (Fiji) ...	18 0 0	27 0 0	10 5 0	...	16 0 0	24 0 0	9 5 0	
Havana (N.H.)	18 10 0	27 0 0	9 5 0	...	16 10 0	24 0 0	8 5 0	
Noumea	15 0 0	...	8 5 0	...	13 0 0	...	8 0 0	
Apia (Samoa)	23 0 0	37 0 0	13 5 0	...	21 0 0	34 0 0	12 5 0	
Tongatabu (Tonga) ...	25 0 0	40 0 0	15 10 0	...	23 0 0	37 0 0	14 5 0	
* *Via* Sydney.								

No. 48.—*Approximate Passenger Fares from Fremantle and Albany to specified Foreign Ports during 1898.*

(Compiled from figures kindly supplied by Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, 269 Collins Street, Melbourne.)

TO	FROM FREMANTLE.						FROM ALBANY.					
	FIRST CLASS.		SECOND CLASS.		STEERAGE.		FIRST CLASS.		SECOND CLASS.		STEERAGE.	
	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.	Single.	Return.
EUROPEAN PORTS—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Antwerp	57 0 0	100 0 0	32 0 0	55 0 0	14 0 0	24 10 0	57 0 0	95 0 0	32 0 0	55 0 0	14 0 0	24 10 0
Bremen	57 0 0	100 0 0	32 0 0	55 0 0	14 0 0	24 10 0	57 0 0	95 0 0	32 0 0	55 0 0	14 0 0	24 10 0
Brindisi	67 0 0	103 0 0	...	...	...	...	65 0 0	100 0 0				
Genoa	52 0 0	90 0 0	29 0 0	50 0 0	13 10 0	23 12 6	50 0 0	90 0 0	29 0 0	50 0 0	13 10 0	23 12 6
London	72 0 0	113 0 0	41 0 0	67 0 0	16 5 0	30 7 0	70 0 0	100 0 0	40 0 0	65 0 0	15 5 0	28 7 0
Marseilles	67 0 0	103 0 0	38 0 0	68 0 0	21 0 0	38 0 0	65 0 0	100 0 0	40 0 0	68 0 0	20 0 0	36 0 0
Naples	67 0 0	103 0 0	38 0 0	62 0 0	15 14 0	...	65 0 0	100 0 0	37 0 0	60 0 0	14 14 0	
Southampton	57 0 0	100 0 0	32 0 0	55 0 0	14 0 0	24 10 0	57 0 0	100 0 0	32 0 0	55 0 0	14 0 0	24 10 0
Venice	67 0 0	103 0 0	...	...	...	...	65 0 0	100 0 0				
EASTERN PORTS—												
Aden	43 0 0	63 0 0	27 0 0	41 0 0	...	...	40 0 0	60 0 0	33 0 0	49 10 0		
Bombay	37 0 0	55 10 0	22 0 0	36 0 0	...	...	35 0 0	52 10 0	20 0 0	33 0 0		
*Calcutta	25 10 0	...	16 0 0	...	...	...	27 10 0	...	17 0 0			
Colombo	27 0 0	41 0 0	20 0 0	32 0 0	...	...	25 0 0	38 0 0	19 0 0	30 0 0	10 0 0	
*Hong Kong	25 0 0	...	17 0 0	...	...	...	27 0 0	...	18 0 0			
*Java (Batavia) ...	23 10 0	...	15 0 0	...	...	...	25 10 0	...	16 0 0			
*Penang	20 0 0	...	13 10 0	...	...	...	22 0 0	...	14 10 0			
Singapore	17 10 0	31 10 0	12 0 0	21 12 0	...	...	19 10 0	34 10 0	13 0 0	23 12 0		
Port Said	65 0 0	97 0 0	37 0 0	56 0 0	15 15 0	...	63 0 0	94 0 0	36 0 0	54 0 0	14 14 0	
Suez	65 0 0	97 0 0	37 0 0	56 0 0	15 15 0	...	63 0 0	94 0 0	36 0 0	54 0 0	14 14 0	
*Yokohama	30 10 0	...	20 0 0	...	...	...	32 10 0	...	21 0 0			
* *Via* Singapore.												
AMERICAN PORTS—												
†San Francisco ...	48 0 0	72 0 0	...	...	20 5 0	38 10 0	46 0 0	69 0 0	...	...	19 5 0	36 10 0
†New York	58 2 0	104 4 0	...	...	32 12 0	65 0 0	56 2 0	101 4 0	...	...	31 12 0	63 0 0
†Victoria (Vancouver)	48 0 0	72 0 0	...	...	20 5 0	...	46 0 0	69 0 0	...	...	19 5 0	
† *Via* Sydney.												

III.—POST, TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES, MONEY ORDERS, AND SAVINGS BANK.

(a.) POSTAL RETURNS.

No. 49.—*Postal Return for each of the Eight Years, 1889 to 1896.*

Year.	Post Offices.	LETTERS received and forwarded.					NEWSPAPERS received and forwarded.				PACKETS received and forwarded.				POST CARDS.	Total Letters, Newspapers, Packets, and Post Cards received and forwarded.
		Inland.	Registered.	Foreign.	For transmission out of Colony.	Total.	Inland.	Foreign.	For transmission out of Colony.	Total.	Inland.	Foreign.	For transmission out of Colony.	Total.	Received and forwarded.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1889	82	1,930,045	40,591	455,441	351,548	2,777,625	977,498	109,029	306,298	1,392.825	155,414	14,135	78,132	247,681	71,698	4,489,829
1890	82	2,013,785	53.526	672,868	373,263	3,113,442	1,069,882	264,568	801,456	2,135,906	189,023	23,385	117,463	329,871	62,209	5,641,428
1891	86	2,863.729	73,533	917,526	574,976	4,429,764	1,439,413	625,640	911,842	2,976,895	289,589	106,559	152,304	548,452	69,438	8,024,549
1892	92	3,315,065	92,307	1,566,027	873,010	5,846,409	1,495,295	2,710,034	487,227	4,692,556	307,069	706,666	77,515	1,091,250	117,883	11,748,098
1893	100	3,825,418	145,701	1,880,850	1,164,626	7,016,595	1,858,303	3,622,748	520,895	6,001,946	393,578	910,063	97,565	1,401,146	132,019	14,551,706
1894	111	5,543,770	195,791	3.039,408	2,260,022	11,038,991	4,164,497	3,909,918	1,301,174	9,375,589	888,195	897,478	1,357,335	3,143,008	525,706	24,083,294
1895	121	8,412,527	273,615	5,757,777	3,441,048	17,884,967	4,170,494	9,870,059	3,955,834	17,996,387	1,014,801	2,132,890	931,677	4,079,368	256,600	40,217,322
1896	150	11,806,491	674,027	8,305,003	6,821,894	27,607,415	4,886,481	7,678,232	4,494,843	17,059,556	1,517,855	1,676,897	1,273,062	4,467,814	292,836	49,427,621

NOTE.—The figures relating to the years 1897 and 1898, given in the following table, represent the actual numbers of Letters, Newspapers, Packets, and Post Cards posted, each counted *once only*, whereas in the returns, relating to the years 1889 to 1896 inclusive, each Letter, Paper, Packet, and Post Card was counted once for every Office through which it passed.

No. 50.—*Letters, Post Cards, Packets, Parcels, and Newspapers posted and received in the Colony, 1897 and 1898, each Letter, etc., counted once only.*

YEAR.	Post Offices.	LETTERS.												POST CARDS.			
		ORDINARY.				REGISTERED.				TOTAL LETTERS.							
		Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1897	178	6,146,729	3,571,376	2,667,137	12,385,242	145,740	153,427	34,448	333,615	6,292,469	3,724,803	2,701,585	12,718,857	176,753	37,390	*	214,143
1898	171	6,643,490	3,691,168	2,489,764	12,824,422	147,427	127,814	33,325	308,566	6,790,917	3,818,982	2,523,089	13,132,988	233,545	33,167	30,000	296,712

YEAR.	PACKETS.				PARCELS.				NEWSPAPERS.				GRAND TOTAL POSTAL MATTER.			
	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Total.	Inland (posted).	Posted for places beyond the Colony.	Received from places beyond the Colony.	Grand Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1897	2,165,999	1,312,866	473,160	3,952,025	*Nil*	7,690	25,070	32,760	2,050,778	1,530,572	3,163,186	6,744,536	10,685,999	6,613,321	6,363,001	23,662,321
1898	1,750,691	914,574	564,841	3,230,106	*Nil*	7,921	23,409	31,330	2,502,991	1,784,087	3,103,216	7,390,294	11,278,144	6,558,731	6,244,555	24,081,430

* During the year 1897, the number of Post Cards received from places beyond the Colony were not separated, but were included under other heads, principally under "Newspapers."

(*b.*) TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES.

No. 51.—*Telegrams and Cables sent and received in the Colony during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Telegraph Stations.	Miles of		Telegrams and Cables sent and received.									
		Line.	Wire.	Telegrams.						Cables.			Total Telegrams and Cables.
				Inland (sent).			Intercolonial.			Sent.	Received.	Total.	
				Private.	Official.	Total.	Sent.	Received.	Total.				
	No.	Miles.	Miles.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1889	42	2,961	3,546	96,820	58,750	155,570	21,908	18,364	40,272	1,035	710	1,745	197,587
1890	42	2,961	3,546	98,4 0	56,987	155,437	20,713	18,166	38,879	1,214	1,606	2,220	196,536
1891	42	2,961	3,546	100,892	55,062	155,954	41,720	23,820	65,540	1,466	1,430	2,896	224,390
1892	48	3,388	4,013	132,140	58,268	190,408	32,304	25,937	58,241	2,105	1,356	3,461	252,110
1893	60	3,678	4,303	151,579	62,875	214,454	35,205	28,193	63,398	2,901	2,839	5,740	283,592
1894	73	4,403	4,939	232,599	68,337	300,936	77,459	62 633	140,092	3,764	1,988	5,752	446,780
1895	88	4,577	5,670	399,524	63,232	462,756	126,451	105,635	232,086	14,402	11,748	26,150	720,992
1896	111	5,430	6,948	693,953	82,144	776,097	199,664	162,871	362,535	21,739	18,035	39,774	1,178,406
1897	142	5,845	8,111	745,328	123,941	869,269	219,454	182,139	401,593	18,558	16,583	35,141	1,306,003
1898	147	5,886	8,660	723,563	115,727	839,290	167,650	140,105	307,755	17,236	14,647	31,883	1,178,928

No. 52—*Telephones.—Return for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Subscribers.			Mileage of Wire.
	Private.	Government Departments.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	Miles.
1889	75	22	97	80
1890	81	25	106	125
1891	136	31	167	199
1892	149	61	210	250
1893	157	77	234	329
1894	225	94	319	387
1895	373	121	494	462
1896	749	193	942	577
1897	1,345	244	1,589	1,527
1898	1,586	329	1,915	2,099

(c.) Money Order Office.

No. 53.—*Number and amount of Money Orders (inclusive of Telegraphic Money Orders) issued during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898, distinguishing Country or Colony where payable.*

Where Payable.	1889.				1890.				1891.				1892.				1893.			
	No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
United Kingdom ...	1,779	7,930	7	8	1,935	8,283	5	3	2,295	14,473	1	0	2,028	13,007	10	4	3,808	15,722	13	6
Western Australia ...	1,964	4,794	0	6	2,103	4,849	19	6	2,665	6,949	6	4	3,809	9,576	2	2	6,201	17,346	18	6
South Australia ...	699	3,777	9	6	751	3,374	9	1	1,115	4,576	0	6	2,362	6,480	9	11	2,906	9,457	4	2
Victoria	987	3,736	13	8	949	3,813	10	11	1,788	7,119	10	2	3,104	13,640	2	4	5,387	19,279	9	1
New South Wales ...	766	1,970	12	8	878	2,606	8	6	2,315	5,849	11	9	2,486	8,167	8	9	3,253	10,216	3	5
Queensland	48	366	8	11	31	110	6	9	117	457	11	0	301	1,354	2	3	1,385	3,136	12	10
Tasmania	16	63	1	0	18	99	17	6	41	246	2	1	50	325	3	0	244	867	0	7
New Zealand	45	217	13	7	54	252	12	10	108	398	6	10	241	931	3	7	385	1,474	3	2
India	185	1,886	18	6	138	1,197	1	0	181	1,509	17	9	233	2,254	1	6	121	1,223	14	8
Hong Kong	7	50	0	0	5	25	12	0	18	79	2	0	35	208	5	0	141	954	10	0
Cape of Good Hope ...	18	125	0	0	19	149	5	0	...	...			1	5	0	0	3	5	0	0
Singapore	6	47	0	0	13	126	0	0	91	611	11	0	47	450	0	10	51	360	12	3
Ceylon	36	162	19	10	19	108	0	0	27	141	6	0	42	172	4	11	32	118	16	9
Mauritius	1	1	3	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	5	23	3	0
Germany	...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...		
Total	6,557	25,129	8	10	6,914	24,997	9	4	10,762	42,412	6	5	14,740	56,573	14	7	23,922	80,186	1	11

Where Payable.	1894.				1895.				1896.				1897.				1898.			
	No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
United Kingdom ...	4,590	19,623	13	7	6,514	26,656	0	0	11,206	41,447	7	7	14,500	85,234	12	6	14,880	64,684	16	3
Western Australia ...	9,448	27,063	0	3	15,512	47,382	4	5	30,497	116,876	7	2	46,506	173,077	15	6	67,439	253,996	5	11
South Australia ...	4,025	18,622	4	0	8,165	41,921	16	7	23,051	103,407	2	7	27,819	138,478	4	10	22,821	100,471	12	11
Victoria	9,557	38,604	10	10	22,603	93,929	0	10	74,202	340,824	0	3	99,559	411,733	14	6	72,261	289,363	17	2
New South Wales ...	4,055	17,747	17	11	8,975	41,573	2	4	33,819	172,825	6	9	35,152	175,771	9	1	28,152	119,994	6	5
Queensland	3,311	6,222	11	1	7,520	14,708	13	2	3,626	19,835	19	5	5,202	26,462	15	0	2,989	15,714	10	4
Tasmania	527	1,838	7	9	825	3,190	15	2	17,022	40,006	8	10	20,320	30,927	5	4	20,126	27,705	4	4
New Zealand	527	1,607	5	11	1,070	5,267	13	11	1,584	8,844	2	9	1,692	8,294	3	4	1,502	7,391	13	10
India	131	856	15	1	493	6,310	7	6	520	4,763	16	0	697	6,777	12	6	621	6,133	16	10
Hong Kong																				
Cape of Good Hope ...	6	27	1	6	17	92	11	9	...	...			47	336	10	3	56	335	0	0
Singapore	27	97	12	0	55	370	6	7	41	299	13	4	49	357	10	5	63	358	10	6
Ceylon	33	221	14	9	33	169	13	9	65	351	3	0	58	245	3	3	60	241	6	1
Mauritius					...	...			...	...			...	...			4	7	0	0
Germany	...	...			...	...			...	...			557	1,832	2	2	413	1,991	2	8
Total	36,237	132,532	14	8	71,782	281,572	6	0	195,633	849,481	7	8	252,158	1,059,528	18	8	231,387	883,389	3	3

(*See* footnote on page 129.)

No. 54.—*Number and amount of Money Orders (inclusive of Telegraphic Money Orders) paid in Western Australia during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898, distinguishing Country or Colony where issued.*

Where Issued.	1889.				1890.				1891.				1892.				1893.			
	No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
United Kingdom ...	403	1,597	19	6	418	1,568	12	8	606	2,090	8	4	793	2,204	16	5	916	3,971	4	0
Western Australia ...	1,969	4,741	5	3	2,108	4,895	11	6	2,675	7,368	19	2	3,708	9,665	3	4	6,099	16,825	5	2
South Australia ...	195	905	6	6	203	940	16	9	332	1,600	3	2	521	1,833	0	2	449	2,684	6	6
Victoria	371	1,617	13	9	453	1,939	15	7	697	3,493	6	6	1,002	4,991	18	8	1,171	7,348	15	1
New South Wales ...	184	912	3	11	238	1,026	1	2	378	1,669	10	3	583	1,928	3	6	540	3,821	17	10
Queensland	46	297	12	9	83	390	5	7	124	695	8	4	111	509	6	1	160	1,035	10	4
Tasmania	7	20	7	4	21	120	18	7	25	117	10	8	48	192	9	10	74	398	12	4
New Zealand	28	107	15	0	35	148	15	8	94	343	17	5	152	611	12	7	141	639	13	9
India	13	186	0	0	5	19	12	11	5	5	13	5	9	37	5	3	16	60	12	5
Hong Kong	...	...			7	49	17	10	1	0	10	0	1	0	10	0	1	0	7	4
Cape of Good Hope ...	2	7	10	0	1	0	3	0	...	...			2	13	0	0	9	57	0	0
Singapore	9	17	0	3	3	13	3	6	10	82	4	0	11	86	0	10	4	12	10	0
Ceylon	...	...			...	...			3	0	16	0	3	0	5	2	5	17	10	8
Mauritius	...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...		
Germany	...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...		
Fiji		...			...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...		
Total	3,227	10,410	14	3	3,575	11,113	14	9	4,950	17,468	7	3	6,944	22,073	11	10	9,585	36,873	5	5

Where Issued.	1894.				1895.				1896.				1897.				1898.			
	No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
United Kingdom ...	1,092	3,855	0	5	2,362	4,513	3	7	1,745	6,178	6	4	2,060	7,569	11	7	1,302	8,478	4	8
Western Australia ...	9,460	27,289	7	1	15,419	46,772	10	9	30,064	108,001	9	10	45,994	174,954	9	1	67,404	253,558	8	11
South Australia ...	945	5,549	14	9	1,523	10,372	13	2	2,214	13,328	0	8	2,600	12,908	18	0	2,832	12,742	3	6
Victoria	1,960	13,361	2	10	2,606	18,910	16	5	4,125	25,500	18	5	5,440	27,831	15	1	3,962	26,542	13	1
New South Wales ...	1,241	9,816	3	2	1,492	11,540	16	6	2,708	19,316	19	4	3,029	17,168	7	2	3,578	20,111	16	3
Queensland	299	2,511	16	5	337	2,561	2	5	448	3,380	15	8	506	3,016	18	7	610	4,200	18	4
Tasmania	98	611	11	3	129	675	11	1	175	844	10	4	255	1,348	4	4	310	1,601	12	2
New Zealand	188	935	3	6	312	1,557	2	7	282	1,304	8	6	391	1,767	3	8	570	2,462	2	5
India	27	185	1	4	32	201	7	0	30	171	10	10	23	260	3	5	31	129	1	6
Hong Kong	...	...			...	...														
Cape of Good Hope ...	18	111	9	0	13	76	16	0	23	101	2	10	46	290	1	6	89	362	0	9
Singapore	9	27	12	4	26	172	7	0	13	49	19	0	31	95	11	9	28	97	4	0
Ceylon	5	3	4	6	4	3	17	8	12	53	11	2	21	43	19	0	12	39	18	0
Mauritius	...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...			11	20	0	0
Germany	...	...			...	...			...	...			32	135	15	6	43	247	19	7
Fiji	...	...			...	...			...	...			...	...			2	3	5	0
Total	15,342	64,257	6	7	24,255	97,358	4	2	41,839	178,231	12	11	60,428	247,390	18	8	80,784	330,597	8	2

(*See* footnote on page 129.)

(c.) MONEY ORDER OFFICE.

No. 55.—*Number and Value of Postal Notes sold in the Colony during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Number and Value of Postal Notes sold.							Total Amount.		
	1s.	1s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	5s.	7s. 6d.	10s.	Total Number.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	s.	d.
1889	267	223	234	318	127	362	1,531	367	9	0
1890	384	301	264	418	169	385	1,921	435	3	0
1891	421	252	282	414	170	466	2,005	475	9	0
1892	388	270	232	466	137	496	1,989	484	10	6
1893	452	377	339	725	243	824	2,960	777	12	6
1894	783	611	522	929	333	1,157	4,335	1,085	17	0
1895	862	812	580	1,213	376	1,347	5,190	1,294	5	0
1896	1,212	977	833	1,441	432	2,139	7,034	1,829	15	0
1897	2,237	1,929	1,825	3,167	1,098	4,053	14,309	3,714	13	0
1898	3,737	2,864	2,466	5,661	1,713	7,056	23,497	6,295	10	6

No. 56.—*Number and declared Value of Parcels and Packets received in and despatched from the Colony during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Packets and Parcels received.		Packets and Parcels despatched.	
	Number.	Declared Value.	Number.	Declared Value.
		£		£
1889	2,441	3,177	460	454
1890	3,122	4,434	460	433
1891	4,751	6,763	644	661
1892	5,280	9,596	808	742
1893	4,887	9,105	1,164	903
1894	6,732	11,778	1,315	1,405
1895	12,123	18,999	2,056	1,399
1896	19,596	40,353	4,348	3,836
1897	25,062	46,119	7,779	4,867
1898	24,235	41,961	7,921	5,074

(d.) POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

No. 57.—*Details of Revenue of Postal and Telegraph Department of the Colony for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.* †

Particulars.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895-	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Telegrams	10,037	10,328	12,679	13,787	16,388	25,936	61,673	99,088	98,696	77,801
Telephone Receipts	*	807	1,084	1,210	1,967	2,533	3,853	6,264	11,886	18,490
Postage Stamps Sale... ...	10,842	12,102	13,549	15,629	17,780	26,483	38,482	68,669	84,348	83,633
Postage of Official Correspondence, etc.	1,822	2,614	3,078	3,754	3,834	3,919	5,145	5,543	9,635	7,699
Post Cards	157	180	181	214	232	376	478	717	991	958
Money Order Commission ...	293	317	446	612	797	1,298	2,337	5,915	13,488	12,821
Parcel Post Postage	200	213	232	255	27	334	466	353	1,158	731
Postal Note Poundage ...	17	18	14	...	...	66	...	36	65	233
Private Box Fees	19	17	73	111	117	123	220	1,024	1,305	1,356
Other Receipts	16									
Total Revenue ...	23,403	26,596	31,336	35,572	41,142	61,068	112,654	187,609	221,572	203,722

* Included elsewhere. († *See* footnote on page 129.)

No. 58.—*Details of Expenditure of Postal and Telegraph Department of the Colony for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.* †

Particulars.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Salaries	17,909	19,579	23,123	27,943	32,253	38,217	57,450	109,581	143,163	166,681
Allowances	1,512	1,586	1,695	1,132	1,246	1,297	1,587	7,380	11,355	10,824
Conveyance of Inland Mails ...	9,648	9,176	11,515	14,127	16,143	19,024	25,195	40,357	46,691	45,388
Conveyance of Foreign Mails ...	1,545	1,636	1,753	1,723	1,551	2,065	2,544	3,050	4,663	4,949
Gratuities to Ship Masters ...	...	...	...	191	384	859	699	1,445	1,389	843
Rent of Buildings	124	124	132	181	254	246	479	728	872	557
Transport	221	94	109	83	214	226	485	1,306	2,494	1,682
Travelling Expenses	277	251	316	346	305	398	827	2,067	1,844	1,185
Telegraph Line, repairs ...	1,177	875	629	776	585	761	1,881	10,896	9,195	6,664
Linemen's Equipment	190	240	263	400	408	458	612	1,382	1,611	667
Forage for Line Horses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	957	1,802
Telephone Materials	...	595	786	1,728	1,198	2,201	3,183	9,343	14,967	5,693
Telephone Switch Boards ...	...	...	...	230	...	675	303	1,161	1,781	90
Subsidies Coastal Steam Service	...	...	...	...	1,226	6,833	6,980	7,798	6,328	6,104
Cable Subsidies and Guarantees	...	...	...	...	772	790	789	711	1,185	1,525
Stationery	...	...	...	...	181	562	916	1,417	2,929	2,742
Telegraph Instruments	...	...	...	...	...	436	462	2,022	1,429	...
Incidental and Miscellaneous Expenses	1,099	2,453	922	1,115	1,164	2,411	4,186	*a*68,368	*b*46,047	*c*9,712
Total Expenditure ...	33,702	36,609	41,243	49,975	57,884	77,459	108,578	269,012	298,900	267,108

a. Including construction of new telegraph lines, £58,264. *b*. Including construction of new telegraph lines, £36,792. *c*. Including construction of new telegraph lines, £3,705. († *See* footnote on page 129.)

(e.) POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK.

No. 59.—*Transactions of the Post Office Savings Bank for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	No. of Offices.	Deposits.			Withdrawals.			Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.	Cost of Management.	Interest for the year.	Number of Accounts			Balance due to Depositors at close of the year, inclusive of interest.	Average amount standing to the credit of each open Account at close of the year.
		Number received.	Total amount received.	Average amount of each.	Number.	Total amount.	Average amount of each.					Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	Remaining open at end of year.		
	No.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No.	No.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	19	5,371	18,697 8 2	3 9 7½	2,111	18,444 2 7	8 14 9	253 5 7	...	560 2 0	1,084 9 3	694	825	2,965	32,146 5 3	10 16 10
1890	20	6,182	21,552 18 0	3 9 8¾	2,136	20,199 0 2	9 9 1½	1,353 17 10	...	560 2 0	1,115 7 5	1,092	1,043	3,014	34,615 10 6	11 19 8½
1891	20	8,550	38,498 18 0	4 10 0¾	2,727	28,346 18 8	10 7 10¾	10,151 19 4	...	585 2 0	1,413 10 7	1,750	1,200	3,564	46,181 0 5	12 19 1¾
1892	20	11,882	54,610 16 0	4 12 4¾	4,014	40,658 7 2	10 2 7	13,952 8 10	...	610 19 0	1,856 5 1	2,424	1,545	4,443	61,989 14 4	13 19 0½
1893*	23	6,772	39,211 12 0	5 15 9¾	2,810	27,436 8 10	9 15 3¼	11,775 3 2	...	330 0 0	1,160 13 6	1,368	1,066	4,745	74,925 11 0	15 15 9¾
1893–4	24	17,297	146,387 11 0	8 9 3¼	6,922	83,509 3 7	12 1 3½	62,878 7 5	...	†2,643 18 6	3,515 11 8	3,970	2,405	6,310	141,319 10 1	22 7 9¼
1894–5	24	27,700	217,930 4 0	7 17 4¼	10,979	143,679 11 10	13 1 8¾	74,250 12 2	...		6,245 5 7	5,452	3,388	8,374	221,815 7 10	26 7 9¾
1995–6	31	63,027	520,015 14 0	8 5 0	20,426	291,744 3 7	14 5 7¾	228,271 10 5	...	2,820 2 6	10,523 11 5	14,250	6,464	16,160	460,610 9 8	28 10 0¾
1896–7	38	129,699	1,068,322 3 4	8 4 8¾	44,337	690,183 6 2	15 11 4	378,138 17 2	...	4,223 16 9	17,334 3 11	24,783	14,626	26,317	856,083 10 9	32 10 7
1897–8	55	145,175	1,231,637 19 2	8 9 8½	66,240	1,042,520 10 10	15 14 9	189,117 8 4	...	7,063 15 6	26,856 14 5	23,865	20,253	29,791	1,072,057 13 6	35 19 8½

* Half-year to 30th June. † Two years' expenses.

No. 60.—*Liabilities and Assets of the Post Office Savings Bank for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Date.	LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.							
	Balance due to Depositors at close of Year.	At credit of Profit and Loss Account.	Total.	Mortgages on Freehold.	Municipal Debentures.	Treasury Bills. Mortgage Bonds, Debentures.	Advances to Metropolitan Waterworks Board.	Cash.		At debit of Profit and Loss Account.	Total.
								In W.A. Bank.	In hand.	Amount required to meet Interest due to Depositors.	
31st Dec.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	32,146 5 3	458 17 11	32,605 3 2	21,300 0 0	...	...	...	11,305 3 2	...	...	32,605 3 2
1890	34,615 10 6	792 13 11	35,408 4 5	19,600 0 0	..	...	...	15,808 4 5	...	...	35,408 4 5
1891	46,181 0 5	1,053 8 0	47,234 8 5	19,200 0 0	...	...	...	28,034 8 5	...	...	47,234 8 5
1892	61,989 14 4	1,415 18 0	63,405 12 4	28,560 0 0	...	...	...	34,845 12 4	...	...	63,405 12 4
30th June											
1893	74,925 11 0	676 18 9	75,602 9 9	56,825 0 0	...	...	...	18,772 7 9	5 2 0	...	75,602 9 9
1894	141,319 10 1	1,738 1 7	143,057 11 8	39,740 0 0	11,900	16,565 0 0	...	74,151 2 8	701 9 0	...	143,057 11 8
1895	221,815 7 10	469 16 7	222,285 4 5	65,600 0 0	11,900	...	...	143,508 15 5	1,216 8 0	...	222,285 4 5
1896	460,610 9 8	...	460,610 9 8	96,137 0 0	11,900	...	...	343,785 5 9	6,149 10 7	2,638 13 4	460,610 9 8
1897	856,083 10 9	2,491 6 8	858,574 17 5	126,667 0 0	20,400	200,000 0 0	325,000 0 0	174,099 15 3	12,408 2 2	...	858,574 17 5
1898	1,072,057 13 6	2,932 18 0	1,074,990 11 6	110,044 0 0	26,800	385,513 15 8	325,000 0 0	206,819 16 10	20,812 19 0	...	1,074,990 11 6

No. 61.—*Profit and Loss Account of the Post Office Savings Bank for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	DR.						CR.				
	Departmental Expenses.	Interest allotted to Depositors.	Transferred to Revenue.	Debit Balance from previous year.	Balance.	Total.	Balance from previous year.	Interest on Mortgages.	Interest on Balances with W.A. Bank.	Required to meet Interest due.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	560 2 0	1,084 9 3	...	...	458 17 11	2,103 9 2	151 18 9	1,557 16 4	393 14 1	...	2,103 9 2
1890	560 2 0	1,115 7 5	...	...	792 13 11	2,468 3 4	458 17 11	1,503 2 5	506 3 0	...	2,468 3 4
1891	585 2 0	1,413 10 7	...	...	1,053 8 0	3,052 0 7	792 13 11	1,328 5 11	931 0 9	...	3,052 0 7
1892	610 19 0	1,856 5 1	...	...	1,415 18 0	3,883 2 1	1,053 8 0	1,508 14 5	1,320 19 8	...	3,883 2 1
*1893	330 0 0	1,160 13 6	1,000 0 0	...	676 18 9	3,167 12 3	1,415 18 0	1,104 6 9	647 7 6	...	3,167 12 3
1893–4	†2,643 18 6	3,515 11 8	676 18 9	...	1,738 1 7	6,008 6 6	676 18 9	3,900 11 2	1,430 16 7	...	6,008 6 6
1894–5		6,245 5 7	869 6 7	...	469 16 7	10,150 2 9	1,738 1 7	4,711 7 2	3,701 4 0	...	10,150 12 9
1895–6	2,820 2 6	10,523 11 5	469 16 7	...	...	13,813 10 6	469 16 7	5,576 4 4	5,128 16 3	2,638 13 4	13,813 10 6
1896–7	4,223 16 9	17,334 3 11	...	2,638 13 4	2,491 6 8	26,688 0 8	...	22,072 19 8	4,615 1 0	...	26,688 0 8
1897–8	7,063 15 6	26,856 14 5	2,491 6 8	...	2,932 18 0	39,344 14 7	2,491 6 8	31,872 7 7	4,981 0 4	...	39,344 14 7

* Half-year to 30th June. † Two years' expenses.

IV.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS.

(a.) GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

No. 62.—*Lengths of the several Railway Lines of the Colony open for Traffic on the 30th June, 1898, and the Dates at which the several Sections thereof were opened for Public Traffic.*

Name of Line.	Subdivision.	Length of Main Line.						Height of Line above Sea.		Date when opened for Traffic.
		Double.		Single.		Total.		Highest.	Lowest.	
		Miles.	Chs.	Miles.	Chs.	Miles.	Chs.	Feet.	Feet.	
Northern	Geraldton-Northampton	...		34	17	34	17	646	5	July 26th, 1879.
Eastern	Fremantle-Guildford	19	63	...		19	63	117	5	March 1st, 1881.
Do.	Guildford-Chidlow's Well	3	79	17	12	21	11	1,055	25	March 11th, 1884.
Do.	Perth Racecourse Branch	1	69	...		1	69	22	9	January 1st, 1885.
Do.	Chidlow's Well-York	...		48	72	48	72	1,068	520	1885.
Do.	York-Beverley	...		20	46	20	46	669	580	August 5th, 1886.
Do.	Spencer's Brook-Northam	...		5	73	5	73	521	490	October, 1886.
Northern	2-Mile Junction-Walkaway	...		17	53	17	53	98	23	July 21st, 1887.
Eastern	Clackline-Newcastle	...		14	34	14	34	1,147	443	January 3rd, 1888.
South-Western	Bunbury-Boyanup	...		16	04	16	04	125	2	March 12th, 1891.
Do.	East Perth-Pinjarrah	...		53	28	53	28	197	11	May 2nd, 1893.
Do.	Pinjarrah-Picton Junction	...		56	71	56	71	140	26	August 22nd, 1893.
Do.	Boyanup - Minninup (Donnybrook)	...		9	58	9	58	210	121	November 16th, 1893.
Eastern	Northam-Southern Cross	...		170	1	170	1	1,432	489	July 1st, 1894.
Northern	9-Mile Junction Mullewa	...		57	7	57	7	976	79	November 21st, 1894.
South-Western	Boyanup-Busselton	...		27	78	27	78	124	7	December 26th, 1895.
Do.	Canning Racecourse Branch	...		0	46	0	46	34	26	February 22nd, 1896.
Eastern	Mahogany Creek Deviation	...		11	71	11	71	971	59	July 1st, 1896.
Do.	Southern Cross-Boorabin	...		60	20	60	20	1,572	1,140	July 1st, 1896.
Great Southern	Beverley-Albany Jetty	...		243	0	243	0	1,313	8	December 1st, 1896.
Eastern	Boorabin-Kalgoorlie	...		78	10	78	10	1,537	1,192	January 1st, 1897.
Do.	Kalgoorlie-Boulder & Lakeside	...		9	11	9	11	1,290	1,078	November 8th, 1897.
South-Western	Bunbury Racecourse Branch	...		1	48	1	48	28	5	November 17th, 1897.
Kanowna	Kalgoorlie-Kanowna	...		12	06	12	06	1,319	1,195	June 15th, 1898.
	Total	25	51	966	46	992	17			

No. 63.—*Traffic, Rolling Stock, Revenue, and Expenditure for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Miles.		Traffic.			Rolling Stock.				Gross Earnings. †						Working Expenses. †				Result of Traffic (irrespective of interest on cost of construction). ‡							
																				Net Earnings.				Loss.			
	Average worked during the Year.	Open at the end of the Year.	No. of Train Miles Run.	Passengers Carried.	Goods Carried.	Locomotives.	Passenger Carriages.	Wagons and Brake Vans.	Total Number.	Passenger Fares.	Goods, Parcels, and Wharfage.	Sundries.	Total Amount.	Per Average Mile Worked.	Per Train Mile Run.	Total Amount.	Per cent. of Gross Earnings.	Per Average Mile Worked.	Per Train Mile Run.	Amount.	Per cent. of Cost of Construction.	Per Average Mile Worked.	Per Train Mile Run.	Amount.	Per cent. of Cost of Construction.	Per Average Mile Worked.	Per Train Mile Run.
			No.	No.	Tons.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	d.	£	%	£	d.	£	%	£	d.	£	%	£	d.
1889	188	188	383000	160513	48137	22	31	281	334	18722	20003	1768	40493	215	25·37	48030	118·61	255	30·09	...	...	...	...	7537	§	40	4·72
1890	188	188	284807	251898	60692	22	28	285	335	19665	23628	1820	45113	240	38·01	51640	114·46	275	43·51	...	...	...	...	6527	0·78	35	5·50
1891	203	203	311273	277997	96498	28	34	474	536	26750	34940	2344	64034	315	49·37	63536	99·22	313	48·98	498	0·05	2	0·39				
1892	203	203	406450	456631	135890	30	43	634	707	33693	56350	4158	94201	464	55·62	90654	96·23	447	53·52	3547	0·37	17	2·10				
1893*	203	252	234726	286520	86004	33	48	715	796	16967	34641	3060	54668	269	55·87	47069	86·10	232	48·10	7598	0·79	37	7·77				
1893-4	321	321	641080	617080	204686	41	53	1052	1146	47804	80669	12091	140564	438	52·59	103972	73·96	324	38·90	36591	3·12	114	13·69				
1894-5	550	573	997540	1022248	255839	49	75	1459	1583	107278	181695	7027	296000	538	71·22	182045	61·50	331	43·79	113954	5·44	207	27·43				
1895-6	580	588	1541750	1679816	435757	74	102	2360	2536	150597	352597	26422	529616	913	82·44	263704	49·79	455	41·05	265912	11·48	458	41·39				
1896-7	830	970	2537192	3607486	858748	151	224	3485	3860	303124	572715	39644	915483	1103	86·59	577655	63·09	696	54·64	337828	9·04	407	31·95				
1897-8	974	992	3613874	5669444	1203911	186	289	4478	4953	345174	646695	27808	1019677	1047	67·72	786318	77·11	807	52·22	233359	4·62	240	15·50				

* Half-year to 30th June. † See footnote, page 129. ‡ For Financial Result of Government Railways, see page 173, Table No. 68. § Not obtainable.

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

EASTERN AND YILGARN RAILWAYS.

No. 64.—*Number of miles worked, Train miles run, Passengers and Goods carried, Traffic Receipts and Working Expenses of the Eastern Railway from 1889 to 1898, and the Yilgarn Railway from 1894–5 to 1897–8:—*

Year.	Average miles worked.	Train miles run.	Number of Passengers carried.	Tonnage of Goods carried.	Traffic Receipts.						Working Expenses.				
					Passengers.	Parcels.	Goods and Live Stock.	Wharfage, etc.	Sundries.	Total.	Traction.	Carriage and Wagon Repairs.	Permanent Way Works.	Traffic and General Management. Jetties.	Total.
					£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
					EASTERN RAILWAY (1889-98).										
1889	133	362,000	153,526	40,282	17,740	833	17,336	...	1,254	37,163	20,583	2,767	8,309	11,331	42,990
1890	133	368,525	244,744	52,088	18,522	828	20,844	...	1,508	41,702	23,337	2,692	8,085	11,943	46,057
1891	133	372,412	260,575	83,872	25,120	1,128	30,123	...	2,133	58,404	25,193	6,637	9,336	14,218	55,384
1892	133	370,200	437,242	118,501	31,574	1,302	39,848	9,225	3,865	85,814	39,268	6,428	10,210	25,678	81,584
*1893	133	215,660	272,445	73,852	15,590	712	24,422	5,522	2,634	48,880	16,341	3,689	6,232	14,949	41,211
1893–4	133	510,860	577,960	156,926	39,242	3,533	48,499	10,539	10,876	112,689	42,379		12,611	27,762	82,752
1894–5	133	524,820	929,723	174,444	52,303	3,788	63,648	15,065	3,358	138,162	44,066		15,549	30,474	90,089
1895–6	140	654,789	1,558,372	319,259	79,438	6,330	109,807	23,034	5,608	224,217	48,529		19,580	44,199	112,308
1896–7	146	833,745	1,655,032	547,926	134,656	11,447	124,238	37,734	52,764	360,839	94,575		30,864	119,088	244,527
1897–8	146	1,093,560	4,598,468	634,724	154,588	13,509	165,073	45,574	8,418	387,162	95,339		‡53,482	89,119	237,940
					YILGARN RAILWAY (1894-8.)										
1894–5	170	294,090	28,121	32,928	40,715	2,481	68,296	...	898	112,390	30,007		6,975	16,615	53,597
1895–6	170	594,605	24,603	† 5,761	47,567	3,307	155,064	...	17,849	223,787	34,275		16,414	42,791	93,480
1896–7	269	1,067,454	104,639	†41,127	110,310	11,280	243,275	...	21,275	386,140	74,548		21,840	95,448	191,876
1897–8	311	1,636,595	802,806	97,351	120,295	11,105	288,410	...	9,263	429,073	142,682		‡80,040	133,373	356,095

* Half year ended 30th June.

† This represents the forwarded tonnage only from stations on Yilgarn Railway.

‡ Includes Electrical and Interlocking expenses.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

No. 65.—*Number of miles worked, Train miles run, Passengers and Goods carried, Traffic Receipts and Working Expenses of the Great Southern Railway, from December, 1896 to June, 1898:—*

Year.	Average miles worked.	Train miles run.	Number of Passengers carried.	Tonnage of Goods carried.	Traffic Receipts.						Working Expenses.			
					Passengers.	Parcels.	Goods and Live Stock.	Wharfage, etc.	Sundries.	Total.	Traction, Carriage, and Wagon Repairs.	Permanent Way Works.	Traffic and General Management. Jetties.	Total.
					£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1896–1897*	142	180,854	14,728	26,487	20,820	1,270	17,055	1,202	4,344	44,691	12,337	16,642	7,993	36,972
1897–8	243	341,089	45,971	31,792	27,474	2,125	24,882	4,665	3,048	62,194	29,737	†16,681	27,797	74,215

* Seven months ended 30th June, 1897.

† Includes Electrical and Interlocking expenses.

NORTHERN RAILWAY AND BRANCHES.

No. 66.—*Number of miles of Rail worked, Train miles run, Passengers and Goods carried, Traffic Receipts and Working Expenses on the Northern Railway and Branches from 1889 to 1898:—*

Year.	Average miles of line worked.	Train Mileage.	Number of Passengers carried.	Tonnage of Goods carried.	Traffic Receipts.						Working Expenses.			
					Passengers.	Parcels.	Goods and Live Stock.	Wharfage, etc.	Sundries.	Total.	Locomotive and Wagon charges.	Way and Works.	Traffic and General Management. Jetties.	Total.
					£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	55	21,000	6,987	7,855	982	202	1,632	...	514	3,330	2,092	1,601	1,347	5,040
1890	55	21,500	7,154	8,604	1,143	244	1,712	...	312	3,411	2,675	1,742	1,166	5,583
1891	55	27,354	12,610	10,623	1,433	262	3,027	...	202	4,924	3,019	2,173	1,522	6,714
1892	55	24,000	13,201	10,432	1,774	340	2,890	1,038	134	6,176	2,492	1,735	2,013	6,241
*1893	55	11,145	7,314	6,395	673	153	1,493	783	210	3,312	1,859	954	1,178	3,991
1893–4	55	45,296	18,866	30,477	1,862	331	6,184	3,250	497	12,124	3,690	1,969	3,370	9,029
1894–5	90	66,560	32,153	26,636	5,697	480	13,925	2,832	830	23,764	6,679	3,569	5,528	15,776
1895–6	108	131,754	39,159	50,277	8,913	762	28,954	3,740	1,522	43,891	9,687	7,531	9,723	26,941
1896–7	108	168,866	30,776	59,418	8,387	1,011	21,452	4,390	7,053	42,293	17,523	9,493	17,565	44,581
1897–8	109	107,112	36,709	41,347	7,162	1,141	16,877	2,903	4,208	32,291	9,338	†5,238	8,729	23,305

* Half year ended 30th June.

† Includes electrical and interlocking expenses.

SOUTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

No. 67.—*Number of miles worked, Train miles run, Passengers, and Goods carried, Traffic Receipts, and Working Expenses of the South-Western Government Railway from 1891, to 30th June, 1898:—*

Year.	Average miles worked.	Train miles run.	Number of Passengers carried.	Tonnage of Goods carried.	Traffic Receipts.					Working Expenses.			
					Passengers.	Parcels.	Goods, Live Stock, and Wharfage.	Sundries.	Total.	Traction, Carriage, and Wagon Repairs.	Permanent way Works	Traffic and General Management. Jetties.	Total.
					£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	15	9,250	4,812	2,003	297	8	392	9	706	586	391	461	1,438
1892	15	12,250	6,188	6,957	345	6	1,701	159	2,211	926	801	1,102	2,829
*1893	15	7,921	6,761	5,757	704	29	1,527	216	2,476	546	545	776	1,867
1893–4	133	84,924	20,254	17,283	6,700	649	7,684	718	15,751	2,421	6,048	3,722	12,191
1894–5	157	112,070	32,251	21,836	8,563	998	10,182	1,941	21,684	5,702	10,109	6,772	22,583
1895–6	162	160,602	57,682	52,622	14,679	1,347	20,250	1,443	37,719	9,200	12,511	9,263	30,974
1896–7	165	286,273	79,991	170,267	28,950	2,657	45,387	4,524	81,518	22,901	18,346	18,452	59,699
1897–8	165	435,518	185,490	381,552	35,655	3,414	67,017	2,871	108,957	37,969	†21,300	35,492	94,761

* Half year ended 30th June. † Includes Electrical and Interlocking expenses.

No. 68.—*Cost of Construction, etc., of all Government Railways, and Financial Results for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Total Cost of Construction and Equipment of Lines open for Traffic at end of period referred to.			Interest on Cost.			Profit or Loss on Working Traffic.		Net Financial Result for Year, taking Interest on cost and Results of Working Traffic conjointly.		
	From Loan.	From other Sources.	Total.	On Loan Moneys	On other Moneys (taken at 4 per cent.)	Total.	Profit.	Loss.	Profit.	Loss.	Per cent. on Cost of Construction and Equipment.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	%
1889	...	...	†	...	...	†	...	7,537	...	...	†
1890	...	...	833,083	...	...	†	...	6,527	...	...	†
1891	844,439	59,051	903,490	36,115	2,361	38,476	498	...	...	37,978	4·20 Loss.
1892	881,348	62,048	943,396	37,138	2,481	39,619	3,547	...	...	36,072	3·82 Do.
1893*	897,544	62,048	959,592	18,893	1,241	20,134	7,598	...	...	12,536	1·30 Do.
1893-4	1,107,174	62,048	1,169,222	46,170	2,481	48,651	36,591	...	...	12,060	1·03 Do.
1894-5	2,030,324	62,048	2,092,372	83,096	2,481	85,577	113,954	...	28,377	..	1·35 Profit.
1895-6	2,167,468	149,356	2,316,824	88,559	5,974	94,533	265,912	...	171,378	...	7·40 Do.
1896-7	3,526,461	208,016	3,734,477	130,372	8,320	138,692	337,828	...	199,136	...	5·33 Do.
1897-8	4,824,981	222,280	5,047,261	169,490	8,891	178,381	169,652	...	...	8,729	0·17 Loss.

* Half-year to 30th June. † Not obtainable.

No. 69.—*(b)* GOVERNMENT TRAMWAY (ROEBOURNE AND COSSACK).—*Traffic, Revenue, and Expenditure for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Miles open at the end of the year.	Traffic.		Gross Earnings.					Working Expenses.			Result of Traffic. †					
												Net Earnings.			Loss.		
		Passengers carried.	Goods carried.	Passenger fares.	Goods, Parcels, and Wharfage.	Sundries.	Total amount.	Per average mile worked.	Total amount.	Per cent. of gross earnings.	Per average mile open.	Amount.	Per cent. of cost of construction.	Per average mile worked.	Amount.	Per cent. of cost of construction.	Per average mile worked.
		No.	Tons.	£	£	£	£	£	£	%	£	£	%	£	£	%	£
1889	8½	7,555	4,734	799	1,522	20	2,341	276	2,384	101·83	281	...	...	...	43	...	5
1890	8½	8,040	2,541	896	1,818	105	2,819	332	2,027	71·90	239	792	3·95	93			
1891	8½	8,283	3,373	984	1,452	167	2,603	306	2,108	81·02	248	495	2·44	58			
1892	8½	7,717	3,010	780	999	44	1,823	214	1,946	106·74	229	...	...	...	123	0·61	15
1893*	8½	3,791	1,058	390	389	15	794	93	756	95 21	89	38	0·19	4			
1893-4	8½	5,331	1,841	542	691	134	1,367	161	2,005	146·67	236	...	...	...	638	3·15	75
1894-5	8½	7,224	2,627	775	1,023	453	2,251	265	1,895	84·18	223	356	1·74	42			
1895-6	8½	9,009	3,373	932	2,182	274	3,388	398	3,163	93·35	372	225	1·04	26			
1896-7	8½	9,417	3,727	922	2,579	185	3,686	434	2,491	67·49	293	1,195	5·49	135			
1897-8	8½	7,521	2,527	733	1,932	83	2,748	323	2,623	95·45	308	125	0·57	36			

* Half-year to 30th June. † For Financial Result of Government Tramway see Table 70, page 175.

(b.) GOVERNMENT TRAMWAY (ROEBOURNE AND COSSACK)—*continued.*

No. 70.—*Cost of Construction and Financial Results for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Total cost of construction and equipment of lines open for traffic at end of period referred to.			Interest on cost.			Profit or loss on working traffic.		Net Financial result for year, taking interest on cost and result of working traffic conjointly.		
	From Loan.	From other sources.	Total.	On Loan moneys.	On other moneys (taken at 4°/₀).	Total.	Profit.	Loss.	Profit.	Loss.	Per cent. on cost of construction and equipment.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	°/₀
1889*											
1890	20,000	...	20,000	800	...	800	792	...	...	8	0·04 Loss.
1891	20,104	150	20,254	804	6	810	495	...	...	315	1·55 ,,
1892	20,104	150	20,254	804	6	810	...	123	...	933	4·61 ,,
1893†	20,104	150	20,254	402	3	405	38	...	...	367	1·81 ,,
1893-4	20,104	150	20,254	804	6	810	...	638	...	1,448	7·14 ,,
1894-5	20,296	150	20,446	812	6	818	356	...	...	462	2·26 ,,
1895-6	21,250	336	21,586	850	14	864	225	...	...	639	2·96 ,,
1896-7	21,431	336	21,767	855	14	869	1,195	...	326	...	1·49 Profit.
1897-8	21,431	336	21,767	855	14	869	125	...	...	744	3·42 Loss.

* Information not available. † Half-year to 30th June. (See footnote on page 129.)

(c.) GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAY.

No. 71.—*Relation of Working Expenses to Gross Revenue from each Line of Railway and Tramway for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Eastern Railway.			South-Western Railway.			Yilgarn Railway.			† Great Southern Railway.			Northern Railway.		
	Revenue.	Expenditure	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.	Revenue,	Expenditure.	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.
	£	£	°/₀	£	£	°/₀	£	£	°/₀	£	£	°/₀	£	£	°/₀
1889	37,163	42,990	115·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,330	5,040	151·33
1890	41,702	46,057	110·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,411	5,583	163·67
1891	58,404	55,384	94·82	706	1,438	203·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,924	6,714	136·34
1892	85,814	81,584	95·06	2,211	2,829	127·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,176	6,241	101·05
1893*	48,880	41,211	84·31	2,476	1,868	75·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,312	3,991	120·50
1893–4	112,689	82,752	73·43	15,751	12,191	77·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,124	9,030	74·48
1894–5	138,162	90,089	65·20	21,684	22,583	104·14	112,390	53,597	47·68	...	...	...	23,764	15,776	66·38
1895–6	224,217	112,308	50·08	37,719	30,975	82·12	223,788	93,481	41·77	...	...	...	43,892	26,941	61·38
1896–7	360,840	244,527	67·76	81,518	59,679	73·23	386,141	191,876	49·69	44,691	36,972	82·72	42,293	44,581	105·40
1897 -8	387,162	237,940	61·46	108,957	94,761	86·97	429,073	356,095	82·99	62,194	74,215	119·33	32,291	23,306	72·17

Year.	Total for all Railways.			Roebourne and Cossack Tramway.			Grand Total for all Railways and Tramway.		
	Revenue.	Expenditure	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.	Revenue.	Expenditure	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Expenditure per cent. Revenue.
	£	£	°/₀	£	£	°/₀	£	£	°/₀
1889	40,493	48,030	118·61	2,341	2,384	101·83	42,834	50,414	117·93
1890	45,113	51,640	114·46	2,819	2,027	71·90	47,932	53,667	111·97
1891	64,034	63,536	99·22	2,603	2,109	81·02	66,637	65,645	98·51
1892	94,201	90,654	96·23	1,823	1,946	106·74	96,024	92,600	96·44
1893*	54,668	47,070	86·10	794	756	95·21	55,462	47,826	86·23
1893–4	140,564	103,973	73·96	1,367	2,005	146·67	141,931	105,978	74·66
1894–5	296,000	182,045	61·50	2,251	1,895	84·18	298,251	183,940	61·67
1895–6	529,616	263,705	49·79	3,388	3,163	93·35	533,004	266,868	50·06
1896–7	915,483	577,655	63·09	3,686	2,491	67·49	919,169	580,146	63·12
1897–8	1,019,677	786,318	77·11	2,748	2,623	95·45	1,022,425	788,941	77·16

* Half-year to 30th June. † For 7 months, December, 1896, to June, 1897. (See footnote on page 129.)

V.—AUSTRALASIAN STATISTICS.

No. 72.—*Value of the Imports of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	818,127	22,863,057	24,402,760	6,052,562	6,804,451	6,308,863	1,611,035
1890	874,447	22,615,004	22,954,015	5,066,700	8,262,673	6,260,525	1,897,512
1891	1,280,093	25,383,397	21,711,608	5,079,004	9,956,542	6,503,849	2,051,964
1892	1,391,109	20,776,526	17,174,545	4,382,657	7,517,447	6,943,056	1,497,161
1893	1,494,438	18,107,035	13,283,814	4,352,783	8,050,739	6,911,515	1,057,683
1894	2,114,414	15,801,941	12,470,599	4,337,400	6,325,635	6,788,020	979,676
1895	3,774,951	15,992,415	12,472,344	5,349,007	5,680,880	6,400,129	1,094,457
1896	6,493,557	20,561,510	14,554,837	5,433,271	7,263,522	7,137,320	1,192,410
1897	6,418,565	21,744,350	15,454,482	5,429,191	7,277,086	8,055,223	1,367,608
1898	5,241,965	24,453,560	16,768,904	6,007,266	6,298,766	8,230,600	1,650,018

No. 73.—*Value of the Exports of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	761,392	23,294,934	12,734,734	7,736,309	7,259,365	9,341,864	1,459,857
1890	671,813	22,045,937	13,266,222	8,554,512	8,827,378	9,811,720	1,486,992
1891	799,466	25,944,020	16,006,743	8,305,387	10,512,049	9,566,397	1,440,818
1892	882,148	21,972,247	14,214,546	9,170,408	7,998,713	9,534,851	1,346,965
1893	918,147	22,921,223	13,308,551	9,632,662	8,635,995	8,985,364	1,352,184
1894	1,251,406	20,577,673	14,026,546	8,795,559	7,528,783	9,231,047	1,489,041
1895	1,332,554	21,934,785	14,547,732	8,982,600	7,352,742	8,550,224	1,373,063
1896	1,650,226	23,010,349	14,198,518	9,163,726	7,743,063	9,321,105	1,496,576
1897	3,940,098	23,751,072	16,739,670	9,091,557	7,070,750	10,016,993	1,744,461
1898	4,960,006	27,648,117	15,872,246	10,856,127	6,978,370	10,517,955	1,803,369

No. 74.—*Value of Exports of Home produce only, of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	748,899	17,700,393	9,776,670	7,511,744	3,694,692	9,044,607	1,442,605
1890	659,661	17,232,725	10,291,821	8,412,244	4,410,062	9,428,761	1,430,806
1891	788,767	21,085,712	13,026,426	7,979,080	4,685,313	9,400,094	1,367,927
1892	870,814	17,707,102	11,410,808	9,010,613	3,400,388	9,365,868	1,330,144
1893	870,437	17,094,213	10,293,926	9,080,599	3,458,626	8,557,443	1,336,586
1894	1,219,047	15,904,961	11,553,617	8,580,338	3,560,891	9,085,148	1,469,964
1895	1,273,638	16,436,210	11,615,493	8,865,538	3,712,419	8,390,153	1,305,160
1896	1,603,748	16,742,691	11,054,824	8,924,186	3,416,140	9,177,336	1,473,429
1897	3,218,569	17,057,543	12,829,394	8,831,450	2,625,172	9,596,267	1,721,959
1898	4,820,420	17,727,067	11,778,883	10,482,668	2,666,832	10,324,988	1,720,697

No. 75.—*Trade Balance.—Excess of Value of Exports over Imports of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	*56,735	431,877	*11,668,026	1,683,747	454,914	3,033,001	*151,178
1890	*202,634	*569,067	*9,687,793	3,487,812	564,705	3,551,195	*410,520
1891	*480,627	560,623	*5,704,865	3,226,383	555,507	3,062,548	*611,146
1892	*508,961	1,195,721	*2,959,999	4,787,751	481,266	2,591,795	*150,196
1893	*576,291	4,814,188	24,737	5,279,879	585,256	2,073,849	294,501
1894	*863,008	4,775,732	1,555,947	4,458,159	1,203,148	2,443,027	509,365
1895	*2,441,397	5,942,370	2,075,388	3,633,593	1,671,862	2,150,095	278,606
1896	*4,843,331	2,448,839	*356,319	3,730,455	479,541	2,183,785	304,166
1897	*2,478,467	2,006,722	1,285,188	3,662,366	*206,336	1,961,770	376,853
1898	*281,459	3,194,557	*896,658	4,848,861	679,604	2,287,355	153,351

* Excess of Value of Imports over Exports.

No. 76.—*Amount of Duties (less Drawbacks and Refunds) collected under the Customs Tariff Acts of the several Australasian Colonies, and from Excise, during each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	169,666	2,121,916	2,887,530	1,381,917	572,436	1,453,085	322,983
1890	179,549	2,111,324	2,710,082	1,282,752	633,114	1,487,311	344,664
1891	234,725	2,417,673	2,509,551	1,241,447	646,902	1,547,499	393,353
1892	273,168	2,865,112	2,318,218	1,155,695	611,343	1,668,080	335,952
1893	255,271	2,328,274	1,887,474	1,099,450	545,919	1,692,225	292,154
1894	410,943	2,265,058	2,045,853	1,146,350	539,818	1,703,552	282,392
1895	615,030	2,240,596	2,021,564	1,295,383	551,053	1,618,492	322,107
1896	988,829	1,647,078	2,050,380	1,330,246	613,177	1,699,084	347,837
1897	1,062,026	1,519,733	2,026.100	1,244,556	612,204	1,875,705	370,314
1898	906,831	1,551,411	2,253,410	1,483,253	628,706	2,040,568	427,963

No. 77.—*Total Tonnage of Inward and Outward Shipping of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
1889	1,004,818	5,321,179	4,599,178	1,001,009	1,959,342	1,195,886	912,246
1890	904,861	4,761,872	4,363,341	910,779	2,190,442	1,312,474	951,247
1891	1,045,555	5,694,236	4,715,109	997,118	2,576,546	1,244,322	1,044,606
1892	1,124,565	5,647,184	4,456,254	972,428	2,545,076	1,331,323	1,137,140
1893	1,071,418	5,193,328	4,029,738	945,628	2,550,581	1,258,070	934,439
1894	1,329,078	5,738,554	4,291,459	928,025	2,911,585	1,262,350	898,367
1895	1,578,553	5,860,038	4,348,686	971,905	3,150,741	1,321,897	937,526
1896	2,136,378	6,189,760	4,566,230	1,094,048	3,494,966	1,241,756	890,761
1897	2,377,832	6,744,431	4,865,372	1,128,900	3,560,149	1,362,232	1,084,168
1898	2,389,626	6,919,928	4,956,737	1,198,319	3,667,526	1,531,048	1,158,993

PART IV.—INTERCHANGE.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

(The figures in subsequent tables are compiled from information contained in the Reports of the Railway Departments of the several Colonies.)

No. 78.—*Number of Miles of Government Railways open for Traffic in each of the Australasian Colonies on the 30th of June in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year ended June 30.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.
1889	† 188	2,171	2,197¼	2,013	† 1,543	§ 1,777	† 204½
1890	† 188	2,182	2,469¾	2,121	† 1,755¾	§ 1,809	† 350¾
1891	† 203	2,182	2,763	2,205	† 1,811½	§ 1,842	† 376¾
1892	† 203	2,185	2,903	2,329¾	† 1,806	§ 1,869	† 419¾
1893	252	2,351	2,975	2,386½	† 1,809½	§ 1,886	† 419¾
1894	321	2,501¼	3,020	2,391¾	† 1,811¼	§ 1,948	† 419¾
1895	573	2,531¼	3,120	2,392¼	† 1,867½	§ 1,993	† 419¾
1896	588	2,531¼	3,122¼	2,400¼	† 1,868	§ 2,014	† 419¾
1897	970	2,639½	3,129	2,516	† 1,869¼	§ 2,018	† 424¾
1898	992	2,691¼	3,113	2,635¾	† 1,869½	§ 2,055	† 437¾

† 31st December. § 31st March.

No. 79.—*Gross Earnings of the Government Railways of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year ended June 30.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	† 40,493	2,538,477	3,110,140	* 398,443	† 887,065	§ 997,615	† 75,926
1890	† 45,113	2,633,086	3,131,866	849,868	† 1,056,815	§ 1,095,570	† 106,232
1891	† 64,034	2,974,421	3,298,567	908,704	† 1,239,309	§ 1,121,701	† 169,050
1892	† 94,201	3,107,296	3,095,122	1,052,536	† 1,228,511	§ 1,115,432	† 176,926
1893	* 54,668	2,927,056	2,925,948	1,022,677	† 1,022,727	§ 1,181,522	† 152,083
1894	140,564	2,813,541	2,726,159	955,747	† 1,015,900	§ 1,172,793	† 144,488
1895	296,000	2,878,204	2,581,591	1,025,512	† 974,877	§ 1,150,851	† 149,642
1896	529,616	2,820,417	2,401,392	1,085,494	† 1,001,605	§ 1,183,041	† 162,932
1897	915,483	3,014,742	2,615,935	1,179,273	† 1,042,943	§ 1,286,158	† 166,834
1898	1,019,677	3,026,748	2,608,896	1,215,811	† 998,352	§ 1,376,008	† 178,180

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 31st December. § Year ended 31st March.

No. 80.—*Working Expenses of the Government Railways of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year ended 30th June.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	† 48,030	1,634,602	1,912,065	* 291,739	† 493,326	‡ 647,045	† 57,832
1890	† 51,640	1,665,835	2,100,759	618,798	† 543,886	‡ 682,787	† 86,220
1891	† 63,536	1,831,371	2,271,561	645,597	† 631,089	‡ 700,703	† 147,944
1892	† 90,654	1,914,252	2,088,091	639,502	† 664,606	‡ 706,517	† 161,586
1893	* 47,069	1,738,516	1,789,662	638,889	† 651,826	‡ 732,142	† 136,468
1894	103,972	1,591,842	1,557,566	598,403	† 580,995	‡ 735,359	† 122,850
1895	182,045	1,567,589	1,463,189	581,973	† 580,450	‡ 732,160	† 120,351
1896	263,704	1,551,888	1,456,738	644,362	† 598,311	‡ 751,368	† 122,171
1897	577,655	1,601,218	1,484,407	684,146	† 633,220	‡ 789,054	† 128,544
1898	786,318	1,614,605	1,566,073	686,066	† 623,742	‡ 857,191	† 141,179

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 31st December. ‡ Year ended 31st March.

No. 81.—*Net Earnings (irrespective of Interest on Cost of Construction) of the Government Railways of the several Australasian Colonies for each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Year ended 30th June.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	* † 7,537	903,875	1,198,075	‡ 106,704	† 393,739	§ 350,570	† 18,094
1890	* † 6,527	967,251	1,031,107	231,070	† 512,929	§ 412,783	† 20,012
1891	498	1,143,050	1,027,006	263,107	† 608,220	§ 420,998	† 21,106
1892	3,547	1,193,044	1,007,031	413,034	† 563,905	§ 408,915	† 15,340
1893	‡ 7,598	1,188,540	1,136,286	383,788	† 370,901	§ 449,380	† 15,615
1894	36,591	1,221,699	1,168,593	357,344	† 434,905	§ 437,434	† 21,638
1895	113,954	1,310,615	1,118,402	443,539	† 394,427	§ 418,691	† 29,291
1896	265,912	1,268,529	944,654	441,132	† 403,294	§ 431,673	† 40,761
1897	337,828	1,413,524	1,131,528	495,127	† 409,723	§ 497,104	† 38,290
1898	233,359	1,412,143	1,042,823	529,745	† 374,610	§ 518,817	† 37,001

* Loss. † Year ended 31st December. ‡ Half-year ended 30th June. § Year ended 31st March.

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No. 82.—*Capital expended up to the 30th of June in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898, on the Construction and Equipment of Government Railway Lines open for Traffic in the several Australasian Colonies.*

Year ended 30th June.	Western Australia.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	New Zealand.	Tasmania.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	*	29,839,167	31,189,517	12,730,653	† 9,720,078	‡ 13,472,837	† 1,549,848
1890	† 833,083	30,555,123	34,370,031	13,606,384	† 11,316,229	‡ 13,899,955	† 2,900,362
1891	† 903,490	31,768,617	36,341,626	15,101,617	† 12,544,379	‡ 14,278,586	† 3,093,037
1892	† 943,396	33,312,608	37,085,309	16,046,851	† 12,868,468	‡ 14,656,691	† 3,499,920
1893	959,592	34,657,571	37,462,372	16,230,490	† 13,091,844	‡ 14,733,120	† 3,510,196
1894	1,169,222	35,855,271	37,748,563	16,419,093	† 13,300,395	‡ 15,137,036	† 3,518,595
1895	2,092,372	36,611,366	37,922,207	16,522,293	† 13,665,945	‡ 15,552,613	† 3,521,956
1896	2,316,824	36,852,194	38,108,151	16,759,406	† 13,734,666	‡ 15,425,532	† 3,524,051
1897	3,734,477	37,369,205	38,329,402	17,280,569	† 13,755,622	‡ 15,577,392	† 3,526,322
1898	5,047,261	37,719,402	38,602,304	18,056,285	† 13,919,258	‡ 15,993,903	† 3,585,039

* Information not available. † Year ended 31st December. ‡ Year ended 31st March.

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PART V.

LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

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MAP OF
WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Shewing Electoral Districts and PROVINCES.

on 31st Decr., 1898.

Scale of Miles
50 40 30 20 10 0 50 100 150 200
EAST KIMBERLEY
WEST KIMBERLEY
KIMBERLEY DIVISN.
KIMBERLEY GOLDFIELD
KIMBERLEY PROVINCE
DE GREY
PILBARRA
PILBARRA DIVISN.
DE GREY GOLDFIELD
ROEBOURNE
W. PILBARRA
WEST GASCOYNE
ASHBURTON
NORTH PROVINCE
WINDELL
Tropic of Capricorn
GASCOYNE
GASCOYNE G. F.
PEAK HILL
WESTERN DIVISION
NORTH MURCHISON
CENTRAL PROVINCE
EASTERN DIVISION
MURCHISON
CENTRAL MURCHISON
EAST MURCHISON G. F.
SOUTH MURCHISON
MT MARGARET
YALGOO
GERALDTON
GREENOUGH
IRWIN
NORTH EAST COOLGARDIE
NORTH COOLGARDIE
NORTH EAST PROVINCE
EAST PROVINCE
MOORE
TOODYAY
YILGARN
COOLGARDIE
SWAN
4 DISTRICTS ALSO METROPOLITAN PROV.
PERTH
FREMANTLE
4 DISTRICTS ALSO WEST PROV.
YORK
BEVERLEY
MURRAY
WELLINGTON
WILLIAMS
BUNBURY
DUNDAS
DUNDAS G. F.
FRASER
EUCLA
EUCLA DIVISION
S.W. PROV.
SUSSEX
NELSON
PLANTAGENET
S.E. PROV.
ESPERANCE
ARCHIPELAGO OF THE RECHERCHE
INDIAN OCEAN
SOUTHERN OCEAN
SOUTH AUSTRALIA
ENLARGED PLAN OF PERTH DISTRICTS
METROPOLITAN PROV.
NORTH PERTH
EAST PERTH
WEST PERTH
SOUTH PERTH
NORTH FREMANTLE
EAST FREMANTLE
W. PROV.
EAST PROV.
CANNING
SOUTH FREMANTLE

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PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

I.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. 1.—*Occupation of Land in Western Australia on the 31st December, 1898.*

	Acres.	Acres.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED:		
Area sold by public auction, or other forms of direct sale, or otherwise alienated, up to the 31st December, 1898	...	3,382,475
II.—CONDITIONALLY ALIENATED UP TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1898:		
Free Homestead Farms	193,194	
Conditional Purchases	1,093,355	
Selections under the "Agricultural Lands Purchase Act"	24,825	
Special Occupation Leases and Licenses	30,070	
Homestead Leases	148,390	
Poison Land Leases and Licenses...	1,419,707	
Immigrants' Grants	400	
Village Allotments	5	2,909,946
Total Area alienated, or in process of Alienation, on the 31st December, 1898	...	6,292,421
III.—LEASES OR LICENSES IN FORCE ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1898:		
Pastoral Leases	89,616,582	
Special Leases	267	
Leases of Reserves	15,743	
Selections in Goldfields Areas	7,680	
Timber Licenses	1,393,506	
Miscellaneous Leases and Licenses	1,250	
Total (exclusive of Mineral Leases)	91,035,028	
Mineral Leases	65,482	91,100,510
Total Area alienated or leased	...	97,392,931
IV.—AREA NEITHER ALIENATED, IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION, NOR LEASED	...	527,195,869
Total Area of Western Australia	...	624,588,800

No. 2.—*Land absolutely and conditionally Alienated in each Land Division of the Colony during 1898.*

	South-West Division.		Gascoyne Division.		North-West Division.		Kimberley Division.		Eucla Division.		Eastern Division.		Total Western Australia.	
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED DURING 1898:														
Auction Sales, 1898—														
Town and Suburban Lots	447	1,456	112	35	1	1	7	3	...	...	582	152	1,149	1,647
Land Grants during 1898 in consideration for Railway construction—	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*
Other Land Grants during 1898—														
For Religious Purposes	43	201½	2	½	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	23	105	225
For Charitable Institutions														
For other Purposes														
Total Auction Sales and Land Grants	490	1,657½	114	35½	1	1	7	3	...	...	642	175	1,254	1,872
Selections for which the issue of Crown Grants was approved during 1898, the prescribed conditions having been complied with—														
Free Homestead Farms	1	160	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	160
Conditional Purchases	98	11,675	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	187	...	...	111	11,862
Homestead Leases														
Poison Land Leases														
Village Allotments														
Total	99	11,835	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	187	...	...	112	12,022
Total Area Absolutely Alienated during 1898	589	13,492½	114	35½	1	1	7	3	13	187	642	175	1,366	13,894
II.—CONDITIONALLY ALIENATED (*Applications approved during 1898*)—														
Free Homestead Farms—														
Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Section 4	485	75,724	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1,239	493	76,963
Conditional Purchases—														
By deferred payments, with residence—														
Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Sections 33 and 34	217	38,779	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	217	38,779
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 48	1,072	164,957	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,072	164,957
By deferred payments, without residence—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 49	339	58,633	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	339	58,633
Do. do. do. do. 50														
Do. do. do. do. 52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	520	3	883	6	1,403
Do. do. do. do. 53														

By direct payment, without residence—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 54 ...	27	2,657	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	657
Do. do. do. do. 55 ...	44	335	2	40	...	...	...	...	3	60	...	...	49	435
Total Conditional Purchases	1,699	265,361	2	40	...	...	...	...	6	580	3	883	1,710	266,864
Selections under the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act	125	24,825	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	24,825
Homestead Leases— Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Section 19	46	71,970	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	71,970
Village Allotments— Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Section 16	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4
Total Area conditionally alienated during 1898	2,361	437,884	2	40	...	...	...	...	6	580	11	2,122	2,380	440,626
Total Area absolutely and conditionally alienated during 1898 ...	2,950	451,376½	116	75½	1	1	7	3	19	767	653	2,297	3,746	454,520

No. 3.—*Number and Area of Leases and Licenses (exclusive of Mineral Leases) approved of in each Land Division of the Colony during 1898.*

NATURE OF LEASE OR LICENSE.	South-West Division.		Gascoyne Division.		North-West Division.		Kimberley Division.		Eucla Division.		Eastern Division.		Total, Western Australia.	
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Pastoral Leases— Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 63 and Clauses 66-71, inclusive	90	370,033	54	1,443,218	13	495,811	30	1,378,000	10	205,000	56	3,030,400	253	6,922,462
Special Leases— Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 114	19	50	1	1	3	3	5	31	...	...	8	5	36	90
Leases of Reserves— Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 35	3	350	...	...	...	...	1	200	1	340	...	...	5	890
Selections in Goldfields Areas— Under "The Mineral Land Act, 1892," Sections 26 and 27 ...	20	7,220	1	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	22	7,330
Special Timber Licenses— Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 96	155	594,197	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	594,197
Total Area for which Leases and Licenses were approved of during 1898	287	971,850	56	1,443,319	16	495,814	36	1,378,231	11	205,340	65	3,030,415	471	7,524,969

No. 4.—*Land absolutely and conditionally alienated in each Land Division of the Colony up to the end of December, 1898.*

	South-West Division.		Gascoyne Division.		North-West Division.		Kimberley Division.		Eucla Division.		Eastern Division.		Total Western Australia.	
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
I.—ABSOLUTELY ALIENATED ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898:														
Total Area sold by public auction, or other forms of direct sale, or otherwise alienated, up to the end of December, 1898 ...	...	3,139,465*	...	†200	...	†17,760	...	†5,100	...	†950	...	†219,000	...	3,382,475
II.—CONDITIONALLY ALIENATED ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898:														
Free Homestead Farms—														
Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Section 4	1,248	191,055	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2,139	1,262	193,194
Conditional Purchases—														
By deferred payments, with residence—														
Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Sections 33 and 34 Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 46 ...	769	174,523	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	769	174,523
Do. do. do. do. 47 ...	293	65,662	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	293	65,662
Do. do. do. do. 48 ...	3,254	582,521	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,254	582,521
By deferred payments, without residence—						...								
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 49 ...	1,081	202,023	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,081	202,023
Do. do. do. do. 50 ...	22	19,403	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	19,403
Do. do. do. do. 52 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	3,228	6	3,883	23	7,111
Do. do. do. do. 53 ...	...	...	4	2,500	1	800	1	550	3	1,500	2	1,012	11	6,362
By direct payments, without residence—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 54 ...	156	30,674	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	30,674
Do. do. do. do. 55 ...	203	1,586	10	163	...	...	...	...	230	3,327	...	...	443	5,076
Total Conditional Purchases	5,778	1,076,392	14	2,663	1	800	1	550	250	8,055	8	4,895	6,052	1,093,355
Selections under "The Agricultural Lands Purchase Act" ...	125	24,825	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	24,825
Special Occupation Leases and Licenses—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1878," Clause 43 ...	55	6,241	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	55	6,241
Do. do. do. 1882," do. 56 ...	143	23,829	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	23,829
Total Special Occupation Leases and Licenses	198	30,070	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	198	30,070
Homestead Leases—														
Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Section 19 ...	102	147,390	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,000	103	148,390
Poisoned Land Leases or Licenses—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1878," Clause 80 ...	4	12,135	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	12,135
Do. do. do. 1882," do. 87 ...	118	1,278,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	1,278,984
Do. do. do. 1887," do. 78 ...	22	128,588	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	128,588
Total Poisoned Land Leases or Licenses	144	1,419,707	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	144	1,419,707
Immigrants' Grants	5	400	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	400
Village Allotments—														
Under "The Homesteads Act, 1893," Section 16 ...	7	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5
Total Area conditionally alienated up to the end of December, 1898	7,607	2,889,844	14	2,663	1	800	1	550	250	8,055	23	8,034	7,896	2,909,946
Total Area absolutely and conditionally alienated on the 31st December, 1898	...	6,029,309*	...	2,863	...	18,560	...	5,650	...	9,005	...	227,034	...	6,292,421

* Inclusive of Sales of Town and Suburban Lands and Free Grants for the whole Colony. † Rural Land Sales only. Sales of Town and Suburban Lands and Free Grants included under South-West Division.

No. 5.—*Number and Area of Leases and Licenses (exclusive of Mineral Leases) in force in each Land Division of the Colony on the 31st December, 1898.*

NATURE OF LEASE OR LICENSE.	South-West Division.		Gascoyne Division.		North-West Division.		Kimberley Division.		Eucla Division.		Eastern Division.		Total Western Australia.	
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Pastoral Leases—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 63 and Clauses 66-71 inclusive	984	8,635,487	591	31,563,418	269	17,202,797	346	17,403,520	67	1,577,880	333	13,233,480	2,590	89,616,582
Special Leases—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 114	67	212	1	1	6	7	10	40	...	...	12	7	96	267
Leases of Reserves—														
Under "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 35	9	7,153	...	...	...	...	2	250	2	8,340	...	...	13	15,743
Selections in Goldfields Areas—														
Under "The Mineral Lands Act, 1892," Sections 26 and 27 ...	20	7,220	3	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	60	25	7,680
Special Timber Licenses—														
Under Land Regulations prior to 1887	4	435,800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	435,800
Do. "The Land Regulations of 1887," Clause 96	365	957,706	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	365	957,706
Miscellaneous Leases or Licenses	3	1,250	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1,250
Total Area of Leases and Licenses on the 31st December, 1898	1,452	10,044,828	595	31,563,819	275	17,202,804	358	17,403,810	69	1,586,220	347	13,233,547	3,096	91,035,028

No. 6.—*Free Homestead Farms Selected during 1898.*

Land District or Agricultural Area.	Free Homestead Farms Selected during 1898.	
	No.	Acres.
OUTSIDE AGRICULTURAL AREAS.		
LAND DISTRICT—		
Avon	60	9,557
Canning	1	160
Cockburn Sound	2	278
Hay	1	160
Kent	1	160
Kojonup	74	12,062
Melbourne	2	320
Murray	29	4,640
Nelson	26	4,160
Plantagenet	50	7,921
Sussex	5	800
Swan	6	960
Victoria	1	160
Wellington	9	1,440
Williams	51	8,160
Total	318	50,938
IN AGRICULTURAL AREAS.		
NAME OF AGRICULTURAL AREA—		
Appertarra	4	589
Bainding	5	800
Beverley	4	597
Boyanup	26	3,761
Caljie	5	800
Collie	1	160
Coolup	25	3,582
Dalaroo	1	160
Darkan	3	480
Doodlekine	2	279
Dowerin	1	160
Dumberning	6	960
Ewlyamartup	6	920
Harvey	1	137
Jandakot	14	1,779
Katanning	7	1,120
Meckering	3	454
Moorumbine	5	790
Narrogin	2	320
Nonga	1	117
Preston	33	5,183
Serpentine	4	607
Tammin	1	160
Tanjanerup	6	734
Tenderden	3	443
Uduc	3	480
Wagin	2	293
Wickepin	1	160
Total	175	26,025
Total outside Agricultural Areas	318	50,938
Total in Agricultural Areas	175	26,025
Grand Total for the Colony	493	76,963

No. 7.—*Particulars of Agricultural Areas as on 31st December, 1898.*

Name.	Total acreage of area.	Acreage at present surveyed.	Acreage of Blocks.	Estimated cost of clearing at per acre.	Situation of area. Miles from Perth.	Situation of area. Miles from nearest town.	Railway.	Quality of Land, etc.	Opened for Selection.
Appertarra	6,564	6,564	13 to 827	£3	341	Adjoins Northampton	Geraldton to Northampton	Suitable for cereals and fruit. (Mineral)	2nd April, 1894.
Bainding	55,000	8,416	160	£5	156	90 from Northam	Yilgarn	Rich loamy soil. Heavily timbered. No surface water—plenty by sinking	20th March, 1895.
Beverley	35,000	22,228	100 to 296	£3 to £4	103	5 ,, Beverley	Great Southern	Good for cereals, fruit, and mixed farming	11th Sept., 1893.
Boyanup	40,843	40,843	100 to 298	£5	131	16 ,, Bunbury	Bunbury and Donnybrook	Well adapted for cereal, fruit, and vegetable growing, and dairying	1st June, 1892.
Caljie	12,500	11,826	190 to 500	£3	65	5 ,, York	Eastern	Well adapted for growth of cereals	7th Dec., 1892.
Collie	7,150	7,150	100 to 160	£5	102	8 ,, Bunbury 25 ,, Collie Coalfields	South-Western	Exceedingly fertile, and extensively watered	8th Feb., 1892.
Coolup	50,000	30,005	120 to 160	£6	56	2 ,, Pinjarrah 59 ,, Bunbury	Do.	Suitable for fruit, vegetables, and cereals. Rainfall heavy and regular	4th Sept., 1893.
Dalaroo	9,000	3,685	160	£4	98	At Moora	Midland Railway	Good soil, suitable for cereals and fruit	20th March, 1895
Darkan	62,000	12,131	146 to 703	£4	222	30 from Wagin Lake	Great Southern	Well adapted for fruit and cereals. Splendid rainfall	2nd April, 1894.
Doodlekine	40,000	9,765	160 to 250	£4	142	75 ,, Northam	Yilgarn	Soil, light sandy loam. Timbered with jam, gimlet wood, and mallee scrub. Rainfall 13 inches	6th December, 1894.
Dowerin	43,870	16,120	100 to 1,000	£3 to £4	120	40 ,, Northam	Do.	Cereals (timbered with salmon gum, gimlet, and morrell)	29th July, 1897*
Dumberning	31,147	31,147	40 to 687	£3 to £4	180	Adjoins Narrogin	Great Southern	Cereals and fruit	2nd June, 1897*
Ewlyamartup	39,258	39,258	Av. about 450	£3	230	2 from Broome Hill	Do.	Good, and suitable for corn growing	27th March, 1893.
Harvey	50,000	19,803	Av. about 120	£6	75	40 ,, Bunbury	South-Western	Suitable for growing vegetables, fruit and cereals	3rd Jan., 1893.
Jandakot	36,000	34,300	About 120	£10	12	10 ,, Fremantle	Do.	Swampy. Suitable for vegetables, especially potatoes, and dairying	1st January, 1890.
Katanning	100,000	40,997	60 to 250	£3 to £4	225	1 ,, Katanning	Great Southern	Very good. Cereals and fruit	1st February, 1892.
Koojan	14,000	9,209	160	£4	57	50 ,, Guildford	Midland Railway	Good soil, suitable for cereals and fruit	1st November, 1894.
Meckering	80,760	32,267	100 to 180	£4	89	20 ,, Northam	Yilgarn	Excellent for cereals, vegetables, and fruit. Water obtainable at about 20 feet. Admirably situated to supply wants of Yilgarn Goldfield	24th, April, 1889.
Mokine	3,100	3,100	101 to 198	£4	55	25 ,, York	Eastern	Soil, light sandy loam. Timbered with jam, gimlet wood, and mallee scrub. Rainfall 13 inches	11th Nov., 1896.
Moorumbine	31,000	29,328	200 to 530	£3 to £4	118	20 ,, Beverley	Great Southern	Good for cereals, fruit, and mixed farming	10th July, 1893.
Mullewa	12,000	6,104	160	£3	364	65 ,, Geraldton	Murchison Railway	Stiff clay soil, suitable for cereals and fruit	1st August, 1894.
Narrogin	25,000	12,782	68 to 650	£4	162	2 ,, Narrogin	Great Southern	Good for cereals, etc.	3rd January, 1893.
Nonga	11,311	11,311	96 to 394	£4	346	5 ,, Northampton	Geraldton to Northampton	Clay soil, suitable for cereals and fruit	2nd October, 1893.
Preston	51,545	51,545	160 to 600	£6	135	25 ,, Bunbury	Bunbury and Donnybrook	Good alluvial soil, specially adapted for potatoes and other root crops, fruit, dairying, and pig breeding. Heavy rainfall	20th August, 1894.
Serpentine	13,980	13,980	120 to 368	£5	34	24 ,, Pinjarrah	South-Western	Cereal and fruit growing. Heavy rainfall	9th April, 1894.
Tammin	45,000	3,290	100 to 654	£4	117	51 ,, Northam	Yilgarn	Rich clay soil. Water scarce. Suitable for cereals and fruit. 14 inches rainfall	17th Sept., 1894.
Tanjanerup	7,200	7,200	100 to 160	£6	176	18 ,, Bridgetown	Donnybrook-Bridgetown	Cereals, grazing, dairying, and specially adapted for fruit	1st May, 1897
Tenderden	30,000	10,750	100 to 368	£4	291	50 ,, Albany	Great Southern	Good corn lands, and suitable for fruit growing	1st November, 1892.
Tweed	29,000	16,882	100 to 250	£6	175	10 ,, Bridgetown	Bunbury and Donnybrook	Splendid alluvial soil. Heavy rainfall. This area contains some of the finest agricultural and fruit growing land in the Colony	8th March, 1893.
Uduc	12,000	8,415	119 to 214	£6	80	5 ,, Cookernup	South-Western	Rich soil, water plentiful. Suitable for growth of vegetables, fruit, and cereals	1st August, 1894.
Wagin	26,000	16,421	120 to 270	£3	192	1 ,, Wagin Lake	Great Southern	Fair. Some good. Cereals	1st November, 1892.
Wickepin	97,000	69,400	200 to 1,350	£3	163	10 ,, Cuballing	Do.	Excellent for cereals and fruit	13th March, 1893.

* Date on which boundaries were defined.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 8.—*Agricultural Areas open for Selection on the 31st December, 1898. Acreage, Survey, Selection, etc.*

Names of proclaimed Government Agricultural Areas.	Total Acreage of Area.	Areas surveyed on 31st December, 1898.						Area Selected during 1898.	Total Area Occupied on 31st Dec., 1898.	Balance of Surveyed Area open for Selection on 31st Dec., 1898.
		Total Number of Lots and Area surveyed.		Reserves (including Townsites).		Balance of Area. Rural Lands.				
	Acres.	No. of Lots.	Acres.	No. of Lots.	Acres.	No. of Lots.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Appertarra	6,564	43	6,423	...	...	43	6,423	748	1,177	5,246
Bainding	55,000	40	9,090	3	510	37	8,580	1,320	2,687	5,893
Beverley	35,000	118	23,595	3	1,768	115	21,827	2,523	9,686	12,141
Boyanup	40,843	303	40,843	26	5,348	277	35,495	8,081	22,847	12,648
Caljie	12,500	44	11,796	9	2,429	35	9,367	1,773	4,432	4,935
Collie	7,150	52	6,891	2	96	50	6,795	306	6,497	298
Coolup	50,000	219	32,128	7	935	212	31,193	5,175	21,709	9,484
Dalaroo	4,025	23	3,685	2	320	21	3,365	1,120	1,925	1,440
Darkan	57,500	52	11,770	4	890	48	10,880	3,707	3,390	7,490
Doodlekine	40,000	66	13,878	2	800	64	13,078	386	7,019	6,059
Dowerin	43,870	91	15,878	9	2,661	82	13,217	4,372	2,889	10,328
Dumberning	31,147	103	26,894	4	965	99	25,929	4,159	8,662	17,267
Ewlyamartup	45,195	115	44,054	11	6,963	104	37,091	2,567	4,675	32,416
Harvey	28,170	156	21,499	6	2,993	150	18,506	1,792	17,072	1,434
Jandakot	36,000	249	32,960	25	4,413	224	28,547	6,228	23,284	5,263
Katanning	50,617	364	48,383	23	6,433	341	41,950	2,933	29,467	12,483
Koojan	9,725	63	9,375	1	6	62	9,369	640	7,411	1,958
Meckering	39,100	227	34,468	10	1,523	217	32,945	2,847	30,233	2,712
Mokine	3,100	21	2,489	1	12	20	2,477	...	2,231	246
Mourambine	29,689	105	28,809	9	2,608	96	26,201	1,952	7,318	18,883
Mullewa	12,000	44	6,479	7	1,073	37	5,406	...	...	5,406
Narrogin	25,000	54	12,198	4	625	50	11,573	1,484	9,096	2,477
Nonga	11,311	74	11,280	8	1,482	66	9,798	717	817	8,981
Preston	51,545	238	51,011	15	4,314	223	46,697	12,093	23,375	23,322
Serpentine	15,200	98	14,571	14	2,268	84	12,303	1,269	11,467	836
Tammin	15,378	72	15,173	4	162	68	15,011	560	11,733	3,278
Tanjanerup	7,200	57	6,988	2	25	55	6,963	3,272	4,723	2,240
Tenterden	30,000	61	10,485	6	1,539	55	8,946	1,447	2,495	6,451
Tweed	19,685	100	19,525	4	611	96	18,914	890	9,851	9,063
Uduc	12,000	56	8,354	3	308	53	8,046	1,247	5,946	2,100
Wagin	26,000	84	15,807	11	3,552	73	12,255	293	1,691	10,564
Wickepin	68,852	170	66,902	8	3,627	162	63,275	160	6,769	56,506
Total	919,366	3,562	663,681	243	61,259	3,319	602,422	76,061	302,574	299,848

No. 9.—*Selections in Agricultural Areas during 1898.*

Names of Proclaimed Government Agricultural Areas.	Under the Homesteads Act.						Under the Land Regulations, 1887.				Total.	
	Section 33.		Section 34.		Free Farms.		Clause 49.		Clause 54.			
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Appertara	1	159	...	...	4	589	...	...	...	...	5	748
Bainding	3	520	...	...	5	800	...	...	...	...	8	1,320
Beverley	9	1,926	...	...	4	597	...	...	...	...	13	2,523
Boyanup	27	3,799	...	...	26	3,761	3	480	2	41	58	8,081
Caljie	4	973	...	...	5	800	...	...	...	...	9	1,773
Collie	...	...	...	...	1	160	1	146	...	...	2	306
Coolup	15	1,163	1	145	25	3,582	2	274	2	11	45	5,175
Dalaroo	3	960	...	...	1	160	...	...	...	...	4	1,120
Darkan	7	3,227	...	...	3	480	...	...	...	...	10	3,707
Doodlekine	1	107	...	...	2	279	...	...	...	...	3	386
Dowerin	8	3,049	...	...	1	160	3	1,163	...	...	12	4,372
Dumberning	10	2,191	...	...	6	960	3	1,008	...	...	19	4,159
Ewlyamartup ...	8	1,647	...	...	6	920	...	...	...	...	14	2,567
Harvey	6	913	...	...	1	137	6	742	...	...	13	1,792
Jandakot	18	2,316	...	...	14	1,779	18	2,133	...	...	50	6,228
Katanning	11	1,713	...	...	7	1,120	1	100	...	...	19	2,933
Koojan	2	640	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	640
Meckering	7	1,221	...	...	3	454	6	1,172	..	...	16	2,847
Mourambine	7	1,162	...	...	5	790	...	...	...	...	12	1,952
Mullewa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Narrogin	2	529	1	130	2	320	3	505	...	...	8	1,484
Nonga	4	600	...	...	1	117	...	...	...	...	5	717
Preston	31	5,655	4	535	33	5,183	4	712	1	8	73	12,093
Serpentine	5	625	...	...	4	607	1	37	...	...	10	1,269
Tammin	...	...	...	...	1	160	1	400	...	...	2	560
Tanjanerup	9	1,127	1	121	6	734	6	1,290	...	...	22	3,272
Tenterden	7	1,004	...	...	3	443	...	...	...	...	10	1,447
Tweed	1	269	...	...	...	...	2	621	...	...	3	890
Uduc	4	353	...	...	3	480	3	414	...	...	10	1,247
Wagin	...	...	...	...	2	293	...	...	...	...	2	293
Wickepin	...	...	...	...	1	160	...	...	...	...	1	160
Total	210	37,848	7	931	175	26,025	63	11,197	5	60	460	76,061

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 10.—*Total Selections in Agricultural Areas up to the end of December, 1898.*

Names of Proclaimed Government Agricultural Areas.	Under the Homesteads Act.								Under the Lands Regulations, 1887.						Total.	
	Section 33.		Section 34.		Free Farms.		Homestead Leases.		Clause 49.		Clause 54.		Clause 55.			
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Appertarra	2	243	...	...	6	834	...	...	1	100	...	. .	...	...	9	1,177
Bainding	6	1,727	...	...	6	960	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	2,687
Beverley	25	6,434	4	866	6	917	1	1,274	1	195	...	...	...	...	37	9,686
Boyanup	57	9,935	10	1,703	46	6,596	...	...	25	4,536	2	41	4	36	144	22,847
Caljie	12	2,415	5	1,217	5	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	4,432
Collie	14	3,394	4	790	11	1,653	...	...	4	660	...	...	...	...	33	6,497
Coolup	53	8,514	2	468	79	11,560	...	...	9	1,142	4	25	...	...	147	21,709
Dalaroo	2	320	1	640	5	800	...	...	1	165	...	...	...	...	9	1,925
Darkan	8	2,214	2	696	3	480	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	3,390
Doodlekine	11	3,212	...	...	13	2,047	...	...	8	1,760	...	...	...	...	32	7,019
Dowerin	7	2,569	...	...	2	320	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2,889
Dumberning	22	5,295	...	...	12	1,920	...	...	4	1,447	...	...	...	...	38	8,662
Ewlyamartup	13	2,855	...	...	12	1,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	4,675
Harvey	59	9,594	3	331	36	4,498	...	...	19	2,649	...	...	...	...	117	17,072
Jandakot	51	8,981	6	929	56	7,297	...	...	39	6,071	1	6	...	...	153	23,284
Katanning	89	22,808	4	972	25	3,705	...	...	11	1,847	3	135	...	...	132	29,467
Koojan	14	3,918	1	336	3	475	...	...	7	1,682	2	1,000	...	...	27	7,411
Meckering	65	15,477	5	1,862	34	5,067	2	2,088	25	5,709	1	30	...	...	132	30,233
Mokine	5	1,643	1	150	2	254	...	...	1	122	1	62	...	...	10	2,231
Mourambine	15	3,706	4	1,013	12	1,910	...	...	1	217	2	472	...	...	34	7,318
Mullewa	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Narrogin	19	6,044	2	254	7	1,120	...	...	8	1,678	...	...	...	...	36	9,096
Nonga	5	700	...	...	1	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	817
Preston	46	9,967	12	2,290	55	8,642	...	...	11	2,454	2	22	...	...	126	23,375
Serpentine	15	2,998	1	313	18	2,680	2	2,785	13	2,596	1	29	5	66	55	11,467
Tammin	5	1,099	1	818	5	797	...	...	28	9,019	...	...	...	...	39	11,733
Tanjanerup	12	2,529	1	121	9	1,176	...	...	5	897	...	...	...	...	27	4,723
Tenterden	9	1,331	...	...	5	739	...	...	1	425	...	...	...	...	15	2,495
Tweed	12	3,546	1	400	4	520	2	2,829	9	2,556	...	...	...	...	28	9,851
Uduc	15	2,100	1	160	19	2,946	...	...	5	740	...	...	...	...	40	5,946
Wagin	5	675	1	180	5	721	...	...	1	115	...	...	...	...	12	1,691
Wickepin	15	4,800	2	540	9	1,429	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	6,769
Total	688	151,043	74	17,049	511	74,800	7	8,976	237	48,782	19	1,822	9	102	1,545	302,574

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 11.—*Crown Lands alienated during 1898.*

TOWN AND SUBURBAN LANDS.

Towns.	Crown Lands Alienated, 1898.						
	Lots.	Area.			Amount realised.		
	No.	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
By Auction Sales.							
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION.							
Albany	8	3	0	32	555	0	0
Augusta	4	18	3	11	41	8	1
Beejording	15	133	0	15	166	7	4
Beverley	7	29	3	2	100	11	6
Boyanup	11	46	2	15	150	11	6
Bridgetown	45	105	3	39	574	8	9
Broadwater	2	35	1	2	70	10	6
Buckland Hill	2	11	3	16	510	12	3
Bunbury	4	1	0	0	225	0	0
Busselton	7	13	2	28	146	11	3
Colliefields	22	5	2	13	352	10	0
Coolingup	13	26	3	29	89	3	6
Cookernup	23	111	0	24	168	6	6
Cottesloe	4	28	1	30	1,263	10	3
Cuballing	1	2	0	0	* *		
Denison	4	5	3	9	40	8	1
Donnybrook	8	8	0	2	84	0	0
Drakesbrook	22	166	2	37	121	12	0
Dunnsborough	61	55	1	39	131	15	2
Esperance	1	0	1	28	68	0	0
Fremantle	41	20	2	19	2,717	10	0
Geraldton	13	36	0	9	449	18	1
Gingin	1	1	1	14	11	0	0
Gledhow	4	9	1	38	8	10	8
Kelmscott	4	13	0	20	119	13	3
Moora	19	37	3	24	129	7	10
Mundaring	5	2	2	0	165	10	0
Mundijong	11	5	2	0	118	0	0
Nannup	1	0	2	0	6	0	0
Narrogin	6	3	3	7	67	14	11
Northam	1	7	3	0	65	2	0
Northampton	3	1	3	38	45	0	0
Pingelly	5	1	3	7	36	9	6
Pinjarrah	3	15	0	0	31	0	0
Pinedernying	22	212	1	23	212	8	5
Puntaping	1	6	0	0	12	10	0
Serpentine	8	4	0	0	81	10	0
Swan View	7	80	2	23	434	4	9
Toodyay	10	87	1	35	218	2	4
Wagin	9	7	0	4	90	0	0
Warranine	7	87	0	12	87	1	5
Wonnerup	2	4	1	0	*		
Total South-Western Division	447	1,456	0	4	9,966	19	10
EASTERN DIVISION.							
Ballagundi	6	1	2	16	122	0	0
Bardoc	4	1	0	0	214	0	0
Black Flag	6	1	2	0	170	0	0
Bonnievale	17	4	1	0	776	5	0
Boulder	75	18	2	6	13,002	0	0
Broad Arrow	43	11	3	30	1,574	0	0
Bulong	2	0	2	0	70	0	0
Burbanks	1	0	0	37	25	0	0
Coolgardie	61	17	1	11	2,210	0	0
Dunnsville	1	0	1	0	25	0	0
Goongarrie	2	0	2	0	40	0	0
Kalgoorlie	153	38	2	38	6,070	11	3
Kambalda	1	0	1	0	20	0	0
Kanowna	5	1	1	0	254	0	0
Kunanalling	32	0	3	0	100	0	0
Kurnalpi	1	0	1	0	40	0	0
Lawlers	14	3	2	0	450	0	0
Leonora	43	10	2	38	905	0	0
Londonderry	1	0	1	0	30	0	0
Linden	2	0	2	0	31	0	0
Malcolm	38	9	2	37	1,065	0	0
Meckering	4	10	3	38	95	2	9
Menzies	13	3	1	0	595	0	0
Mt. Ida	1	0	1	0	25	0	0
Mulline	6	1	2	0	72	10	0
Niagara	6	1	2	0	130	0	0
Norseman	13	3	1	0	837	0	0
Paddington	14	3	2	24	471	2	6
Sir Samuel	4	1	0	0	110	0	0
Southern Cross	3	0	3	0	45	0	0
Wiluna	4	1	0	0	73	0	0
Yerilla	6	1	1	37	62	10	0
Total Eastern Division	582	152	0	32	29,710	1	6
GASCOYNE DIVISION.							
Austin	1	0	1	0	10	0	0
Boogardie	3	0	3	0	60	0	0
Carnarvon	2	6	0	14	36	10	6
Cuddingwarra	1	0	1	0	20	0	0
Cue	25	7	1	4	556	0	0
Day Dawn	3	0	3	0	60	0	0
Gullewa	3	0	3	16	45	0	0
Lennonville	3	0	3	0	34	0	0
Mainland	2	0	2	31	25	0	0
Mt. Magnet	22	5	2	0	682	0	0
Nannine	1	0	2	0	26	0	0
Peak Hill	38	9	2	0	1,075	0	0
Yalgoo	8	2	0	6	168	0	0
Total Gascoyne Division	112	35	0	31	2,797	10	6
NORTH-WEST DIVISION.							
Onslow	1	1	0	0	16	10	0
KIMBERLEY DIVISION.							
Broome	3	1	3	8	81	0	0
Derby	1	0	2	0	25	0	0
Wyndham	3	0	2	1	60	0	0
Total Kimberley Division	7	2	3	9	166	0	0
Instalments on Uncompleted Sales	...	...			11,855	17	1
TOTAL AUCTION SALES	**1,149**	**1,647**	**0**	**36**	**54,512**	**18**	**11**
Free Grants.							
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION.							
Albany	2	2	0	4			
Bridgetown	2	4	2	0			
Bunbury	11	3	3	39			
Cookernup	1	0	3	39			
Denison	2	0	2	15			
Esperance	1	0	1	35			
Fremantle	5	1	0	21			
Geraldton	2	0	3	24			
Northam	3	2	3	6			
Perth	7	15	3	1			
Wagin	1	1	0	32			
York	2	2	0	0			
Total South-West Division	39	36	1	16			
EASTERN DIVISION.							
Boulder	10	2	2	0			
Broad Arrow	1	0	1	0			
Bulong	9	2	1	0			
Coolgardie	8	7	2	8			
Kalgoorlie	13	3	0	6			
Kanowna	3	0	3	0			
Kunanalling	1	0	1	0			
Lawlers	2	0	2	0			
Menzies	1	2	2	20			
Norseman	11	2	3	0			
Southern Cross	1	0	2	0			
Total Eastern Division	60	22	3	34			
NORTH-WEST DIVISION.							
Port Hedland	2	0	2	0			
TOTAL FREE GRANTS	**101**	**59**	**3**	**10**			
TOTAL FREE GRANTS AND SALES (TOWN AND SUBURBAN)	**1,250**	**1,707**	**0**	**6**			

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* In exchange for roads.

** Sale completed by the Government, but purchase money paid to W.A. Land Company.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 11.—*Crown Lands alienated during 1898*—continued.

RURAL LANDS.

Land Districts.	Crown Lands Alienated, 1898.						
	Lots.	Area.			Amount realised.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
Sales. SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION.							
Avon	21	1,986	0	0	...		
Cockburn Sound ...	10	1,086	0	0	130	4	0
Canning	3	258	0	0	78	12	9
Esperance	13	187	0	0	1	0	0
Harvey	1	80	0	0	30	0	0
Kojonup	6	265	3	5	...		
Murray	4	445	0	0	40	0	0
Nelson	5	860	0	0	...		
Plantagenet	9	1,027	1	37	30	0	0
Swan	6	80	0	0	...		
Sussex	4	219	0	17	9	0	0
Victoria	17	3,647	0	0	55	15	0
Wellington	9	1,241	0	0	...		
Williams	4	640	0	0	...		
TOTAL SALES ...	**112**	**12,022**	**1**	**19**	**374**	**11**	**9**
Free Grants. SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION.							
Cockburn Sound ...	...	...			...		
Plantagenet	1	125	2	32	...		
Swan	1	0	0	31	...		
Victoria	2	39	0	29	...		
TOTAL FREE GRANTS	**4**	**165**	**0**	**12**	...		
TOTAL SALES AND FREE GRANTS (RURAL) ...	**116**	**12,187**	**1**	**31**	**374**	**11**	**9**
SUMMARY.							
TOWN AND SUBURBAN LANDS.							
Sold by Auction ...	1,149	1,647	0	36	54,512	18	11
Free Grants	101	59	3	10	...		
Total Town and Suburban Lands ...	1,250	1,707	0	6	54,512	18	11
RURAL LANDS.							
Sales	112	12,022	1	19	374	11	9
Free Grants	4	165	0	12	...		
Total Rural Lands ...	116	12,187	1	31	374	11	9
GRAND TOTAL ALIENATIONS ...	**1,366**	**13,894**	**1**	**37**	**54,837**	**10**	**8**

No. 12.—*Transactions under "The Agricultural Lands Purchase Act."*

Name of Estates Purchased.	Total Area of Estates.	Acquisition by the Government.			Date when Estate was thrown open for Selection.	Roads, Reserves, etc.	Area originally available for Selection.	Selections in 1898.		Balance of area available for Selection on the 31st December, 1898.	Amount of Revenue received to end of 1898.
		Amount of Purchase Money.	Method of Payment.	Rate of Interest payable by Government.				Lots.	Area.		
	acres.	£ s. d.				acres.	acres.	No.	acres.	acres.	£ s. d.
Coondle	7,787	7,015 9 8	Loan from Savings Bank ...	4 per cent.	11th April, 1898	85	7,702	28	4,869	2,833	544 15 7
Mount Hardey	9,802	10,275 6 0	Do. do. ...	4 per cent.	21st April, 1898	322	9,480	28	5,059	4,421	*a* 742 9 2
Throssell	14,968	25,473 0 0	Debentures	3 per cent.	9th May, 1898	478	14,490	60	13,698	792	*a* 1,934 1 10
Warding	3,175				1st February, 1899	50	3,125	...	*	3,125	*
Clifton	2,836	1,750 0 0	Loan from Savings Bank ...	4 per cent.	18th June, 1898	275	2,561	9	1,199	1,362	118 11 5
Total	38,568	44,513 15 8	...	...	...	1,210	37,358	125	24,825	12,533	3,339 18 0

a. Including instalments received from sales of town and suburban lots. * Not open for Selection during 1898.

No. 13.—*Alienated Lands (including Conditional Purchases and Free Homestead Farms). Number of Holdings from which Returns were received, arranged in Area Series, and distinguishing Electoral Districts.*

Area Series.	Albany.	Ashburton.	Beverley.	Bunbury.	Canning.	Coolgardie.	Coolgardie, East.	Coolgardie, North.	Coolgardie, North-East.	DeGrey.	Dundas.	Fremantle.	Fremantle, East.	Fremantle, North.	Fremantle, South.	Gascoyne.	Geraldton.	Greenough.	Irwin.	Kimberley, East.	Kimberley, West.	Moore.	Murchison.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1 to 5 acres	71	2	6	32	83	1	8	...	1	...	10	4	5	51	17	10	9	5	10	...	1	8	13
6 „ 15 „	8	1	9	19	42	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	2	9	19	3	6	5	5	...	...	3	7
16 „ 30 „	5	...	4	9	7	...	...	...	...	...	16	1	2	3	16	5	1	2	1	...	...	2	2
31 „ 50 „	2	1	3	5	9	...	...	...	...	1	2	6	...	...	7	...	2	8	1	...	...	4	2
51 „ 100 „	1	...	9	17	9	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	9	1	6	19	10	...	...	18	21
101 „ 200 „	...	1	21	38	18	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	1	...	20	1	9	17	7	...	...	25	27
201 „ 300 „	...	...	26	19	13	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	1	...	3	...	8	14	10	...	...	25	6
301 „ 500 „	...	1	40	30	7	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	...	7	3	20	24	13	...	...	26	11
501 „ 750 „	1	...	18	17	4	...	...	...	...	3	4	3	...	...	2	...	10	14	9	...	...	16	2
751 „ 1,000 „	...	2	23	14	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	4	10	4	...	...	8	2
1,001 „ 2,000 „	...	...	36	9	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	6	11	8	...	...	16	7
2,001 „ 3,000 „	...	...	11	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	...	...	4	1
3,001 „ 5,000 „	...	...	11	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	1	4	...
5,001 „ 7,500 „	...	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
7,501 „ 10,000 „	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	5	1
10,001 „ 15,000 „	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	1
15,001 „ 20,000 „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	6	...
20,001 „ 30,000 „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...
30,001 acres and upwards	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	5	...
Total	88	8	221	214	205	1	10	...	2	5	55	29	12	63	105	24	86	133	87	...	2	184	103

Area Series.	Murchison, Central.	Murchison, North.	Murchison, South.	Murray.	Nelson.	Northam.	Perth.	Perth, East.	Perth, West.	Perth, North.	Pilbarra.	Plantagenet.	Roebourne.	Sussex.	Swan.	Toodyay.	Wellington.	Williams.	Yalgoo.	Yilgarn.	York.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1 to 5 acres	2	...	...	18	26	55	...	5	6	46	...	16	1	5	56	30	14	6	2	...	10	645
6 „ 15 „	...	...	...	14	8	13	...	...	3	45	...	11	...	4	26	19	18	4	...	...	13	326
16 „ 30 „	...	...	...	9	4	7	...	...	...	7	...	3	...	5	28	13	10	...	...	...	7	169
31 „ 50 „	...	...	...	11	3	8	...	...	...	6	...	13	1	3	12	13	8	7	...	...	4	142
51 „ 100 „	...	...	...	30	19	20	...	...	...	8	...	45	...	18	21	36	38	102	4	...	11	476
101 „ 200 „	...	...	...	89	36	43	...	...	...	13	...	63	...	19	23	31	45	141	4	1	13	714
201 „ 300 „	...	...	...	66	43	31	...	...	2	9	...	57	...	27	8	24	28	110	2	...	12	549
301 „ 500 „	...	...	...	40	29	44	...	...	1	1	...	42	1	17	10	43	37	109	...	...	25	588
501 „ 750 „	...	...	...	9	29	42	...	...	...	2	...	22	...	8	8	20	35	72	...	..	13	363
751 „ 1,000 „	...	...	...	13	20	27	...	...	...	2	...	18	...	5	4	23	18	44	...	...	8	254
1,001 „ 2,000 „	...	...	...	13	21	34	...	...	...	4	...	21	...	6	8	20	23	59	...	...	19	330
2,001 „ 3,000 „	...	...	...	4	1	17	...	...	...	2	...	3	2	3	...	8	4	11	...	...	11	96
3,001 „ 5,000 „	...	...	...	4	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	2	3	5	6	...	...	6	68
5,001 „ 7,500 „	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	2	8	3	5	...	...	6	40
7,501 „ 10,000 „	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	4	1	1	...	...	...	4	27
10,001 „ 15,000 „	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	23
15,001 „ 20,000 „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	1	15
20,001 „ 30,000 „	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	12
30,001 acres and upwards	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	10
Total	2	...	...	326	243	357	...	5	12	146	...	330	6	124	213	295	290	682	12	1	166	4,847

Part V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 14.—*Number of Holdings from which Returns were received for 1898-9, arranged according to the various modes of Occupation, and Purposes for which Land was used.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Occupation.							Purpose for which Land was used.							
	Freehold (occupied by Owner).	Freehold (rented from Private Owner).	Partly Freehold (occupied by Owner) and partly Freehold (rented from Private Owner).	Freehold (occupied by Owner) and Crown Lands.	Freehold (rented from Private Owner) and Crown Lands.	Partly Freehold (occupied by Owner), partly Freehold (rented from Private Owner), and partly Crown Lands.	Crown Lands only.	Agriculture.	Grazing.	Dairying.	Agriculture and Grazing.	Agriculture and Dairying.	Grazing and Dairying.	Agriculture, Grazing, and Dairying.	Others — Residential, Carriers, Miners, etc.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Metropolitan Province.															
Electoral District—															
Perth	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Perth, North	81	56	5	2	1	1	...	68	8	10	23	...	...	8	29
Perth, West	6	5	1	...	...	...	...	10	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total	91	63	6	2	1	1	...	81	9	10	24	...	...	8	32
West Province.															
Electoral District—															
Fremantle	21	6	1	...	...	1	1	1	8	13	...	...	...	4	4
Fremantle, East	8	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	...	3	...	...	...	3
Fremantle, North	58	5	...	...	...	...	...	12	7	...	8	...	...	1	35
Fremantle, South	91	12	2	...	...	...	...	26	8	...	44	...	1	8	18
Total	178	27	3	...	...	1	1	43	25	13	55	...	1	13	60
East Province.															
Electoral District—															
Canning	168	30	4	3	...	...	...	66	14	...	49	...	2	10	64
Swan	153	38	18	4	...	...	1	94	5	...	39	...	...	3	73
Moore	94	15	15	39	1	20	...	25	12	...	73	...	1	45	28
Toodyay	193	46	33	11	4	8	...	63	16	...	91	...	1	66	58
Northam	278	38	28	11	...	2	...	135	10	...	114	...	...	15	83
York	118	13	23	9	1	2	1	15	5	...	114	...	1	24	8
Beverley	168	9	20	17	3	4	...	24	8	...	105	...	1	50	33
Total	1172	189	141	94	9	36	2	422	70	...	585	...	6	213	347
South-West Province.															
Electoral District—															
Murray	281	17	8	16	...	4	6	127	13	...	63	...	...	10	119
Wellington	225	23	17	20	...	5	4	51	12	...	109	...	...	104	18
Bunbury	174	17	11	11	...	1	1	39	7	...	79	...	...	50	40
Sussex	76	3	10	30	...	5	1	6	8	...	46	...	1	56	8
Nelson	164	12	9	49	1	6	2	15	41	...	89	...	...	49	49
Total	920	72	55	126	1	21	14	238	81	...	386	...	1	269	234
South-East Province.															
Electoral District—															
Williams	603	11	17	44	...	7	9	136	17	...	146	...	...	34	358
Plantagenet	257	19	15	34	...	5	2	81	23	...	79	...	...	29	120
Albany	56	28	3	1	...	...	...	28	5	...	4	...	1	1	49
Total	916	58	35	79	...	12	11	245	45	...	229	...	1	64	527
Central Province.															
Electoral District—															
Irwin	27	20	12	12	7	9	1	15	6	...	39	...	...	12	16
Yalgoo	9	...	...	3	...	...	19	...	22	...	2	...	2	...	5
Greenough	51	42	32	7	...	1	...	34	3	...	80	...	...	9	7
Geraldton	47	20	11	7	1	...	...	24	5	...	43	...	...	1	13
Murchison	69	9	7	15	1	2	14	26	25	...	47	...	...	5	14
Murchison, Central	...	1	...	1	...	...	10	5	3	...	1	...	...	...	3
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	1	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	2	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	203	92	62	45	9	12	64	107	81	...	212	...	2	27	58

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 14.—*Number of Holdings from which Returns were received for 1898-9, etc.*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Occupation.							Purpose for which Land was used.							
	Freehold (occupied by Owner).	Freehold (rented from Private Owner).	Partly Freehold (occupied by Owner), and partly Freehold (rented from Private Owner).	Freehold (occupied by Owner) and Crown Lands.	Freehold (rented from Private Owner) and Crown Lands.	Partly Freehold (occupied by Owner), partly Freehold (rented from Private Owner), and partly Crown Lands.	Crown Lands only.	Agriculture.	Grazing.	Dairying.	Agriculture and Grazing.	Agriculture and Dairying.	Grazing and Dairying.	Agriculture, Grazing, and Dairying.	Others — Residential, Carriers, Miners, etc.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.															
Electoral District—															
Dundas	43	4	1	7	...	...	7	23	9	...	15	...	...	1	14
Yilgarn	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2
Coolgardie	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Coolgardie, East... ...	9	...	...	1	...	...	23	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	32
Coolgardie, North-East	2	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8
Coolgardie, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total ...	55	4	1	9	...	...	53	25	20	...	15	...	...	2	60
NORTH PROVINCE.															
Electoral District—															
Gascoyne	14	3	...	6	...	1	24	3	40	...	3	...	...	...	2
Ashburton	1	1	...	4	1	1	23	...	25	...	...	...	2	...	4
Roebourne	...	1	1	4	...	...	4	4	5	...	...	...	1	...	...
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	3	14	...	...	...	...	...	...
DeGrey	...	...	...	5	...	...	13	...	14	...	1	...	1	...	2
Kimberley, West ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	28	...	28	...	1	...	...	...	1
Kimberley, East... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	19	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total ...	16	5	1	20	1	2	131	10	145	...	5	...	4	...	12
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	3551	510	304	375	21	85	276	1171	476	23	1511	...	15	596	1330

NOTE.—In this table "freehold" includes all lands either absolutely or conditionally alienated.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 15.—*Cropping, Clearing, etc., of Alienated Lands, Lands in process of Alienation, and Leased Crown Lands, showing for each District Total Area under Crops; under Permanent Artificially-Sown Grasses; new Ground cleared during Season; Land in Fallow; Cleared land previously Cropped; Land ring-barked or partially cleared; and Area of Land enclosed.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	Area under Crop.	Area under permanent artificially-sown grasses.	Area of new ground cleared during the season and prepared for next.	Area of land in fallow.	Area of other cleared land previously cropped, now used for grazing or not used.	Area ring-barked or partially cleared.	Total Area of cleared and partially cleared land.	Area of land enclosed.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Perth	⅞	...	...	...	...	...	⅞	1
Perth, East	7⅞	...	...	...	...	...	7⅞	11
Perth, North	695⅜	28½	63	7½	253½	45½	1,093⅜	44,009
Perth, West	47¾	...	...	...	...	...	47¾	918½
TOTAL	751⅞	28½	63	7½	253½	45½	1,149⅞	44,939½
WEST PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Fremantle	316⅜	...	44	11	539	92¼	1,002⅝	9,257½
Fremantle, East	43⅝	...	1	1	11	6	62⅝	2,950½
Fremantle, North	41⅞	47¼	6	5¼	14½	1	115⅞	217¾
Fremantle, South	749⅜	91¾	154	123½	263½	230¾	1,612⅞	20,656
TOTAL	1,151¼	139	205	140¾	828	330	2,794	33,081¾
EAST PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Canning	2,273¼	251½	458¾	235½	1,276½	5,328½	9,824	50,032¼
Swan	5,916¾	98½	814	245¼	2,495¼	3,548	13,117¾	94,019½
Moore	8,517¼	48	1,609½	1,100	5,567½	35,438¾	52,281	461,047
Toodyay	17,388¾	50	3,635½	4,058½	4,889	103,236¼	133,258	246,768
Northam	31,881⅜	54¼	8,112¼	9,691½	8,154	78,670¼	136,563⅝	378,696¼
York	16,667½	...	3,910½	8,223	6,359¼	107,734	142,894¼	284,405¼
Beverley	13,852	166½	3,875¼	6,710¼	3,392	109,249¾	137,245¾	199,043½
TOTAL	96,496⅞	668¾	22,415¾	30,264	32,133½	443,205½	625,184⅜	1,714,011¾
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Murray	5,331¾	105½	2,772¼	643½	1,803	21,245½	31,901½	209,766¼
Wellington	7,761⅜	743¾	2,161¼	724½	4,510	37,381¾	53,282⅝	257,664
Bunbury	2,867⅜	270½	691	202½	3,023½	28,117	35,171⅞	99,069¼
Sussex	1,880⅜	95½	203¾	26	3,907	2,311	8,423⅝	312,000½
Nelson	3,001⅜	76¼	882¾	262½	1,587¼	36,337½	42,147⅝	383,658¼
TOTAL	20,842¼	1,291½	6,711	1,859	14,830¾	125,392¾	170,927¼	1,262,158¼
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Williams	22,218⅜	3	6,869½	4,327½	3,878	51,636	88,932⅜	280,166
Plantagenet	4,132¾	211½	1,541¾	951¼	1,581½	59,230¼	67,649	312,156
Albany	135⅜	1	19¾	9¼	41¾	7	214⅛	416¼
TOTAL	26,486½	215½	8,431	5,288	5,501¼	110,873¼	156,795½	592,738¼
CENTRAL PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Irwin	7,584½	2	991	1,737	2,861	1,502	14,677½	144,813¼
Yalgoo	66¼	...	19	18	...	...	103¼	650,090
Greenough	12,066⅛	73	567½	1,419	3,710¼	6,244½	24,080⅜	192,882½
Geraldton	3,681⅜	170	553	249	2,473½	5,914½	13,041⅜	218,459¼
Murchison	1,803⅝	1	353	345	1,332	673½	4,508⅛	2,853,679
Murchison, Central	15⅛	...	1	2	2	...	20⅛	60,125
Murchison, South	2⅛	...	...	...	...	...	2⅛	81,002
Murchison, North	8⅛	...	...	...	½	...	8⅝	971,453¼
TOTAL	25,227¼	246	2,484½	3,770	10,379¼	14,334½	56,441½	5,172,504¼

No. 15.—*Cropping, Clearing, etc., of Alienated Lands, Lands in process of Alienation and Leased Crown Lands, showing for each District, Total Area under Crops, etc.*—continued.

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	Area under crop.	Area under permanent artifically-sown grasses.	Area of new ground cleared during the season and prepared for next.	Area of land in fallow.	Area of other cleared land previously cropped, now used for grazing or not used.	Area ringbarked or partially cleared.	Total area of cleared and partially cleared land.	Area of land enclosed.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Dundas	698⅝	¾	501	264¼	166	999	2,629⅝	591,780½
Yilgarn	10⅞	...	40	...	60	1,030	1,140⅞	1,270
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94¾
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Coolgardie, North	1½	...	...	...	...	...	1½	1½
TOTAL	711	¾	541	264¼	226	2,029	3,772	593,149¼
NORTH PROVINCE.								
Electoral District—								
Gascoyne	34¾	...	...	...	...	4	38¾	4,103,661
Ashburton	4¾	...	...	...	...	...	4¾	5,347,292¾
Roebourne	7⅝	...	...	...	...	...	7⅝	1,166,013
Pilbarra	7⅜	...	...	...	...	...	7⅜	722,663
DeGrey	6	...	...	...	...	...	6	3,133,686
Kimberley, West	44⅞	...	1	...	...	5	50⅞	1,331,032½
Kimberley, East	4¼	...	...	...	...	...	4¼	86,123
TOTAL	109⅝	...	1	...	...	9	119⅝	15,890,471¼
GRAND TOTAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA	171,776⅝	2,590	40,852¼	41,593½	64,152¼	696,219½	1,017,184⅛	25,303,054¼

No. 16.—*Valuation of Permanent Improvements in each Electoral Province and District of Western Australia during the Year 1898.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Valuation of Permanent Improvements.										
	Estimated present Value of—							Estimated Value of—			Grand Total.
	Dwelling Houses.	Other Buildings.	Fencing.	Dams and Wells.	Drainage.	Irrigation Works.	Total.	Clearing done during the season of land intended for cropping next season.	Ring-barking and partial clearing of land during the season.	Total.	
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Electoral District—											
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	310	1	15	...	...	...	326	...	...	...	326
Perth, North	26,640	3,425	8,741	1,193	6	300	40,305	1,753	593	2,346	42,651
Perth, West	2,070	1,155	406	32	...	70	3,733	...	...	...	3,733
Total	29,020	4,581	9,162	1,225	6	370	44,364	1,753	593	2,346	46,710
WEST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Fremantle	5,155	1,731	1,643	465	10	...	9,004	135	7	142	9,146
Fremantle, East	3,332	260	365	195	20	750	4,922	30	25	55	4,977
Fremantle, North ...	24,370	1,875	1,157	594	10	500	28,506	...	...	...	28,506
Fremantle, South ...	16,931	3,664	5,309	1,885	330	1,438	29,557	744	162	906	30,463
Total	49,788	7,530	8,474	3,139	370	2,688	71,989	909	194	1,103	73,092
EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Canning	38,771	13,369	12,226	3,436	949	9,381	78,132	5,363	189	5,552	83,684
Swan	69,912	20,622	17,948	6,550	846	2,977	118,855	2,564	502	3,066	121,921
Moore	46,329	27,524	37,608	17,070	75	560	129,166	3,784	845	4,629	133,795
Toodyay	53,861	21,609	32,772	17,278	151	1,225	126,896	8,503	3,108	11,611	138,507
Northam	63,218	23,596	44,501	19,819	...	232	151,366	16,166	3,965	20,131	171,497
York	38,006	26,546	29,262	8,902	35	170	102,921	7,143	806	7,949	110,870
Beverley	34,465	13,483	32,858	9,143	68	...	90,017	8,605	2,282	10,887	100,904
Total	344,562	146,749	207,175	82,198	2,124	14,545	797,353	52,128	11,697	63,825	861,178
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Murray	45,503	11,204	27,367	4,130	1,380	620	90,204	10,716	2,080	12,796	103,000
Wellington	41,274	17,865	36,360	5,075	3,248	145	103,967	7,119	2,895	10,014	113,981
Bunbury	30,622	8,027	16,935	2,557	384	50	58,575	3,674	1,343	5,017	63,592
Sussex	38,960	7,952	19,937	821	120	50	67,840	1,467	259	1,726	69,566
Nelson	30,846	12,666	32,046	3,649	141	100	79,448	3,467	3,428	6,895	86,343
Total	187,205	57,714	132,645	16,232	5,273	965	400,034	26,443	10,005	36,448	436,482
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Williams	38,226	12,492	44,141	15,736	150	...	110,745	16,538	6,345	22,883	133,628
Plantagenet	41,466	17,255	45,854	18,244	595	275	123,689	8,563	1,831	10,394	134,083
Albany	14,147	2,019	1,865	543	109	170	18,853	121	10	131	18,984
Total	93,839	31,766	91,860	34,523	854	445	253,287	25,222	8,186	33,408	286,695
CENTRAL PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Irwin	21,015	9,099	18,022	8,341	13	25	56,515	1,622	432	2,054	58,569
Yalgoo	3,517	2,959	12,592	5,541	...	...	24,609	47	...	47	24,656
Greenough	24,216	8,695	18,546	7,801	25	500	59,783	811	573	1,384	61,167
Geraldton	21,092	8,787	14,844	6,670	107	488	51,988	1,533	513	2,046	54,034
Murchison...	29,789	19,037	67,411	15,024	140	216	131,617	1,961	1,061	3,022	134,639
Murchison, Central ...	1,590	345	601	2,015	...	670	5,221	...	...	...	5,221
Murchison, South ...	990	450	300	2,170	...	...	3,910	...	...	...	3,910
Murchison, North ...	1,275	1,250	10,185	6,220	...	720	19,650	...	...	...	19,650
Total	103,484	50,622	142,501	53,782	285	2,619	353,293	5,974	2,579	8,553	361,846

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 16.—*Valuation of Permanent Improvements, etc.*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Valuation of Permanent Improvements.										
	Estimated present Value of—							Estimated Value of—			Grand Total.
	Dwelling Houses.	Other Buildings.	Fencing.	Dams and Wells.	Drainage.	Irrigation Works.	Total.	Clearing done during the season of land intended for cropping next season.	Ring-barking and partial clearing of land during the season.	Total.	
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Electoral District—											
Dundas	6,298	4,825	20,671	10,021	46	97	41,958	918	1,365	2,283	44,241
Yilgarn	500	100	375	440	...	...	1,415	80	230	310	1,725
Coolgardie	100	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	100
Coolgardie, East	...	50	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	50
Coolgardie, North-East ...	70	10	...	...	...	...	80	...	...	...	80
Coolgardie, North ...	155	310	150	1,288	...	...	1,903	...	...	...	1,903
Total	7,123	5,295	21,196	11,749	46	97	45,506	998	1,595	2,593	48,099
NORTH PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Gascoyne	16,120	11,915	75,111	31,873	...	...	135,019	...	10	10	135,029
Ashburton	14,860	15,700	72,585	29,525	...	...	132,670	...	...	...	132,670
Roebourne	3,730	1,916	15,652	3,445	...	...	24,743	...	...	...	24,743
Pilbarra	3,550	1,420	12,741	5,483	...	...	23,194	...	...	...	23,194
DeGrey	11,470	13,010	53,320	18,071	...	...	95,871	...	...	...	95,871
Kimberley, West	7,025	5,615	31,657	2,430	100	...	46,827	10	10	20	46,847
Kimberley, East	3,760	1,951	5,299	884	...	...	11,894	...	...	...	11,894
Total	60,515	51,527	266,365	91,711	100	...	470,218	10	20	30	470,248
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	875,536	355,784	879,378	294,559	9,058	21,729	2,436,044	113,437	34,869	148,306	2,584,350

II.—AGRICULTURE.

No. 17.—*Areas under various kinds of Crops in Western Australia during each of the Ten Seasons 1889-90 to 1898-99.*

Season.	Grain Crops.							Hay of all kinds.	Green Forage.	Potatoes.	Root Crops.		Kitchen Gardens.	Market Gardens.	Other Crops.	Fruit.		Total Area under Crop.
	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Dry Beans.	Dry Peas.				Onions.	All other Root Crops.				Vines.	Orchards.	
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1889-90	35,507	80	2,075	5,475	649			25,704	329	462	*	*	*	*	¶	1,038	2,039	73,408
1890-91	33,820	81	1,934	5,322	501			23,183	161	511	*	*	*	*	¶	1,024	3,141	69,678
1891-92	26,866	23	1,302	3,738	400			28,534	238	532	*	*	*	*	¶	1,004	1,573	64,210
1892-93	35,061	33	1,695	3,666	454			35,124	214	529	*	*	*	*	¶	1,218	1,611	79,605
1893-94	42,673	37	2,571	3,603	568			29,590	359	630	*	*	*	*	¶	1,643	2,040	83,714
1894-95	21,433	27½	1,635	1,949	532			49,896	281½	703	*	*	*	*	¶	1,863	3,008	81,328
1895-96	23,241	23	1,880	1,932	327			63,804	430	668	*	*	*	*	¶	2,217	3,299	97,821
1896-97	31,488½	30¼	1,753	1,903	340			69,436½	815¼	720¼	59½	133¾	*	‖ 371	¶	† 2,294	** 2,393¼	111,738¼
1897-98	38,705½	243¼	1,677¾	1,693¾	342¾	17⅛	68⅛	80,938½	961¾	1,361½	54¼	133¼	695⅛	712¾	¶	2,654½	2,922⅞	133,182¾
1898-99	75,031¾	110¼	3,072½	2,185¾	514	18	167¾	79,223¼	564¼	1,675½	95¾	128	871¼	1,437¼	43¼	2,960⅝	3,677½	171,776⅝

* Included under heading "Orchards."

** The apparent falling off in 1896-97, as regards the heading "Orchards," is to some extent explained by the fact that the acreages now separately specified under "Onions," "Other Root Crops," "Market Gardens," etc., were in previous years all included under the one heading.

† *The acreages under "Vines" and "Fruit Trees" in 1896-97 and subsequent years have been compiled on the basis of the actual number of vines and fruit trees planted according to a standard supplied by the Department of Agriculture, which allows 600 vines or 100 fruit trees to the acre; a comparison between the figures of these years and those of previous years is, therefore, valueless.*

‖ Includes 27½ acres *miscellaneous crops.*

¶ No information available.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 18.—*Total Yield of the Principal Crops in Western Australia for each of the Ten Seasons 1889-90 to 1898-99.*

Season.	GRAIN CROPS.							Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	ROOT CROPS.	
	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Dry Beans.	Dry Peas.			Onions.	All other Root Crops.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
1889-90	504,902	1,017	42,545	92,877	*	*	*	24,394	1,891	*	*
1890-91	467,389	1,526	38,791	85,451	*	*	*	25,014	1,900	*	*
1891-92	265,852	344	20,328	40,745	*	*	*	24,109	1,729	*	*
1892-93	406,350	719	31,534	54,450	*	*	*	40,880	1,937	*	*
1893-94	520,198	573	47,603	47,329	*	*	*	34,196	2,309	*	*
1894-95	170,351	756	20,246	14,921	*	*	*	38,456	2,545	*	*
1895-96	180,077	600	19,326	18,691	*	*	*	53,758	2,290	*	*
1896-97	243,928	504	18,871	12,816	*	*	*	50,500	2,089	144	228
1897-98	408,595	4,826	29,266	23,423	2,917	734	1,082	75,464	4,270	152	371
1898-99	870,909	1,365	55,854	29,295	4,812½	491	2,421½	77,297¼	5,698	245½	457¼

* No information available.

No. 19.—*Average yield per Acre of the Principal Crops in Western Australia for each of the Ten Seasons 1889-90 to 1898-99.*

Season.	GRAIN CROPS.							Hay of all kinds.	Potatoes.	ROOT CROPS.	
	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Dry Beans.	Dry Peas.			Onions.	All other Root Crops.
	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.	tons per acre.	tons per acre.	tons per acre.	tons per acre.
1889-90 ...	14·22	12·71	20·50	16·96	*	*	*	0·95	4·09	*	*
1890-91 ...	13·82	18·84	20·06	16·06	*	*	*	1·08	3·72	*	*
1891-92 ...	9·90	15·11	15·62	10·90	*	*	*	0·84	3·25	*	*
1892-93 ...	11·59	21·78	18·61	14·85	*	*	*	1·16	3·67	*	*
1893-94 ...	12·19	15·40	18·51	13·14	*	*	*	1·16	3·67	*	*
1894-95 ...	7·95	27·49	12·39	7·66	*	*	*	0·77	3·62	*	*
1895-96 ...	8·09	26·07	10·28	9·67	*	*	*	0·84	3·43	*	*
1896-97 ...	7·75	16·66	10·76	6·73	*	*	*	0·73	2·90	2·42	1·71
1897-98 ...	10·56	19·84	17·44	13·83	8·51	42·86	15·88	0·93	3·14	2·80	2·78
1898-99 ...	11·61	12·38	18·18	13·40	9·36	27·28	14·43	0·98	3·40	2·56	3·57

* No information available.

No. 20.—*Areas under various kinds of Crops in each Electoral Province and District of Western Australia for the Season ended 28th of February, 1899.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Areas under—																					Total Area under Crops.
	Grain.							Hay and Green Forage.		Potatoes.	Root Crops.		Kitchen and Market Gardens.		Other Crops.	Fruit.						
																Grapes for Wine making.		Grapes for Table use.		Other Fruit Crops.		
	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Dry Beans.	Dry Peas.	Hay.	Green Forage.		Onions.	All other Root Crops.	Kitchen Gardens.	Market Gardens.		Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	⅛	½	⅛	⅞
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½	...	...	...	4½	...	...	...	¼	⅛	1	½	7⅞
Perth, North	...	¼	1	...	...	1	1	124¼	18½	37¼	...	1¼	21¼	413¾	3½	1⅜	1⅞	11	9¾	23⅛	25¼	695⅜
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4½	...	...	...	4½	24¾	...	...	⅞	1⅞	...	10⅞	⅜	47¾
Total	...	¼	1	...	...	1	1	124¼	23	38¾	...	1¼	25¾	443	3½	1⅜	2¾	13¼	10	35½	26¼	751⅞
WEST PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Fremantle	...	8	...	...	62	...	¼	198¼	6¼	15¾	...	...	6	8	...	1⅜	...	⅝	⅛	7⅞	1⅞	316⅜
Fremantle, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5	½	...	...	2¼	3	2	...	1⅞	2¾	4⅛	1⅜	8¾	43⅝
Fremantle, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2½	¼	1	...	...	9¾	5	...	¼	...	4⅛	2⅜	7¼	9⅜	41⅞
Fremantle, South	20	2½	13	2	...	...	3	419½	...	50¼	3¾	3	9	101	...	4⅛	⅛	18⅞	19⅞	40½	38⅞	749⅜
Total	20	10½	13	2	62	...	3¼	632¼	11½	67½	3¾	3	27	117	2	5¾	2	26⅜	26½	57	58⅞	1,151¼
EAST PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Canning	67	2	29	2½	8	3½	16¾	1,279½	48½	66¾	4½	24¼	44	149¼	18¾	54	60¾	28⅜	31⅞	132½	201½	2,273¼
Swan	759	½	51½	7	...	1	6½	3,547½	28¼	53½	4¾	12	32½	74¾	...	435	245⅜	130⅝	122⅝	158	246⅜	5,916¾
Moore	3,662¼	4	549½	98½	50½	1	7¾	3,643¼	5	19¾	4¾	18¾	88¾	69¼	4	137⅝	6⅛	22¼	6¾	57¼	60¼	8,517¼
Toodyay	9,720¾	...	251	70½	...	...	...	6,473¼	26¾	21¼	12	...	43	20	...	346	66¼	70¾	47	114⅝	105⅝	17,388¾
Northam	15,392	...	427	202¾	14	...	3¾	15,369¾	8	4¼	3¾	2	18¾	15	...	44½	65½	60¾	37½	83	129⅛	31,881⅜
York	7,970¼	...	8	254	...	...	1	8,223	5½	2	...	...	35¾	23¾	...	5⅞	⅛	27⅞	3¼	72½	34⅝	16,667½
Beverley	7,498¾	16	97	168	...	...	5	5,877½	16½	10½	¼	...	33	8	1¾	1⅞	2¼	15¼	5¾	53⅜	41¼	13,852
Total	45,070	22½	1,413	803¼	72½	5½	40¾	44,413¾	138½	178	30	57	295¾	360	24½	1,024⅞	446⅜	355⅞	254¾	671¼	818¾	96,496⅞
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Murray	354	1¾	132	26½	48	½	28¾	3,808½	38½	110½	2¾	7	110½	84½	2	111	27⅛	38⅜	37⅛	128¾	233⅝	5,331¾
Wellington	1,266¼	10¾	297½	24	32	1	19	4,865	177¼	478	3½	25½	60½	49¼	4½	40⅝	55⅞	38⅝	33¾	91⅝	186⅞	7,761⅜
Bunbury	462	18¼	140¾	13	23	4¼	23	1,472½	58	278¼	5¾	1¾	42¾	33¼	1	22⅝	10⅜	24¾	31⅛	62¾	138¼	2,867⅜
Sussex	234½	10½	68¼	5	247½	4	¾	941	11	139	4½	6	35	18½	...	35½	5½	11¼	2⅞	41⅜	58⅜	1,880⅜
Nelson	831	5½	220¼	17¾	8	¼	28½	1,300¾	16¼	94¼	5	3¼	57¾	9¾	4¾	13½	13½	10¾	14⅜	124⅝	221⅝	3,001⅜
Total	3,147¾	46¾	858¾	86¼	358½	10	100	12,387¾	301	1,100	21½	43½	306½	195¼	12¼	223¼	112⅜	123¾	119¼	449⅛	838¾	20,842¼

SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Williams	13,492	7	371½	142½	10	...	...	7,778	14	½	...	...	19	5	...	25⅝	17⅛	37⅝	34⅜	149⅞	114¼	22,218⅜
Plantaganet	1,479	17	48¼	37½	3	...	18	1,679¾	30½	254½	31	8	45¾	140¾	...	6¼	8⅝	12½	10¾	110⅛	191½	4,132¾
Albany	..	¼	...	...	...	½	2	6½	6½	18¼	4¾	...	23¾	47	...	⅛	...	⅛	⅜	8¾	16½	135⅜
Total	14,971	24¼	419¾	180	13	½	20	9,464¼	51	273¼	35¾	8	88½	192¾	...	32	25¾	50¼	45½	268¾	322¼	26,486½
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Irwin	4,058	...	68	311	...	¼	...	3,083	...	6½	2½	¼	17½	13¼	...	...	...	4⅛	1½	8¾	9⅞	7,584½
Yalgoo	15	6	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66¼
Greenough	5,744	...	218	705	...	...	¾	5,331	8	1	...	...	22½	6	1	1⅞	⅛	4⅞	2⅜	13⅛	6½	12,066⅛
Geraldton	1,440½	...	73	66	7	¾	½	1,989	28	5	...	2½	13	21¾	...	⅝	9¼	2	5	8⅛	9⅜	3,681⅜
Murchison	546	...	8	29	...	...	...	1,115½	...	4¾	¼	2	26¼	21¼	...	...	...	6¾	9¼	13⅞	20¾	1,803⅝
Murchison, Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4½	9½	...	...	...	⅛	⅛	...	⅞	15⅛
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	2⅛
Murchison, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4¾	...	...	...	...	⅜	1½	½	8⅛
Total	11,803½	6	367	1,111	7	1	1¼	11,563½	36	17¼	2¾	4¾	85	78½	1	2½	9⅜	17⅞	18¾	45⅜	47⅞	25,227¼
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Dundas	9½	...	...	3¼	1	...	1	612½	3¼	¾	1	8½	16	13¼	...	...	⅞	⅞	7¼	1¾	17⅞	698⅝
Yilgarn	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅜	...	½	...	10⅞
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½
Total	19½	...	...	3¼	1	...	1	613½	3¼	¾	1	8½	16	13¾	...	...	⅞	1¼	7¼	2¼	17⅞	711
NORTH PROVINCE.																						
Electoral District—																						
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	14	...	...	1	2	3½	12	...	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	½	¾	34¾
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4¼	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	¼	⅛	4¾
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	7⅝
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4¼	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	7⅜
DeGrey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	12	7	...	...	...	...	⅛	13½	2¼	44⅞
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4¼
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	24	...	...	1	2	26¾	37	...	⅛	⅛	¼	¼	14¼	3⅜	109⅝
GRAND TOTAL—WESTERN AUSTRALIA	75,031¾	110¼	3,072½	2,185¾	514	18	167¾	79,223¼	564¼	1,675½	95¾	128	871¼	1,437¼	43¼	1,289⅞	599⅝	588⅞	482¼	1,543½	2,134	171,776⅝

No. 21.—*Specifications of Acreages under Fruit Trees in 1898-99.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Oranges.		Lemons.		Apples.		Pears.		Quinces.		Apricots.		Peaches.		Plums.		Nectarines.		Cherries.		Figs.		Almonds.		Loquats.		Mulberries.		Olives.		Other Fruit Crops.		Total Fruit Trees.	
	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Perth	...	...	...	...	⅛	⅛	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	½	⅛
Perth, East	⅛	⅛	...	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	⅛	⅛	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	½
Perth, North	1⅞	2¼	⅜	2⅛	5⅛	5⅜	1¼	2¾	2¼	⅝	⅞	1⅝	2½	3⅜	½	1¼	⅝	1	...	¼	4⅛	3	⅞	⅝	¾	⅝	½	⅜	1	...	½	...	23⅛	25¼
Perth, West	1	...	⅝	...	2½	¼	1¼	...	¾	⅛	⅜	...	1⅝	...	⅜	...	⅜	...	...	...	¾	...	¼	...	⅞	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	10⅞	⅜
Total	3	2⅜	1	2¼	7⅞	5⅞	2¾	2¾	3⅛	¾	1⅜	1⅝	4¼	3½	1	1¼	1	1	...	¼	5	3	1⅛	⅝	1⅝	⅝	⅝	⅜	1	...	¾	...	35½	26¼
WEST PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Fremantle	¼	⅛	...	⅛	⅞	⅜	...	...	¼	⅛	½	⅛	1	¾	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	...	4⅛	¼	¼	...	...	...	¼	...	⅛	...	...	...	7⅞	1⅞
Fremantle, East	⅛	1¾	...	¼	¼	1⅞	...	¾	⅛	⅜	⅛	⅜	⅛	1	...	½	...	⅜	...	...	¼	½	⅜	¼	...	¼	...	⅛	...	...	...	⅜	1⅜	8¾
Fremantle, North	...	1⅛	...	½	1⅞	1½	⅛	⅝	⅜	¼	⅜	⅞	⅞	1¼	...	1	⅛	⅜	...	⅛	2⅜	1⅛	½	¼	⅛	⅛	½	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	7¼	9⅜
Fremantle, South	5¼	5⅜	1⅛	2¼	13⅜	10⅛	1	2⅜	⅞	2⅞	2¾	4¼	3¼	5⅛	½	1½	1	⅝	...	⅛	5¾	2	1¾	⅞	⅝	⅜	⅞	⅜	⅛	⅛	2¼	½	40½	38⅞
Total	5⅝	8⅜	1⅛	3⅛	16⅜	13⅞	1⅛	3¾	1⅝	3⅝	3¾	5⅝	5¼	8⅛	⅝	3	1¼	1⅜	...	¼	12½	3⅞	2⅞	1⅜	¾	¾	1⅝	⅝	¼	¼	2¼	⅞	57	58⅞
EAST PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Canning	28⅞	85⅝	15¼	22½	19⅞	24¼	9⅛	17¼	10⅛	2¾	6⅝	12½	7¾	11¼	4⅛	8⅞	3⅛	3¼	⅛	⅝	8⅝	4⅞	3½	2⅛	3¾	1⅝	¾	1¼	⅝	⅛	10¼	2⅝	132½	201½
Swan	19¾	29	4⅛	10⅛	45⅛	105¼	9½	17⅜	7½	6¾	7½	12	19⅞	27⅞	10¾	13⅞	4¾	3¾	¼	⅞	14⅜	6¼	2⅝	3¾	2⅜	1¾	1⅝	⅝	5¼	1¼	2⅝	5⅞	158	246⅜
Moore	9⅛	20¼	1¼	10⅛	7⅞	6⅛	1¼	1¼	¾	½	1½	8⅞	7⅞	4⅝	2⅝	1⅜	⅞	¾	...	⅛	17¼	4	2¼	1⅜	¼	⅛	1⅜	⅛	2½	½	½	⅛	57¼	60¼
Toodyay	14¼	18½	8½	12⅞	34	33¼	6⅛	5⅛	2	1½	13½	7⅞	12⅞	10⅝	5¾	5⅛	2½	1⅝	⅛	¾	9⅝	3¼	3⅛	3⅝	¼	⅛	⅞	½	¼	¼	⅞	⅝	114⅝	105⅝
Northam	5½	11¼	1⅝	8¼	17¼	48⅛	3½	5¾	3⅝	3⅞	9	9¼	18⅜	15¼	5⅜	7⅞	2⅝	4⅛	½	⅞	11⅞	9¼	2½	2½	⅛	⅜	1	1¼	⅛	½	...	⅝	83	129⅛
York	7⅜	4¼	1⅜	1¼	17½	12½	3⅛	3¾	2¼	1¼	6⅝	2¼	10⅝	3⅝	7¾	2¼	2⅞	1⅛	¾	¼	7⅞	¾	2⅞	⅞	⅛	⅛	⅞	¼	⅜	...	⅛	⅛	72½	34⅝
Beverley	2¼	2⅞	⅜	⅞	15⅛	10½	2⅛	3⅛	2⅛	2⅝	3½	3⅛	8⅜	5⅛	4⅜	4½	2¼	1⅛	⅛	¾	8⅛	4	4	1⅝	...	⅛	½	⅜	⅛	⅛	...	⅜	53⅜	41¼
Total	87⅛	171¾	32½	66	156¾	240	34¾	53⅝	28⅜	19¼	48¼	55⅞	85¾	78⅜	40¾	43⅞	19	15¾	1⅞	4¼	77¾	32⅜	20⅞	15⅞	6⅞	4¼	7	4⅜	9¼	2¾	14⅜	10⅜	671¼	818¾
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Murray	17⅝	37¼	7⅛	20	37¼	100⅝	4¼	11½	5¼	4¼	10⅞	8¼	14⅛	19½	4⅝	10⅜	2⅛	1⅞	⅜	1½	17⅜	13⅜	2⅛	1⅞	2	1¼	1⅛	⅜	1⅞	1	⅝	⅝	128¾	233⅝
Wellington	8¼	26⅝	2⅝	10⅝	28⅞	75	5⅝	9½	2	2⅝	7½	13½	9	17⅝	5	9¼	1⅜	2	⅝	4⅞	12¼	7⅞	1¾	2½	¾	1⅛	1¾	1⅛	3⅛	1⅞	1⅛	¾	91⅝	186⅞
Bunbury	3½	12⅜	1¼	6½	21⅝	62¾	2¼	9	1¼	2¼	2⅝	8¼	8⅛	9⅞	3	7	1⅛	2¼	¼	8⅜	8¼	4¾	1	2⅜	½	⅝	⅞	½	⅛	¼	7	1⅛	62¾	138¼
Sussex	1½	2⅜	1¼	⅞	10⅜	29½	3⅛	6⅛	1½	1¼	1½	2¾	5⅞	6½	2¼	3⅛	1½	1⅜	¼	½	8⅞	2⅛	¾	⅞	¼	⅛	1¾	⅜	⅛	...	½	½	41⅜	58⅜
Nelson	1	3⅛	¼	1⅜	75¼	170¼	10⅜	7⅜	1½	2¼	2	4⅛	14⅞	11½	10½	6½	2½	2⅛	¾	2¾	2¾	3⅛	⅝	4½	⅛	⅜	⅝	½	⅛	⅜	1⅜	1⅜	124⅝	221⅝
Total	31⅞	81¾	12½	39⅜	173⅜	438⅛	25⅝	43½	11½	12⅝	24½	36⅞	52	65	25⅜	36¼	8⅝	9⅝	2¼	18	49½	31¼	6¼	12⅛	3⅝	3½	6⅛	2⅞	5⅜	3½	10⅝	4⅜	449⅛	838¾

SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Williams	4⅞	3⅞	1⅛	1⅛	44¼	35	9¼	12⅛	5⅜	3½	18⅜	8¼	20⅝	18½	18¾	10¼	5⅜	4⅝	2⅛	3⅛	10	5⅜	7⅜	6½	⅛	¼	1⅝	1⅛	¼	⅛	⅜	½	149⅞	114¼
Plantagenet	1½	3	⅜	1⅝	61½	89⅞	9⅞	23¼	2	3⅛	4⅝	12¼	12	15⅞	9⅝	21¼	1¾	3¼	1⅜	5⅝	2⅛	3⅜	1⅝	2¼	⅛	⅜	⅞	1	...	⅝	¾	4¾	110⅛	191½
Albany	...	⅛	⅛	¼	3¾	7¼	1⅛	2¾	⅜	⅜	½	1¼	1¼	1½	⅝	¾	¼	⅜	⅛	¼	⅜	½	⅛	⅛	...	¼	⅛	⅜	...	...	...	⅜	8¾	16½
Total	6⅜	7	1⅝	3	109½	132⅛	20¼	38⅛	7¾	7	23½	21¾	33⅞	35⅞	29	32¼	7⅜	8¼	3⅝	9	12½	9¼	9⅛	8⅞	¼	⅞	2⅝	2½	¼	¾	1⅛	5⅝	268¾	322¼
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Irwin	⅝	1⅛	⅜	⅝	⅞	2⅛	...	⅝	⅜	⅜	⅝	¾	1⅛	1⅛	...	¼	⅛	⅜	...	...	3½	1¼	⅜	½	⅛	...	⅜	½	...	...	¼	¼	8¾	9⅞
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	2½	⅜	⅛	⅛	3⅜	1½	⅜	¼	...	⅛	⅜	⅛	1⅛	⅝	⅛	¼	⅛	⅛	...	¼	3⅞	1⅞	1	¼	...	⅛	⅛	⅛	...	⅛	...	¼	13⅛	6½
Geraldton	⅝	2½	...	¼	1⅜	1½	...	1	⅛	...	⅛	¼	1⅝	1½	...	¼	...	...	...	...	3⅝	1¾	⅜	¼	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	¼	...	8⅛	9⅜
Murchison	3	7¼	⅛	⅜	1	3¼	¼	1¼	...	⅛	⅜	1½	4⅜	3¼	⅛	⅜	⅛	⅛	...	⅛	2⅞*	2	⅛	½	...	¼	¼	⅛	...	...	1¼	¼	13⅞	20¾
Murchison, Central ...	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅞
Murchison, South ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North ...	...	¼	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½	...	1½	½
Total	6¾	11⅝	⅝	1⅝	6⅝	8½	⅝	3⅛	½	⅝	1½	2¾	8¼	6¾	¼	1⅛	⅜	⅝	...	⅜	13⅞	7⅛	1⅞	1½	⅛	⅜	¾	⅞	...	⅛	3¼	¾	45⅜	47⅞
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Dundas	...	⅛	...	⅛	¼	⅞	...	¼	⅜	¼	⅛	¾	...	½	...	½	...	⅛	...	...	⅞	5½	...	4½	...	⅛	...	¼	⅛	4	...	...	1¾	17⅞
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	⅛	...	⅛	⅜	⅞	...	¼	⅜	¼	¼	¾	⅛	½	...	½	...	⅛	...	...	1	5½	...	4½	...	⅛	...	¼	⅛	4	...	...	2¼	17⅞
NORTH PROVINCE.																																		
Electoral District—																																		
Gascoyne	...	⅛	...	¼	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	¾
Ashburton	...	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	⅛
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	⅛
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅛
DeGrey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13½	2¼	13½	2¼
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	⅛	⅛	¼	...	⅛	...	⅛	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	⅜	⅜	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13½	2⅜	14¼	3⅜
Grand Total, Western Australia	140¾	283⅛	49½	115¾	470⅞	839½	85⅛	145¼	53¼	44⅛	103⅛	125¼	189¾	198⅛	97	118¼	37⅝	36¾	7¾	32⅛	172½	92¾	42⅛	44⅞	13¼	10½	18¾	11⅞	16¼	11⅜	45⅞	24⅜	1543½	2134

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 22.—*Total Yield of the Principal Crops grown in the various Electoral Provinces and Districts of Western Australia during the Season ended the 28th February, 1899; also Quantity of Wine made.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	GRAIN CROPS.							HAY.	POTATOES	ROOT CROPS.		WINE.
	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Dry Beans.	Dry Peas.			Onions.	All other Root Crops.	
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gallons.
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5½	...	...	...
Perth, North	...	6	30	...	...	75	25	133¾	207½	...	22	...
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	6	30	...	...	75	25	133¾	213	...	22	...
WEST PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	450	...	...	189	39½	...	...	...
Fremantle, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	1½	...	...	...
Fremantle, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3¼	5	...	...	...
Fremantle, South	525	120	230	10	...	...	25	425	201	6½	12	...
Total ...	525	120	230	10	450	...	25	627¼	247	6½	12	...
EAST PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Canning	951	40	705	35	75	84	383½	1,378¼	303½	13¼	95½	10,760
Swan	6,501	4	1,091	75	...	60	169	3,697	161¾	7¼	35½	60,775
Moore	42,049	140	9,647	1,323	404½	10	130	3,532½	39¾	5¾	56	3,502
Toodyay	118,925	...	4,753	1,188	...	...	...	6,104¼	33½	5¼	...	24,686
Northam	188,122	...	9,683	3,114	150	...	70	16,063¼	12½	4½	1	3,010
York	115,114	...	116	3,454	...	...	25	8,986	2¾	...	...	470
Beverley	91,488	146	2,020	2,445	...	...	20	5,889¾	11¾	½	...	...
Total ...	563,150	330	28,015	11,634	629½	154	797½	45,651	565½	36½	188	103,203
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Murray	3,773	5	2,468	577	312	4	399	3,412½	275½	15¾	19¾	3,066
Wellington	13,216	229	5,336	317	313	40	270	4,640½	1,805	5½	98	1,468
Bunbury	5,304	159	3,672	242	191	45	280	1,482½	955¼	38¼	9	1,628
Sussex	2,872	347	602	65	2,586	100	6	859½	561	23½	18	1,156
Nelson	9,674	15	4,624	209	75	5	433	1,363½	367¼	15	21	884
Total ...	34,839	755	16,702	1,410	3,477	194	1,388	11,758½	3,964	98	165¾	8,202
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Williams	140,946	28	5,507	2,256	94	...	...	6,344¾	1½	...	...	1,774
Plantagenet...	17,319	88	1,115	518	40	...	152	1,622½	563¾	67¾	19	470
Albany	...	10	...	...	...	50	8	17¼	97½	27¾	...	...
Total ...	158,265	126	6,622	2,774	134	50	160	7,984½	662¾	95½	19	2,244
CENTRAL PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Irwin	45,387	...	997	3,440	...	5	...	3,762	15½	7¼	1	...
Yalgoo	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	...	...	...
Greenough	49,059	...	2,318	8,733	...	...	5	4,258½	2¾	...	...	150
Geraldton	14,743	...	790	929	110	13	3	1,743½	11	...	10	...
Murchison	4,846	...	150	329	...	...	...	914	14	¼	4	...
Murchison, Central ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	114,035	28	4,255	13,431	110	18	8	10,700	43¼	7½	15	150
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Dundas	95	...	...	36	12	...	6	408¼	2½	1	33½	...
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Total ...	95	...	...	36	12	...	6	412¼	2½	1	33½	...
NORTH PROVINCE.												
Electoral District—												
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	20	...	½	2	...
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DeGrey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	30	...	½	2	...
Grand Total, Western Australia ...	870,909	1,365	55,854	29,295	4,812½	491	2,421½	77,297¼	5,698	245½	457¼	113,799

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 23.—*Average Yields per Acre of the Principal Crops in the various Electoral Provinces and Districts of Western Australia for the Season ended the 28th February, 1899.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	GRAIN CROPS.							HAY.	POTATOES.	ROOT CROPS.	
	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Dry Beans.	Dry Peas.			Onions.	All other Root Crops.
	Bushels per acre.	Bushels per acre.	Bushels per acre.	Bushels per acre.	Bushels per acre.	Bushels per acre.	Bushels per acre.	Tons per acre.	Tons per acre.	Tons per acre.	Tons per acre.
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·67	...	...
Perth, North	...	24·00	30·00	...	...	75·00	25·00	1·08	5·57	...	17·60
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	24·00	30·00	...	...	75·00	25·00	1·08	5·50	...	17·60
WEST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Fremantle	...	*	...	...	7·26	...	*	0·95	2·51	...	...
Fremantle, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	3·00	...	...
Fremantle, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	5·00	...	...
Fremantle, South	26·25	48·00	17·69	5·00	...	...	8·33	1·01	4·00	1·73	4·00
Total ...	26·25	11·43	17·69	5·00	7·26	...	7·69	0·99	3·66	1·73	4·00
EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Canning	14·19	20·00	24·31	14·00	9·38	24·00	22·90	1·08	4·55	2·94	3·94
Swan	8·57	8·00	21·18	10·71	...	60·00	26·00	1·04	3·02	1·53	2·96
Moore	11·48	35·00	17·56	13·43	8·01	10·00	16·77	0·97	2·01	1·21	2·99
Toodyay	12·23	...	18·94	16·85	...	...	...	0·94	1·58	0·44	...
Northam	12·22	...	22·68	15·36	10·71	...	18·67	1·05	2·94	1·20	0·50
York	14·44	...	14·50	13·60	...	...	25·00	1·09	1·38	...	...
Beverley	12·20	9·13	20·82	14·55	...	...	4·00	1·00	1·12	2·00	...
Total ...	12·50	14·67	19·83	14·48	8·68	28·00	19·57	1·03	3·18	1·22	3·30
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Murray	10·66	2·86	18·70	21·77	6·50	8·00	13·88	0·90	2·49	5·73	2·82
Wellington	10·44	21·30	17·94	13·21	9·78	40·00	14·21	0·95	3·78	1·57	3·84
Bunbury	11·48	8·71	26·09	18·62	8·30	10·59	12·17	1·01	3·43	6·65	5·14
Sussex	12·25	33·05	8·82	13·00	10·45	25·00	8·00	0·91	4·04	5·22	3·00
Nelson	11·64	2·73	20·99	11·77	9·38	20·00	15·19	1·05	3·90	3·00	6·46
Total ...	11·07	16·15	19·45	16·35	9·70	19·40	13·88	0·95	3·60	4·56	3·81
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Williams	10·45	4·00	14·82	15·83	9·40	...	...	0·82	3·00	...	...
Plantagenet	11·71	5·18	23·11	13·81	13·33	...	8·44	0·97	2·22	2·19	2·38
Albany	...	40·00	...	...	...	100·00	4·00	2·65	5·34	5·84	...
Total ...	10·57	5·20	15·78	15·41	10·31	100·00	8·00	0·84	2·43	2·67	2·38
CENTRAL PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Irwin	11·18	...	14·66	11·06	...	20·00	...	1·22	2·38	2·90	4·00
Yalgoo	*	4·67	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...
Greenough	8·54	...	10·63	12·39	...	...	6·67	0·80	2·75	...	...
Geraldton	10·23	...	10·82	14·08	15·71	17·33	6·00	0·88	2·20	...	4·00
Murchison	8·88	...	18·75	11·34	...	...	...	0·82	2·95	1·00	2·00
Murchison, Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	9·66	4·67	11·59	12·09	15·71	18·00	6·40	0·93	2·51	2·73	3·16
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Dundas	10·00	...	...	11·08	12·00	...	6·00	0·67	3·33	1·00	3·94
Yilgarn	*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·00	...	...	...
Total ...	4·87	...	...	11·08	12·00	...	6·00	0·67	3·33	1·00	3·94
NORTH PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·00	1·43	...	0·50	1·00
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
De Grey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·00	1·25	...	0·50	1·00
Grand Total, Western Australia	11·61	12·38	18·18	13·40	9·36	27·28	14·43	0·98	3·40	2·56	3·57

* Complete failure.

No. 24.—*Breadstuff Statistics, 1896–1898.*

Year.	IMPORTS, EXPORTS, AND PRODUCTION OF WHEAT.							QUANTITIES OF WHEAT REQUIRED FOR SEED AND AVAILABLE FOR FOOD.		Mean Population.	WHEAT PER HEAD OF MEAN POPULATION.			
	Imports during the Year ended 31st December.											Requirements, Production, and Deficiency.		
	Flour Imported.		Wheat Imported.	Total Imports of Flour and Wheat expressed in bushels of Wheat.	Exports.	Quantity of Wheat produced in the Colony during Season ended February.	Total Wheat available from Importation and Home production.	Seed required for the following Season.	Net Quantity of Wheat available for Food.		Quantity available for Food.	Gross requirements of Wheat for Seed and Food.	Home production of Wheat.	Deficiency.
	Quantity.	Equivalent in Wheat.*												
	Tons.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	No.	Bushels Per head.	Bushels Per head.	Bushels Per head.	Bushels Per head.
1896	14,889	744,450	181,846	926,296	*Nil*	188,077	1,114,373	† 116,000	998,373	122,809	8·13	9·07	1·53	7·54
1897	15,983	799,150	212,750	1,011,900	*Nil*	243,928	1,255,828	‡ 137,333	1,118,495	155,749	7·18	8·06	1·57	6·49
1898	14,866	743,300	291,571	1,034,871	*Nil*	408,595	1,443,466	§ 172,500	1,270,966	169,271	7·51	8·52	2·41	6·11

* One ton of Flour is estimated equivalent to 50 bushels of Wheat. † Seed required for Season 1896-97, 31,488 acres of Wheat for Grain, and 69,436 acres of Hay (less 20 per cent., or 13,887 acres allowed for Oaten Hay); total, 87,037, or, say, 87,000 under Wheat at 80lbs. of seed to the acre. ‡ Seed required for 1897-8 Season, 38,705 acres of Wheat for Grain, and 80,938 acres of Hay (less 20 per cent., or, 16,187 acres allowed for Oaten Hay); total, 103,456, or, say, 103,000 acres under Wheat at 80lbs. of seed to the acre. § Seed required for Season 1898-99, 75,031 acres of Wheat for Grain, and 79,223 acres of Hay (less 20 per cent., or 15,845 acres allowed for Oaten Hay); total, 138,409, or, say, 138,000 acres of Wheat at 75lb. of seed per acre.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 25.—*Reported partial or complete failures of Grain, Hay, and Root Crops, 1898–9; Causes of failures and areas affected.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Flood.	Drought.	Bush Fire.	Rust.	Locusts	Vermin	Hail-storms.	Excessive Rains.	Frost.	Blight.	Rabbits and Hares.	Other* Causes.	Total.
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
WHEAT CROP. *Total Area under Wheat, 75,031¾ Acres.*													
EAST PROVINCE.													
Canning	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	5
Swan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Moore	...	8	...	...	...	14	...	52	...	...	...	72	146
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	...	23	...	130	265
Northam	...	103	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	458	691
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	17
Beverley	...	190	7	...	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	234	463
Total	...	305	57	...	...	46	...	164	..	104	...	914	1,590
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Murray	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13
Wellington	2	5	...	...	...	1	...	20	...	...	...	3	31
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	9
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	13½	...	24	...	...	...	62	99½
Total	13	5	...	...	...	14½	...	53	..	...	...	67	152½
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Williams	...	...	50	...	...	30	...	...	...	22	...	357½	459½
Plantagenet	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total	3	...	50	...	...	30	...	...	...	22	...	357½	462½
CENTRAL PROVINCE.													
Irwin	...	50	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	215	335
Yalgoo	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Greenough	...	301	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21½	362½
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	12
Murchison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8
Total	...	366	110	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	244½	732½
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Yilgarn	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Total	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Grand total	16	686	217	...	...	90½	...	217	...	138	...	1,583	2,947½
MAIZE CROP. *Total Area under Maize, 110¼ Acres.*													
WEST PROVINCE.													
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	8
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	8
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Murray...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	...	...	1	1½
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	3	13
Sussex	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	...	...	...	...	4½	5
Total	2	...	...	...	...	½	...	10½	...	...	...	8½	21½
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Plantagenet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	8	10
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	8	10
Grand Total	2	...	...	...	...	½	...	12½	...		...	23½	39½
OAT CROP *Total Area under Oats 3072½ Acres.*													
EAST PROVINCE.													
Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	4	4
Northam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Murray...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7
Sussex	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	15
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	3¼	...	...	...	...	...	2½	5¾
Total	5	...	...	...	...	3¼	...	15	...	...	...	4½	27¾

* Including causes not specified.

Part V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 25.—*Reported partial or complete failures, etc.*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Flood.	Drought.	Bush Fire.	Rust.	Locusts	Vermin	Hail-storms.	Excessive Rains.	Frost.	Blight.	Rabbits and Hares.	Other* Causes.	Total.
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
Oat Crop—*continued.*													
South-East Province.													
Plantagenet	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Central Province.													
Greenough	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	24
Total	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	24
Grand Total	5	7	...	...	...	3¼	...	15	...	...	...	31½	61¾
Rye Crop. *Total Area under Rye 514 acres.*													
West Province.													
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
South-West Province.													
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Grand Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	6
Barley Crop. *Total Area under Barley 2,185¾ acres.*													
East Province.													
Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2
Northam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	6
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	8
South-West Province.													
Murray	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	¾	...	...	...	...	...	...	¾
Total	4	...	...	...	...	¾	...	...	...	...	...	1	5¾
South-East Province.													
Plantagenet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8
Central Province.													
Irwin	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	4	77
Greenough	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	6	11
Total	...	13	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	70	...	13	101
Grand Total	4	13	...	...	...	5¾	...	2	...	76	...	22	122¾
Dry Peas Crop. *Total Area under Peas, 167¾ acres.*													
Metropolitan Province.													
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
West Province.													
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	¼
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	¼
East Province.													
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	...	...	1¼	1¾
Swan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	...	...	8¼	8¾
South-West Province.													
Murray...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2½	...	...	...	1	3½
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	4
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	1¾	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	3
Total	...	...	...	...	...	1¾	...	3½	...	...	...	5¼	10½

* Including causes not specified.

No. 25.—*Reported partial or complete failures, etc.*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Flood.	Drought.	Bush Fire.	Rust.	Locusts	Vermin	Hail-storms.	Excessive Rains.	Frost.	Blight.	Rabbits and Hares.	Other* Causes.	Total.
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
DRY PEAS CROP.—*continued.*													
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Plantagenet	...	½	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	6½
Total	...	½	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	6½
CENTRAL PROVINCE.													
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Dundas...	...	¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	¼
Total	...	¼	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼
Grand Total	...	¾	...		...	6¾	...	4	...	¼	...	15½	27¼
DRY BEAN CROP. *Total Area under Beans, 18 acres.*													
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.													
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	½	½
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
EAST PROVINCE.													
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	1¼
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	1¼
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	¼
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	¼
Grand Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
HAY CROP. *Total Area under Hay 79,223¼ Acres.*													
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.													
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
WEST PROVINCE.													
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	25
Fremantle, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½	1½
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	1½	26½
EAST PROVINCE.													
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	10½	14½
Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	112¾	...	5	...	75	192¾
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	84
Northam	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	917	930
York	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45
Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total	45	...	11	...	...	6	...	118¾	...	5	...	1,086½	1,272¼
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Murray	151½	...	...	...	...	...	...	258½	...	...	...	76	486
Wellington	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	242	...	...	...	18	293
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	118
Sussex	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	6	10
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	21	33
Total	184½	...	...	...	...	...	...	516½	...	...	...	239	940
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Williams	40	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	384	434
Plantagenet	...	...	..	...	...	5	...	8	...	...	...	...	8
Total	40	5	...	...	...	5	...	8	...	...	...	384	442
CENTRAL PROVINCE.													
Irwin	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20
Greenough	...	158	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	158
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	35
Total	...	178	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	213
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Dundas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18
Grand Total	269½	183	11	...	...	11	...	643¼	...	30	...	1,768	2,915¾

* Including causes not specified.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 25.—*Reported partial or complete failures, etc.*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Flood.	Drought.	Bush Fire.	Rust.	Locusts	Vermin	Hail-storms.	Excessive Rains.	Frost.	Blight.	Rabbits and Hares.	Other* Causes.	Total.
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
POTATO CROP. *Total Area under Potatoes 1,675½ Acres.*													
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.													
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	...	...	1	2
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2
WEST PROVINCE.													
Fremantle	½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3½
Fremantle, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	1
Total	½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4½
EAST PROVINCE.													
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	4
Swan	...	¾	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	½	6¼
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2
Total	...	¾	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	3½	12¼
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Murray...	4	¾	...	...	...	...	...	18¼	1	½	...	17½	42
Wellington	1	4½	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	½	...	18¼	28¼
Bunbury	2¾	6	...	...	...	...	...	20½	...	3	...	17	49¼
Sussex	½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5½	11
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½	...	...	...	4	5½
Total	8¼	11¼	...	...	...	...	...	44¼	1	9	...	62¼	136
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Plantagenet	5	15½	...	...	...	3	...	7	3	...	...	7¾	41¼
Total	5	15½	...	...	...	3	...	7	3	...	...	7¾	41¼
CENTRAL PROVINCE.													
Murchison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	½
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Dundas...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	¼
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	¼
Grand Total	13¾	27½	...	...	...	3	...	60¼	4	9¼	...	79	196¾
ONION CROP. *Total Area under Onions, 95¾ acres.*													
EAST PROVINCE.													
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	...	...	¼
Swan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	½	...	½	1½
Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¾	...	...	...	...	¾
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	...	¾	...	½	2½
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	¼
Nelson	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	1¼
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Plantagenet	...	1¾	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	2
Total	...	1¾	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	¼	2
Grand Total	...	2¾	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	...	¾	...	1	5¾
ALL OTHER ROOT CROPS. *Total Area under all other Root Crops, 128 acres.*													
EAST PROVINCE.													
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Swan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	2	2½
Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	½	...	9	9½
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.													
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	7
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	7
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Plantagenet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	...	...	...	...	1¼
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1¼	...	...	...	...	1¼
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.													
Dundas...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2¾	2¾
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2¾	2¾
Grand Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8¼	...	½	...	11¾	20½

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* Including causes not specified.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 26.—*Irrigation, 1898.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Largest area under irrigation during the year.	Source of Water Supply.	Implements and Machinery in use			Kind of Crops treated.	Remarks as to Results.
			Irrigation Pumps.	Windmills.	Water Lifters.		
	Acres.		No.	No.	No.		
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.							
Perth, East ... ... Total	¼	Well	...	1	...	Garden	Fair.
Perth, North	2	Well	1	...	...	Vegetables	Successful.
	2	Wells	...	1	1	General	Fair
	2	Well	...	1	2	Fruit and vegetables	Improvement in fruit; no result yet in vegetables.
Total	6		1	2	3		
Perth, West ... ... Total	4	Well	...	1	...	Fruit	Good.
Total, Metropolitan Province	10¼		1	4	3		
WEST PROVINCE.							
Fremantle, East	¾	Well	...	1	...	Vines, etc.	Fair.
	½	Well	...	1	...	Vines and fruit trees	Fair.
	15	Well	1	...	...	Orchard	Good.
Total	16¼		1	2	...		
Fremantle, North	4	Well	...	1	1	Fruit and vegetables	Fair.
	½	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables and grape vines	Very good.
	¾	Well	...	1	...	Orchard and garden	Good.
	2	Well	...	1	...	Vines and fruit trees	Fairly good.
	8	Well	1	...	...	Vines and fruit	Fair.
	1½	Soakage Well	1	...	...	Vines and fruit trees	Fair.
	⅛	Well	1	1	...	Garden	Satisfactory.
Total	16⅞		3	5	1		
Fremantle, South	1	Artesian Well	...	1	...	Vines and fruit trees	Fair.
	1½	Well	...	1	...	Fruit trees and vines	No results as yet.
	4	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables and fruit trees	Good results.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables	Good.
	10	Well	1	...	...	Fruit trees and vegetables	Good.
	4	Well	1	1	1	Orchard and garden	Good.
	3½	Well	1	...	...	Market garden and fruit trees	Very good.
	2½	Wells	...	...	...	Vegetables	Good.
	3	Well	1	1	...	Vegetables and fruit trees	Good.
	4	Well	2	...	...	Market garden	Fair.
	8	Well	1	1	...	Vegetables	Fair.
	4	Well	1	1	...	Garden produce	Good.
	2	Well	...	1	...	Fruit trees	Good results.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables and fruit trees	Good.
Total	49½		8	10	1		
Total, West Province	82⅝		12	17	2		
EAST PROVINCE.							
Canning	10	Well	...	1	...	Fruit	Fair.
	6	Well	2	1	...	Nursery stock	Satisfactory.
	2	Well	1	...	...	Vegetables	Satisfactory.
	4	Springs	...	...	...	Vegetables	Good.
	60	Water Main and Well	...	...	...	Orchard and market garden	Satisfactory.
	14	Canning River	2	1	...	Fruit trees	Fair.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Fruit and vegetables	Fair.
	2	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables	Good.
	½	Well	...	1	1	Vegetables	Good.
	4	Metropolitan Water Works	...	...	...	Vegetables and fruit	Fair.
	36	Do. do.	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Good (especially citrus fruits).
	9	Do. do.	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Fair.
	2	Well	...	1	1	Vegetables and nursery	Good.
	1	Spring and Well	...	...	1	Vines	Fair.
	2½	Well	...	1	1	Fruit and vegetables	Fair.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Fruit and vegetables	Fair.
	1½	Well	...	1	1	Garden	Fair.
	4½	Well	1	1	...	Garden and orchard	Fair.
	½	Well	1	1	...	Green fodder	Good.
	1	Well	1	1	...	Fruit	Good.
	10	Well (Wondong Creek)	...	1	2	Vegetables, etc.	Good.
	2	Canning River	...	...	...	Vegetables	Good.
	½	Spring	...	...	...	Vegetables	Good.
	17	Artesian Bore	...	1	...	Vegetables and fruit trees	Fair.
	1	Spring	...	...	...	Vegetables, etc.	Poor.
Total	193		8	15	7		

No. 26.—*Irrigation, 1898*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Largest area under irrigation during the year.	Source of Water Supply.	Implements and Machinery in use			Kind of Crops treated.	Remarks as to Results.
			Irrigation Pumps.	Windmills.	Water Lifters.		
	Acres.		No.	No.	No.		
Swan	10	Spring	...	1	2	Mixed	Good.
	40	Artesian and other Wells	1	...	...	Fruit	Excellent.
	10	Well and Soakage	2	...	...	Nursery stock	Good.
	2	Dam and Wells	2	1	...	Fruit trees	Good.
	2	Well	...	1	...	Fruit trees, etc.	Good.
	4	Artesian Well	1	...	...	Vegetables	Very satisfactory.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Fruit and vegetables	Fair.
	2	Well	...	1	...	Fruit and vegetables	Good.
	10	Well	1	1	1	Fruit and vegetables	Fair.
	1	Well	1	1	...	Fruit trees	Very good.
	25	Artesian Well and Spring	...	...	...	Market garden	Good.
	1	Wells	1	1	...	Oats	Very good.
	10	Well	1	1	...	Fruit	Fair.
	14	Well	1	1	...	Fruit	Fair.
	1	Well	1	1	...	Fruit, vegetables, etc.	Good.
	1¾	Well	...	1	...	Fruit trees, grass	Advantageous.
Total	134¾		12	12	3		
Moore	3	Dam	...	1	...	Vegetables	Fair.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Garden	Good.
	1¼	Gingin Brook	...	...	...	General	Good.
	½	Springs	...	...	...	General	Good.
	60	Gingin Brook	...	...	...	Oranges, lemons, and vegetables	Satisfactory.
	20	Gingin Brook	...	...	...	Vegetables	Fair.
	10	Gingin Brook	...	...	...	Oranges, lemons, garden, grass	Favourable.
Total	95¾		...	2	...		
Toodyay	80	Dam	1	...	...	Fruit and other trees and vines	
	6	Springs	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Good.
Total	86		1	...	...		
Northam	½	Well	1	...	...	Vegetables	Fair.
	2	Dam	...	2	1	Green fodder and trees	Very good.
Total	2½		1	2	1		
York	6	Avon River	...	...	...	Fruit trees and vegetables	Fair.
	3	Avon Pool	1	1	...	Orchard.	
Total	9		1	1	...		
Total, East Province	521		23	32	11		
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.							
Murray	15	Pipe Clay Brook	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Very satisfactory.
	20	Serpentine	...	...	...	Fruit trees and lucerne	Fruit trees unsatisfactory, lemons beneficial.
	3	Cardup Creek	...	...	...	Orange trees and vegetables	Vegetables very satisfactory.
	10	Spring	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Very beneficial.
	1	Mill Brook	1	...	...	Fruit trees	Very beneficial.
	½	Serpentine	1	...	...	Melons and fruit trees	Good.
	1	Mount Irves Brook	...	...	...	Pumpkins and cabbages	Good.
	2	McKinswell's Brook	...	...	...	Vegetables	Good.
	3	Rodney Creek	...	...	...	Potatoes and cabbages	Excellent.
	3	River Murray	1	...	2	Citrons	Excellent.
Total	58½		3	...	2		
Wellington	¾	Spring	...	...	...	Vegetables	Splendid.
	1	Well	...	1	...	Kitchen garden	Very good.
	2	Preston River	1	1	...	Potatoes	Fair.
Total	3¾		1	2	...		
Bunbury ... Total	1	Well	1	1	...	Fruit trees	Very good.
Sussex ... Total	1	Well	1	1	...	Kitchen garden	Fair.
Nelson ... Total	½	Blackwood River	1	1	...	Vegetable garden, etc.	Fair.
Total, South-West Province	64¾		7	5	2		

No. 26.—*Irrigation, 1898*—continued.

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Largest area under irrigation during the year.	Source of Water Supply.	Implements and Machinery in use			Kind of Crops treated.	Remarks as to Results.
			Irrigation Pumps.	Windmills.	Water Lifters.		
	Acres.		No.	No.	No.		
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.							
Plantagenet	4	Spring	1	1	...	Vegetables and fruit trees	Fair.
	4	Willyung Creek	1	1	1	Market garden	Good results.
	2½	Five Mile Creek	2	...	...	Market garden	No results yet.
Total	10½		4	2	1		
Albany Total	5	Wells	1	1	...	Vegetables	Good results.
Total, South-East Province	15½		5	3	1		
CENTRAL PROVINCE.							
Irwin	½	Well	...	1	...	Melons, pumpkins, tomatoes	Results good.
	1	Wells	...	2	1	Vegetables and fruit trees	Good.
	½	Well	...	1	...	Garden, vines, and figs	Good.
Total	2		...	4	1		
Greenough	5	Natural Springs	...	...	...	Fruit and vegetables	Good results.
	1	Artesian Well	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Good.
	2	Artesian Well	1	1	...	Fruit trees	Fair.
	1	Wells	3	3	2	Vegetables and fruit	Very good.
	4	Natural Soakage	...	...	...	Fruit trees	Good.
Total	13		4	4	2		
Geraldton	10	Well	1	1	...	Garden and fruit trees	Satisfactory.
	6	Darby's Gully	...	2	...	Wheaten hay	Fair.
	2	Well	...	1	1	Pumpkins, cabbages, potatoes	Fair.
	5	Natural Running Springs and Wells	1	1	...	Fruit trees and vegetables.	
	14	Surface Springs	1	...	...	Vegetables	Fair.
Total	37		3	5	1		
Murchison	3	Wells	2	2	...	Various vegetables	Good.
	2	Wells	2	...	1	Fruit trees	Fair.
Total	5		4	2	1		
Murchison, Central	2	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables	Fair.
	1	Well	1	1	...	Vegetables and fruit trees	Fair.
	3	Well	1	...	...	Vegetables.	
	3	Well	1	1	...	Vegetables and fruit	Fair.
	3	Well	1	...	...	Vegetables	Fair.
Total	12		4	3	...		
Murchison, South Total	2	Wells	1	1	...	Market garden produce	Very satisfactory.
Murchison, North	1½	Well	2	1	...	Vegetables and fruit	Fair.
	½	Well	...	1	...	Garden produce	Fair.
	1¾	Wells	1	1	...	Fruit and vegetables	Satisfactory.
	2	Well	2	1	1	Mixed vegetables	Not payable for want of more water.
Total	5¾		5	4	1		
Total, Central Province	76¾		21	23	6		
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.							
Dundas Total	½	Ordinary Well	1	1	...	Cabbages, peas, and tomatoes	Satisfactory.
Total, North-East Province	½		1	1	...		
NORTH PROVINCE.							
Gascoyne	½	Well	1	1	...	Various	Fair.
	4	Well	...	2	...	Vegetables	Fair.
	4	Well	...	1	...	Vegetables	Fair.
Total	8½		1	4	...		
Total, North Province	8½		1	4	...		
Grand Total, Western Australia	779⅞		71	89	25		

No. 27.—*Dairying—Quantities of Butter and Cheese made, Bacon and Ham cured, and Pork salted and pickled during 1898; also Specification of Machinery in use in Dairy Pursuits.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	DAIRYING PRODUCTS.					MACHINERY IN USE FOR PRODUCTION OF BUTTER AND CHEESE.					
	Butter made during the year.	Cheese made during the year.	Bacon cured during the year.	Ham cured during the year.	Pork salted or pickled during the year.	Cream Separators.		Butter Workers.	Churns.		Cheese Presses.
						Hand.	Steam, Horse, etc.		Hand.	Steam, Horse, etc.	
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Perth...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Perth, East ...	50	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	1	...	...
Perth, North	1,110	...	150	50	412	4	...	...	4	...	..
Perth, West...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	1,210	...	150	50	612	4	...	...	6	...	...
WEST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Fremantle ...	1,050	...	350	50	700	...	...	...	3	...	...
Fremantle, East ...	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Fremantle, North ...	762	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Fremantle, South ...	1,141	...	480	100	1,820	1	...	1	7	...	...
Total	3,053	...	830	150	2,520	1	...	1	13	...	...
EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Canning ...	8,088	...	982	160	5,850	4	2	3	28	...	...
Swan ...	6,780	...	1,066	780	27,329	2	1	2	20	...	...
Moore ...	10,887	535	5,784	1,945	90,768	4	...	3	70	...	1
Toodyay ...	6,199	...	14,899	7,561	128,042	5	...	1	29	...	...
Northam ...	8,339	...	18,379	8,485	120,954	6	...	...	33	...	...
York ...	3,974	...	994	1,414	100,403	1	...	...	11	...	...
Beverley ...	6,137	45	18,497	7,061	93,769	3	...	...	19	...	...
Total	50,404	580	60,601	27,406	567,115	25	3	9	210	...	1
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Murray ...	15,656	...	3,032	168	11,060	8	...	2	23	...	...
Wellington ...	77,963	...	5,255	1,124	22,369	33	4	10	100	2	...
Bunbury ...	17,573	...	4,152	598	12,449	5	...	1	48	...	...
Sussex ...	39,162	...	6,648	746	17,082	12	4	3	86	3	...
Nelson ...	10,089	...	7,466	1,331	8,603	12	1	4	52	...	...
Total	160,443	...	26,553	3,967	71,563	70	9	20	309	5	...
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Williams ...	12,431	20	11,232	4,318	111,915	2	...	...	54	...	...
Plantagenet...	9,964	4	4,262	1,009	17,150	1	...	...	30	...	...
Albany ...	416	...	1,852	776	2,920	...	...	...	1	...	...
Total	22,811	24	17,346	6,103	131,985	3	..	...	85	...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Irwin... ...	6,670	...	4,380	895	27,110	3	...	1	21	...	...
Yalgoo ...	920	...	...	...	400	...	...	...	2	...	...
Greenough ...	12,090	100	3,560	178	30,512	4	...	1	18	...	1
Geraldton ...	1,477	...	810	120	7,800	...	...	...	4	...	...
Murchison ...	3,080	...	460	60	3,126	1	...	...	14	...	...
Murchison, Central ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, South ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	24,237	100	9,210	1,253	68,948	8	...	2	59	...	1
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Dundas ...	152	...	...	...	802	...	...	...	3	...	...
Yilgarn ...	75	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	1	...	...
Coolgardie ...	...	...	...	...	4,730	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North ...	...	...	...	...	400	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	227	...	...	...	6,032	...	...	...	4	...	...
NORTH PROVINCE.											
Electoral District—											
Gascoyne ...	900	...	...	...	400	...	...	...	2	...	...
Ashburton ...	240	...	...	...	900	...	...	...	1	...	...
Roebourne ...	240	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Pilbarra ...	100	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	1	...	...
DeGrey ...	215	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Kimberley, West ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, East ...	560	...	448	...	1,344	...	...	...	2	...	...
Total	2,255	...	648	...	2,744	...	...	...	8	...	...
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	264,640	704	115,338	38,929	851,519	111	12	32	694	5	2

No. 28.—*Ensilage, Bee, and Poultry Farming, 1898.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	ENSILAGE.			BEE FARMING.			POULTRY FARMING.			
	Silos.		Ensilage made.	Number of Bee Hives.	Quantity of Honey made.	Quantity of Bees-wax made.	NUMBER OF POULTRY KEPT ON 31ST DECEMBER.			
	Pits.	Stacks.					Fowls.	Ducks.	Geese.	Turkeys.
	No.	No.	Tons.	No.	lbs.	lbs.	No.	No.	No.	No.
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,425	401	30	22
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	484	152	2	
Perth, North	...	...	...	104	1,900	200	7,269	1,658	35	9
Perth, West	...	...	...	7	56	...	1,542	334	1	1
Total	...	...	...	111	1,956	200	10,720	2,545	68	32
WEST PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Fremantle	...	3	100	10	...	...	1,954	1,823	14	9
Fremantle, East	...	...	...	12	130	...	883	287	14	2
Fremantle, North	...	...	...	5	...	...	2,075	1,036	13	73
Fremantle, South	...	...	...	325	8,905	461	6,813	1,989	74	89
Total	...	3	100	352	9,035	461	11,725	5,135	115	173
EAST PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Canning	3	5	385	211	2,975	358	8,659	1,813	87	120
Swan	2	2	50	279	7,057	316	10,866	1,330	68	65
Moore	3	...	35	133	1,561	223	16,494	1,905	52	874
Toodyay	...	3	55	48	60	10	18,323	1,837	115	188
Northam	...	1	20	6	120	10	19,529	1,799	410	127
York	...	1	26	177	7,529	90	9,854	876	93	418
Beverley	...	1	4	12	220	42	11,446	565	224	759
Total	8	13	575	866	19,522	1,049	95,171	10,125	1,049	2,551
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Murray	...	...	...	217	2,645	107	12,462	1,422	176	318
Wellington	2	...	13	277	3,212	430	13,395	1,651	154	310
Bunbury	1	...	30	113	1,490	161	8,312	1,152	96	162
Sussex	...	...	...	277	5,110	415	5,245	999	41	62
Nelson	1	...	20	68	379	70	6,878	551	41	122
Total	4	...	63	952	12,836	1,183	46,292	5,775	508	974
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Williams	1	...	4	105	1,130	78	18,434	1,086	168	235
Plantagenet	...	...	...	121	1,553	141	9,383	1,279	140	63
Albany	...	...	...	78	1,435	92	3,540	936	97	4
Total	1	...	4	304	4,118	311	31,357	3,301	405	302
CENTRAL PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Irwin	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,746	508	43	16
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,684	94	4	
Greenough	1	2	40	...	...	...	9,936	584	23	268
Geraldton	...	4	52	...	...	...	6,739	957	26	89
Murchison	. .	...	...	1	20	1	5,663	243	35	57
Murchison, Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,927	173	4	56
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,424	106	...	3
Murchison, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,154	17		
Total	1	6	92	1	20	1	36,273	2,682	135	489
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Dundas	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,841	288	29	28
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,867	142	8	28
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,533	908	51	12
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,348	555	11	37
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,202	395	3	13
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,611	80		
Total	..	...	...	...	...	...	17,402	2,368	102	118
NORTH PROVINCE.										
Electoral District—										
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,040	141	24	16
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	992	27	2	22
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	972	59	13	23
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	981			
DeGrey	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,206	36		
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,296	24		
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	591	3	...	23
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,078	290	39	84
Grand Total, Western Australia	14	22	834	2,586	47,487	3,205	257,018	32,221	2,421	4,723

No. 29.—*Agricultural Implements and Machinery in use during the Season ended the 28th February, 1899.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Agricultural Implements and Machinery.																								
	For Cultivation.												For Harvesting.					For Preparing Crops for Sale or Use.							
	Stump-jumping Ploughs.	Ordinary Ploughs, single furrow.	Ordinary Ploughs, double furrow.	Ordinary Ploughs, treble furrow and more.	Harrows.	Rollers.	Scarifiers and Cultivators.	Horse Hoes.	Earth Scoops.	Seed Drills and Sowers.	Stump Extractors.	Clod Crushers.	Reapers and Mowers.	Reapers and Binders.	Strippers.	Horse Hay Rakes.	Harvesters.	Chaff Cutters.	Winnowers.	Threshers.	Grain Crushers.	Grain Dressers.	Wine Presses.	Grape Mills.	Stills.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Metropolitan Province.																									
Electoral District—																									
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, North	...	31	...	...	20	4	3	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	10	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, West...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	31	...	...	20	4	3	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	10	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
West Province.																									
Electoral District—																									
Fremantle	...	23	2	...	19	12	2	...	...	2	...	...	7	1	...	2	...	17	3	2	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, East	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, North	1	3	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, South	1	64	4	1	35	17	18	1	...	4	2	1	2	4	...	1	...	32	...	...	2	...	1	...	...
Total	2	92	6	1	57	29	23	1	...	7	3	1	9	5	...	3	...	51	3	2	2	...	1	...	...
East Province.																									
Electoral District—																									
Canning	7	125	13	3	77	38	48	10	4	6	6	4	13	11	...	11	1	52	3	7	8	1	4	1	1
Swan...	6	159	52	5	132	57	77	23	6	13	12	3	21	41	13	27	1	65	20	12	11	2	13	13	3
Moore	27	222	66	6	159	80	53	11	3	13	6	2	68	50	47	44	...	108	72	25	5	...	1	...	1
Toodyay	85	252	77	12	259	132	78	6	10	23	9	5	58	84	92	75	...	120	92	7	23	1	5	2	3
Northam	188	205	80	19	388	161	134	11	12	49	11	2	46	178	123	62	2	124	117	12	28	2	4		...
York	92	140	83	2	204	136	101	10	6	15	9	3	50	96	81	76	2	120	81	12	15	1	1		...
Beverley	76	170	65	5	178	87	103	11	15	24	16	...	37	86	76	52	...	110	78	7	24	...	...	1	...
Total	481	1,273	436	52	1,397	691	594	82	56	143	69	19	293	546	432	347	6	699	463	82	114	7	28	17	8
South-West Province.																									
Electoral District—																									
Murray	5	222	31	2	150	70	61	17	2	7	7	2	23	47	...	6	1	96	20	14	7	...	2	1	3
Wellington	8	288	72	11	326	80	102	28	5	28	7	...	31	83	1	10	...	129	47	22	17	1	1	1	...
Bunbury	4	141	21	4	142	31	53	18	1	9	4	...	13	25	1	4	...	65	22	9	6	...	1	1	...
Sussex	4	136	11	1	93	26	30	3	1	5	1	1	14	11	...	2	...	62	24	11	9	...	1		...
Nelson	17	145	21	2	118	20	66	14	4	4	...	...	25	29	6	5	...	78	31	18	6				...
Total	38	932	156	20	829	227	312	80	13	53	19	3	106	195	8	27	1	430	144	74	45	1	5	3	3

SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Williams	185	215	46	11	284	139	64	9	20	22	27	1	61	127	104	43	3	190	115	26	27	2	...	...	...
Plantagenet...	38	186	22	5	174	68	60	16	14	24	13	1	20	28	14	12	...	87	30	19	2	1	...	...	...
Albany	...	14	...	...	12	3	8	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3				...	...	...	...
Total	223	415	68	16	470	210	132	27	34	47	40	2	81	155	118	55	3	280	145	45	29	3	...	...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Irwin...	14	90	51	38	103	28	65	8	6	15	1	3	29	39	47	27	...	42	39	1	6	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	5	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	4	109	96	64	139	29	41	3	5	8	...	1	39	63	68	48	1	75	60	2	5	...	1	1	...
Geraldton	8	49	27	12	60	19	10	4	7	7	...	...	18	20	15	18	1	45	20	...	6	...	...	...	...
Murchison	1	71	15	...	50	24	11	...	4	1	...	...	17	12	8	18	...	61	13	5	5	...	...	...	...
Murchison, Central ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	27	327	189	114	354	100	127	15	22	31	1	4	104	134	138	112	2	227	132	8	22	...	1	1	...
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Dundas	12	13	5	...	25	11	8	1	6	4	...	1	3	6	...	3	...	11	2	3	1	...	...	...	...
Yilgarn	1	2	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East ...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	13	18	5	...	26	13	8	1	10	4	...	1	4	6	...	4	...	12	2	3	2	...	...	...	...
NORTH PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Gascoyne	...	3	...	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Ashburton	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
DeGrey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, West	...	10	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	6	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, East	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	21	...	...	3	...	1	...	14	...	...	...	5	...	...	3	...	24	1	...	3	...	...	...	...
Grand total, Western Australia...	784	3,109	860	203	3,156	1,274	1,200	209	149	285	132	30	604	1,041	696	553	12	1,733	891	215	217	11	35	21	11

Part V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 30.—*Employment of Agricultural and Pastoral Labour, and the Value of Agricultural, Pastoral, and Dairy Implements and Machinery in use during the Year 1898.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Permanent Agricultural, Pastoral, Orchard, and Vineyard Labour Employed during the Season.												Estimated present value of Agricultural, Pastoral, Dairying, and Irrigation Implements, Machinery, etc., in use.	
	Number of Persons Employed principally in													
	Farming.		Dairying.		Orchards and Vineyards,		Pastoral (White Labour),		Pastoral (Aboriginals).		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Farming, Dairying, and Pastoral.	Irrigation.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£
Metropolitan Province.														
Electoral District—														
Perth	...	...	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3		
Perth, East	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	20
Perth, North	234	3	28	1	32	2	7	...	1	...	302	6	776	125
Perth, West	16	...	4	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	...	20
Total ...	250	3	44	4	39	2	7	...	1	...	341	9	776	165
West Province.														
Electoral District—														
Fremantle	40	13	...	6	...	...	4	...	...	...	44	19	651	
Fremantle, East ...	5	...	5	1	5	...	2	...	...	...	17	1	31	265
Fremantle, North ...	4	...	1	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	53	750
Fremantle, South ...	124	5	2	1	43	...	1	1	1	...	171	7	1,191	1,078
Total ...	173	18	8	8	60	...	7	1	1	...	249	27	1,926	2,093
East Province.														
Electoral District—														
Canning	185	25	43	21	90	1	15	...	2	...	335	47	6,563	3,515
Swan	200	31	12	11	134	6	20	1	5	...	371	49	12,174	1,643
Moore	401	80	...	...	33	...	61	...	24	4	519	84	14,542	120
Toodyay	481	17	6	8	71	5	33	4	22	12	613	46	25,630	250
Northam	511	11	7	5	38	3	9	...	10	3	575	22	36,413	270
York	291	73	1	4	19	...	10	...	6	...	327	77	22,382	200
Beverley	388	59	6	10	7	2	16	...	7	3	424	74	18,440	
Total ...	2,457	296	75	59	392	17	164	5	76	22	3,164	399	136,144	5,998
South-West Province.														
Electoral District—														
Murray	457	23	7	9	25	...	8	...	3	1	500	33	10,374	557
Wellington	488	42	22	77	24	1	22	...	8	1	564	121	19,495	60
Bunbury	268	14	9	39	32	...	20	3	5	...	334	56	6,197	50
Sussex	220	125	9	17	7	4	12	...	12	2	260	148	5,941	50
Nelson	237	29	3	32	29	6	31	...	9	1	309	68	8,337	50
Total ...	1,670	233	50	174	117	11	93	3	37	5	1,967	426	50,344	767
South-East Province.														
Electoral District—														
Williams	672	35	1	10	11	1	45	1	30	3	759	50	29,730	
Plantagenet	415	17	3	26	31	9	35	5	23	14	507	71	9,138	180
Albany	43	2	8	3	7	...	3	...	...	...	61	5	248	200
Total ...	1,130	54	12	39	49	10	83	6	53	17	1,327	126	39,116	380
Central Province.														
Electoral District—														
Irwin	148	4	3	22	13	2	62	...	33	10	259	38	11,286	90
Yalgoo	5	...	...	1	1	...	84	4	34	14	124	19	926	
Greenough	256	119	4	10	7	...	23	3	2	1	292	133	14,562	300
Geraldton	112	31	4	4	12	1	47	1	3	...	178	37	6,194	302
Murchison	118	17	4	7	30	2	146	1	235	231	533	258	11,849	70
Murchison, Central ...	5	...	...	...	5	1	60	6	27	14	97	21	3	820
Murchison, South ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	32	4	35	9	69	13	200	100
Murchison, North ...	...	...	...	...	4	...	36	1	92	62	132	63	544	770
Total ...	644	171	15	44	74	6	490	20	461	341	1,684	582	45,564	2,452
North-East Province.														
Electoral District—														
Dundas	37	3	1	1	1	...	58	5	79	76	176	85	1,924	30
Yilgarn	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	4	4	10	9	55	
Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	200	
Coolgardie, East ...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	825	
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Coolgardie, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	3	2	16	2		
Total ...	38	3	14	1	1	...	77	10	86	82	216	96	3,004	30
North Province.														
Electoral District—														
Gascoyne	7	2	...	...	2	...	163	7	311	248	483	257	11,139	365
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	30	349	296	499	326	6,871	
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	1	69	79	87	80	612	
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	1	226	192	271	193	613	
DeGrey	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	5	312	269	356	274	789	
Kimberley, West ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	...	311	231	408	231	4,380	
Kimberley, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	2	53	29	108	31	145	
Total ...	7	2	...	...	2	...	572	46	1,631	1,344	2,212	1,392	24,549	365
Grand Total, Western Australia	6,369	780	218	329	734	46	1,493	91	2,346	1,811	11,160	3,057	301,423	12,250

No. 31.—*Wholesale Prices paid for Western Australian Produce on the Ground or at Nearest Market, Average Weight per Bushel of certain Grain Crops, Particulars relating to Leases of Farms, and Rates paid for harvesting in Western Australia, 1898.*

Particulars.	South-Western Agricultural and Pastoral Portion of the Colony.		
	Highest.	Lowest.	Average.
Wholesale Prices paid on the ground or at the nearest market, 1897-98, referring to West Australian produce only:—			
Wheat, per bushel	6s.	2s. 6d.	3s. 6d. to 4s.
Maize „ „	6s.	4s.	5s.
Oats „ „	5s.	2s. 3d.	3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d.
Barley „ „	5s.	2s. 6d.	3s. 6d. to 4s.
Peas „ „	6s.	3s. 6d.	4s. 6d. to 5s.
Potatoes „ ton	£18	£4	£8 to £10
Onions „ „	£25	£5	£8 to £10
Hay „ „	£6	£2	£3 10s. to £4 10s.
Chaff „ „	£7	£2	£3 10s. to £4 10s.
Average Weight per bushel—			
Wheat, lbs.	65	55	60
Maize „	61	50	56
Oats „	45	38	40
Barley „	54	45	50
Peas „	62	60	60
Leases of Farms from private individuals—			
Average duration of Lease—Years	10	1	3 to 5
Average Rental—			
Agricultural Land, per acre	20s.	4s.	5s. to 10s.
Pastoral Land „ „	1s. 6d.	5d.	6d. to 1s.
Fair average Rate paid during the past season for—			
Machine Reaping, per acre	7s.	3s. 6d.	5s. to 6s.
Machine Reaping and Binding, per acre	8s.	4s. 6d.	6s. to 7s.
Machine Mowing, per acre	6s.	3s.	4s. 6d. to 5s.
Machine Threshing, per 100 bushels...	50s.	25s.	35s. to 40s.

No. 32.—**Monthly Wholesale Prices at Perth of the Principal Kinds*

Description of Produce.	January.		February.		March.		April.		May.	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
GRAIN—										
Wheat, per bushel … … …	5s.	6s. 9d.	5s.	6s. 6d.	5s.	5s. 6d.	5s.	6s. 6d.	5s.	5s. 6d.
Oats, per bushel … … …	2s. 9d.	3s. 6d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 6d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 6d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 6d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 6d.
Barley, per bushel … … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Maize, per bushel … … …	4s. 9d.	5s. 6d.	4s. 9d.	5s. 6d.	4s. 9d.	5s. 6d.	5s.	6s.	5s.	6s.
MILL PRODUCE—										
Flour, Roller, per ton … …	£15	£16	£14 10s.	£16	£14	£15 10s.	£14	£17 10s.	£14	£17
Bran, per ton … … …	£6 10s.	£6 15s.	£6	£6 10s.	£5 15s.	£6 5s.	£6 15s.	£7 10s.	£6 15s.	£7 10s.
Pollard, per ton … … …	£6 10s.	£7	£6 10s.	£7	£6 10s.	£6 15s.	£7	£7 10s.	£7	£7 10s.
FARM PRODUCE—										
Hay, per ton … … …										
Chaff, per ton … … …	£5 10s.	£7	£4 10s.	£5 10s.	£4	£5 10s.	£4	£6 10s.	£4	£6 10s.
Potatoes, per ton … … …	£7	£11	£5 10s.	£13	£10	£20	£8 10s.	£11	£8 10s.	£11
Onions, local, per ton … …	£5 10s.	£7	£4 10s.	£6 10s.	£10	£12	…	…	…	…
Do., imported, per ton … …	£6	£8 10s.	£6	£9	£9	£11	£8	£11	£8	£10 10s.
DAIRY PRODUCE—										
Butter, local, per lb. … …	1s.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 2d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 2d.	…	…	…	…
Do., imported, per lb. … …	11½d.	1s. 1½d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 1½d.	1s. 1½d.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 9d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 9d.
Bacon, per lb. … … …	10d.	1s.	10d.	1s.	11½d.	1s.	11d.	11½d.	11d.	11½d.
Hams, per lb. … … …	1s. 2d.	1s. 3d.	1s.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 2d.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 2½d.
Eggs, local, per doz. … …	1s. 7d.	2s.	1s. 9d.	2s. 3d.	2s.	2s. 6d.	2s. 3d.	2s. 9d.	2s. 3d.	2s. 9d.
Do., imported, per doz. … …	1s. 4d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 5d.	1s. 7d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 9d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 10d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 10d.
Cheese, per lb. … … …	8½d.	10d.	8½d.	10d.	8½d.	10d.	8½d.	10d.	8½d.	10d.
Lard, per lb. … … …	9d.	9½d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.
POULTRY—										
Fowls, per pair … … …	6s. 6d.	8s.	6s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	6s.	6s. 9d.	5s.	6s. 6d.	5s.	6s. 6d.
Ducks, per pair … … …	6s. 6d.	8s. 6d.	6s. 6d.	8s. 6d.	5s.	6s. 6d.	5s. 6d.	6s. 6d.	5s. 6d.	6s. 6d.
Geese, per pair … … …	13s.	18s. 6d.	13s. 6d.	21s.	12s.	15s.	11s.	16s. 6d.	11s.	16s. 6d.
Turkeys, Gobblers, per pair …	20s.	27s. 6d.	21s.	28s.	20s.	25s.	20s.	35s.	20s.	30s.
Do., Hens, per pair … …	15s.	18s.	15s.	18s. 6d.	14s.	18s.	12s.	22s.	12s.	15s.
FRUIT—										
Apples, eating, per lb. … …	6d.	1s. 5d.	3d.	7d.	3d.	8d.	8d.	10d.	8d.	10d.
Do., cooking, per lb. … …	3½d.	8d.	1½d.	4d.	1½d.	5d.	4d.	7d.	4d.	7d.
Apricots, local, per dozen … …	3½d.	1s.	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Bananas, per case … … …	…	…	…	…	12s.	18s.	16s.	37s. 6d.	16s.	25s.
Cherries, per lb. … … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Do., imported, per case …	12s.	35s.	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Cape Gooseberries, per lb. … …	4d.	7d.	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Citronelles, per dozen … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	3d.	6d.	3d.	6d.
Figs, fresh, per dozen … …	6d.	1s. 3d.	1d.	4d.	1d.	4d.	4d.	6d.	…	…
Grapes, per lb. … … …	2d.	6½d.	1d.	4d.	2d.	8½d.	3d.	8½d.	…	…
Loquats, per lb. … … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Lemons, local, per dozen … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Do., imported, Lisbon, per case	20s.	27s. 6d.	22s. 6d.	30s.	…	…	…	…	…	…
Do., imported, Sydney, per case	…	…	…	…	6s.	9s.	5s. 6d.	12s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	15s.
Mandarins, imported, per case …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Nectarines, per dozen … …	8d.	10d.	3d.	1s.	5d.	1s. 3d.	…	…	…	…
Oranges, local, per dozen … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	6d.	1s. 6d.
Do., imported, per case …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Pears, eating, per lb. … …	6d.	8½d.	2½d.	3½d.	3d.	5½d.	6d.	1s.	9d.	1s.
Do., cooking, per lb. … …	2½d.	5d.	2½d.	4d.	3d.	6d.	4d.	6d.	4d.	6d.
Peaches, per dozen … …	6d.	2s. 6d.	3d.	1s. 6d.	1s.	3s. 6d.	4d.	2s. 6d.	…	…
Plums, local, per lb. … …	4d.	9d.	1d.	4d.	1½d.	4d.	1d.	1½d.	…	…
Passion Fruit, per case … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Do., per dozen … … …	…	…	3d.	8d.	2d.	6d.	2½d.	5d.	…	…
Quinces, per lb. … … …	…	…	…	…	2d.	3d.	2d.	3½d.	2½d.	3d.
Strawberries, per lb. … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
VEGETABLES—										
Beans, Broad, per lb. … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Do., French, per lb. … …	1d.	2½d.	1d.	1½d.	2d.	3½d.	2d.	3d.	2d.	3d.
Beetroots, per cwt. … … …	7s.	10s.	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…
Cabbage, per cwt. … … …	4s.	7s.	5s.	14s.	10s.	16s.	12s.	22s. 6d.	12s.	20s.
Cauliflowers, per dozen … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	5s.	14s.	5s.	14s.
Carrots, per dozen bunches …	1s.	2s.	1s. 6d.	2s.	2s.	3s.	1s. 3d	3s.	1s. 3d.	2s. 6d.
Do., per cwt. … … …	6s.	7s.	6s.	7s.	5s. 6d.	6s.	6s.	7s.	6s.	8s.
Celery, per dozen sticks … …	1s. 6d.	3s.	1s.	2s. 6d.	2s.	4s. 6d.	2s. 3d.	4s. 6d.	2s.	2s. 3d.
Cucumbers, per dozen … …	3d.	9d.	3d.	1s.	4d.	1s. 6d.	…	…	…	…
Lettuces, per dozen … …	6d.	1s.	3d.	9d.	6d.	1s.	6d.	1s.	6d.	8d.
Marrows, per cwt. … … …	6s.	7s.	5s. 6d.	6s. 6d.	5s.	5s. 6d.	3s. 6d.	5s. 6d.	3s. 6d.	5s. 6d.
Do., per dozen … … …	2s.	4s.	1s.	3s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	6s. 6d.	2s.	4s. 6d.	…	…
Melons, Rock, per dozen … …	…	…	2s.	7s.	2s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	2s.	5s.	…	…
Do., Water, per dozen …	6s. 6d.	30s.	4s.	17s. 6d.	8s.	15s.	1s. 6d.	6s.	…	…
Pumpkins, per cwt. … …	7s.	10s. 6d.	6s.	10s.	7s.	10s.	5s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	5s.	7s. 6d.
Parsley, per dozen bunches …	4d.	1s.	3d.	4d.	3d.	4d.	4d.	6d.	4d.	6d.
Peas, Green, per lb. … …	2d.	3d.	2d.	3½d.	3d.	4d.	…	…	…	…
Parsnips, per dozen bunches …	1s.	2s.	2s.	2s. 6d.	2s.	3s.	1s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	2s. 6d.
Rhubarb, per lb. … … …	3d.	4d.	3½d.	4d.	2½d.	3d.	…	…	…	…
Radishes, per dozen bunches …	4d.	9d.	6d.	1s.	6d.	1s.	6d.	1s. 6d.	…	…
Spring Onions, per dozen bunches	4d.	6d.	6d.	8d.	6d.	1s.	6d.	1s. 6d.	…	…
Tomatoes, per lb. … … …	1d.	3½d.	½d.	1½d.	1d.	2½d.	1d.	2d.	1d.	1½d.
Turnips, per dozen bunches …	1s.	2s.	2s.	3s. 6d.	2s.	3s.	1s. 3d.	1s. 9d.	1s.	1s. 6d.
Do., per cwt. … … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	3s. 9d.	8s.	3s. 9d.	7s. 6d.
Do., Swedes, per cwt. … …	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…

* This table has been compiled from the weekly reports of the leading produce commission merchants in Perth. NOTE.—The absence of quotations

of Agricultural, Orchard, and Farmyard Produce during 1898.

June.		July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.	
Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
6s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	6s.	7s. 6d.	5s.	6s.	4s. 6d.	5s. 9d.	5s. 6d.	6s.	5s. 6d.	6s.	4s. 3d.	6s.
3s. 2d.	3s. 8d.	3s.	3s. 6d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 10d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 8d.	2s. 8d.	3s. 8d.	2s. 9d.	3s. 8d.	2s. 10d.	3s. 6d.
4s. 3d.	5s. 6d.	...	...	...	...	3s. 6d.	4s.	...	...	...	...	...	...
5s.	5s. 6d.	5s.	5s. 6d.	4s. 6d.	6s.	4s. 6d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 6d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 3d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 3d.	4s. 9d.
£14	£16	£14	£15 10s.	£12	£14	£12	£14 10s.	£11 10s.	£14 10s.	£12	£12 10s.	£10 15s.	£12
£6 10s.	£7 10s.	£6	£6 5s.	£5 10s.	£6	£5 15s.	£5 17s 6d	£5	£5 15s.	£5 5s.	£5 15s.	£5 10s.	£6 5s.
£6 10s.	£7 10s.	£6	£6 10s.	£5 15s.	£6 10s.	£6	£6 5s.	£6	£6 5s.	£6	£6 5s.	£5 15s.	£6 10s.
£5 10s.	£7 10s.	£4 10s.	£7	£4 10s.	£6 10s.	£3 10s.	£5 10s.	£2 10s.	£5 5s.	£2 10s.	£5 10s.	£2 10s.	£5 5s.
£8 10s.	£15	£11	£13 10s.	£11	£16	£10	£16	£9 10s.	£17	£9	£18	£7	£12
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£11	£14	£7 10s.	£10
£10 10s.	£11 10s.	£11	£12	£11 10s.	£19	£16	£22	£16	£28	£24	£28	£15	£24
1s. 9d.	2s. 2d.	1s. 6d.	2s. 8d.	1s. 5d.	2s. 6d.	1s.	1s. 5d.	9d.	1s. 3d.	9d.	1s. 1d.	10d.	1s. 1d.
1s. 4d.	1s. 9d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 9d.	1s.	1s. 6d.	1s.	1s. 5d.	11½d.	1s. 1d.	1s.	1s. 1d.	1s.	1s. 1d.
11d.	11½d.	10d.	11½d.	9½d.	11½d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9d.	10d.
1s. 1d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 6d.
2s. 4d.	3s. 6d.	1s.	2s. 9d.	1s. 5d.	2s.	1s. 1d.	1s. 4d.	1s. 2d.	1s. 5d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 8d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 8d.
1s. 10d.	2s. 5d.	1s. 10d.	2s. 6d.	1s. 2½d.	1s. 7d.	10d.	1s.	9½d.	1s. 2d.	1s. 2d.	1s. 5d.	1s. 1d.	1s. 3d.
8½d.	9d.	8d.	8½d.	8d.	9d.	5½d.	7½d.	6d.	9d.	6d.	9½d.	6d.	9d.
8d.	9d.	8d.	10d.	8½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.	9½d.	10d.
5s.	6s. 6d.	5s.	6s. 9d.	5s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	6s.	8s.	6s. 6d.	8s.	5s.	8s.	6s. 6d.	7s.
6s.	7s. 6d.	6s. 6d.	10s. 6d.	7s.	9s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	9s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	10s.	7s. 6d.	10s.	6s. 6d.	8s.
10s.	12s.	10s.	12s.	10s. 6d.	16s.	12s.	16s.	12s.	15s.	12s.	15s.	12s.	14s.
15s.	22s.	16s.	24s.	15s.	25s.	16s.	25s.	18s.	24s.	18s.	20s.	18s.	26s.
8s.	12s. 6d.	9s.	14s.	9s.	15s.	10s.	18s.	9s.	15s.	12s.	15s.	15s.	21s.
6d.	10½d.	6d.	1s. 3d.	10d.	1s. 4d.	9d.	1s. 5½d.	1s.	1s. 5d.	...	...	9d.	1s.
4d.	6½d.	5d.	7d.	7d.	10d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d.	1s.
12s. 6d.	20s.	12s. 6d.	20s.	20s.	25s.	25s.	30s.	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	6d.	1s. 3d.
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16s.	30s.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5d.	6d.	4½d.	6d.	4d.	6d.	3d.	6d.
2d.	3d.	2d.	3d.	2d.	3d.	1½d.	2d.	1½d.	2d.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	6d.	2s.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d.	1s.
...	...	...	...	4d.	6d.	3d.	6d.	2d.	4½d.	2d.	4d.	2d.	4d.
...	...	10d.	1s. 6d.	6d.	1s.	9d.	1s.	9d.	1s. 3d.	6d.	1s. 6d.	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10s.	17s. 6d.	12s.	14s.	10s.	13s.	5s.	8s. 6d.	11s.	13s.	6s.	12s.	9s.	11s.
6s.	10s.	7s.	17s	10s.	20s.	8s.	12s.	5s.	14s.	10s.	13s.	9s.	12s.
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3d.	1s. 3d.	4d.	1s. 8d.	6d.	1s. 9d.	8d.	2s. 6d.	10d.	2s. 6d.	10d.	1s. 9d.	...	...
...	...	4s. 6d.	14s.	5s.	11s.	8s.	13s.	5s.	14s.	5s.	13s.	10s.	15s.
5d.	1s.	9d.	1s.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4d.	8d.
3d.	4d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	10s.	15s.	10s.	16s.	8s.	12s.	...	...	...	...
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2½d.	3½d.	2½d.	3d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s.	1s. 9d.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2d.	3d.	0½d.	1¼d.	¾d.	1d.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2d.	4d.	1½d.	3d.	0½d.	1½d.
...	...	...	...	6s.	10s.	6s.	8s.	7s.	7s. 6d.	5s.	7s. 6d.	4s.	8s.
3s. 6d.	10s.	5s.	7s.	5s.	8s. 6d.	3s. 6d.	7s.	3s.	14s.	2s.	7s.	1s. 6d.	4s. 6d.
3s.	9s.	4s.	10s.	2s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	1s.	5s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	9s.	4s.	8s.	...	...
1s.	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	1s.	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	2s.	1s. 6d.	2s.	1s.	2s.	8d.	2s.
7s.	8s.	5s.	7s. 6d.	4s.	8s.	2s.	4s.	2s.	3s.	2s.	3s.	4s.	6s.
1s.	2s.	1s.	3s. 6d.	2s.	4s.	2s.	2s. 6d.	6d.	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	4s.	1s.	2s.
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4d.	8d.	4d.	1s.	6d.	1s. 3d.	6d.	9d.	3d.	9d.	3d.	6d.	4d.	6d.
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4d.	6d.	4d.	6d.	3d.	6d.	3d.	6d.	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	3d.	5d.	0½d.	2½d.	0½d.	1½d.	0½d.	1½d.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d.	6d.	1½d.	4d.	1½d.	4d.
...	...	4d.	8d.	4d.	9d.	6d.	8d.	4d.	8d.	4d.	6d.	4d.	6d.
...	...	...	...	6d.	9d.	6d.	8d.	4d.	9d.	4d.	8d.	4d.	6d.
1½d.	2d.	½d.	2d.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4d.	6d.	1d.	4d.
1s.	2s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	1s.	2s. 6d.	4d.	7d.	9d.	1s.	9d.	1s.	6d.	1s. 6d.
3s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	8s.	12s	3s.	6s.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9s.	10s.	10s.	12s.	4s.	10s.	6s.	10s.	2s.	7s.	1s.	4s.	1s. 3d.	2s.

for certain months of the year is due, in some instances, to defective supply, and in others to the products mentioned being out of season.

No. 33.—*Values of certain Agricultural Produce, Fruit, Vegetables, Wine, Live Stock, and Farmyard and Dairy Produce imported into Western Australia in each of the Ten Years, 1889 to 1898.*

ARTICLES.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	TOTAL FOR TEN YEARS.
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Wheat	3,083	609	1,086	17,376	2,189	3,307	17,812	40,120	51,282	56,906	193,770
Barley	783	499	474	2,177	1,144	1,381	1,747	1,918	5,140	4,998	20,261
Oats	7,998	12,517	26,311	28,404	26,982	42,916	116,207	117,233	109,719	81,878	570,165
Maize and Gram	1,059	624	414	1,155	79	543	777	1,505	2,653	2,850	11,659
* Rye	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	24	113	55	206
* Peas	...	...	...	...	...	996	1,413	1,760	1,588	1,663	7,420
* Beans...	...	...	...	...	...	84	277	352	520	408	1,641
Rice	3,861	6,159	7,566	6,628	7,364	7,794	6.421	11,245	12,925	16,897	86,860
Malt	1,296	1,435	1,426	1,713	2,759	5,537	9,834	19,302	27,933	28,932	100,167
Flour	37,070	27,846	19,113	48,323	46,120	44,300	62,712	152,135	197,519	156,411	791,549
* Flour (Self-raising)	...	...	...	...	...	175	438	559	762	598	2,532
Bran	7,818	7,998	7,014	14,135	11,485	7,697	20,865	43,394	40,272	29,813	220,621
Pollard						3,208	5,779	7,615	6,622	6,906	
Oatmeal	1,170	1,464	1,725	2,325	2,974	6,023	5,353	9,698	11,092	11,747	53,571
Arrowroot, Tapioca, Sago, Cornflour, and others, N.O.E.	597	840	1,077	1,216	1,720	2,513	4,722	6,679	6,870	8,843	35,077
Potatoes	3,232	3,276	5,880	7,238	7,147	10,121	10,219	33,601	43,795	69,430	193,939
Onions	244	376	854	1,329	1,234	3,254	3,989	10,620	13,545	11,887	47,332
Hay	1,608	2,574	9,381	15,753	2,060	378	1,521	2,294	3,051	1,261	262,855
Chaff						37,367	50,298	70,951	55,969	8,389	
Hops	1,759	1,260	3,321	3,768	2,354	3,712	4,706	8,531	10,723	12,941	53,075
Total	71,578	67,477	85,642	151,540	115,611	181,306	325,104	539,536	602,093	512,813	2,652,700
FRUIT AND VEGETABLES—											
Green Fruit	1,444	1,163	1,551	2,229	2,743	5,431	8,878	13,402	20,037	17,245	74,123
Preserved Vegetables	1,143	1,212	2,067	3,220	2,828	8,614	14,987	25,989	18,473	15,361	93,894
* Fresh Vegetables	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	850	1,324	555	2,729
Jams and Jellies	6,049	6,970	9,874	11,755	11,977	22,030	27,637	48,131	52,324	47,026	243,773
Bottled and Tinned Fruit	1,973	1,863	2,606	3,048	3,097	6,765	14,653	23,914	32,049	30,474	120,442
* Currants	...	...	...	...	...	1,722	1,906	3,483	5,314	4,695	17,120
Dates	237	217	390	875	308	473	762	1,290	1,719	1,086	7,357
* Raisins	...	...	...	...	...	1,518	2,251	4,032	5,159	4,480	17,440
Dried Fruit, N.O.E.	3,321	4,925	6,057	6,848	5,622	2,750	4,426	6,649	6,091	2,706	49,395
Nuts	461	310	560	591	445	934	1,517	2,855	2,885	2,164	12,722
Total	14,628	16,660	23,105	28,566	27,020	50,237	77,017	130,595	145,375	125,792	638,995
WINES—											
Still	5,158	6,913	9,514	10,313	8,907	10,999	16,302	28,710	30,940	19,167	146,923
Sparkling	1,344	4.536	4,218	4,493	3,809	8,321	20,302	42,983	23,737	10,915	124,658
Total	6,502	11,449	13,732	14,806	12,716	19,320	36,604	71,693	54,677	30,082	271,581

Live Stock—											
Horses	9,950	9,300	29,750	55,680	32,560	50,712	43,378	83,835	31,831	6,837	353,833
Cattle	370	265	1,156	224	1,119	3,664	44,659	79,281	124,757	174,950	430,445
Sheep	4,813	1,769	1,073	4,091	1,728	4,570	26,400	28,864	104,793	63,954	242,055
Pigs	75	280	30	...	70	53	2,524	8,381	9,256	11,867	32,536
Total	15,208	11,614	32,009	59,995	35,477	58,999	116,961	200,361	270,637	257,608	1,058,869
Farm and Dairy Produce—											
Meats—Salt, Fresh, and Preserved ...	7,607	7,901	11,821	22,337	16,971	44,329	50,214	87,183	82,212	73,989	404,564
Hides	501	984	753	624	293	237	6	74	10	8	3,490
Tallow	308	320	366	1,816	234	334	980	565	254	170	5,347
Bacon	7,669	4,615	7,097	9,111	11,871	16,168	26,193	56,858	64,455	67,443	317,107
Hams						3,683	5,435	11,324	13,693	11,492	
* Tongues	...	...	...	..	...	2,269	5,775	11,443	10,872	9,347	39,706
Poultry (alive and dead)	18	4	13	165	245	542	1,786	3,846	6,618	3,034	16,271
Eggs	85	161	849	1,874	2,122	4,996	11,920	33,389	51,429	52,667	159,492
Lard	357	372	423	921	747	550	680	1,139	1,043	1,433	7,665
* Honey	...	...	...	...	...	595	1,340	2,831	2,239	2,952	9,957
* Beeswax	...	...	...	...	...	13	17	53	92	47	222
Butter	16,680	16,023	22,781	29,059	36,148	50,354	73,999	148,971	188,478	195,467	777,960
Cheese	6,397	5,219	7,001	7,064	6,870	7,235	11,201	20,118	20,300	21,058	112,463
Prserved Milk	2,724	3,609	6,937	8,048	9,792	17,639	37,167	47,466	73,799	73,198	280,379
Total	42,346	39,208	58,041	81,019	85,293	148,944	226,713	425,260	515,494	512,305	2,134,623
Total Value of Imports of above specified produce	150,262	146,408	212,529	335,926	276,117	458,806	782,399	1,367,445	1,588,276	1,438,600	6,756,768

* In cases where blanks occur, the article was probably classified under some general heading and not particularly specified.

Note.—This table has been compiled with the special object of showing the value of the importations into Western Australia during the last 10 years of such products of the Soil and of Live Stock as could have been produced within the Colony, and to serve as a basis for calculations as to the market reasonably to be expected therein for home-grown products.

No. 34.—*Agricultural and Horticultural Associations, Societies and Clubs, and*

Name of Association, Society, or Club.	Address.	No. of Members, 1898.	Date when Society was founded.	Rate of Membership Fee.	Date when Annual Show was held.	Receipts.	
						Ingoing Balance on 1st January, 1898.	Government Grant.
		No.	Date.	£ s. d.	Date.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATIONS, SOCIETIES AND CLUBS.							
Albany and District Settlers' Association	Albany	32	18-7-96	0 5 0	*a*	...	...
Balingup Farmers' Association	Balingup	43	1-7-96	0 2 6	*a*	5 3 6	...
Beverley Agricultural Society	Beverley	43	1872	1 0 0	11-10-98	...	25 0 0
Boyanup Farmers' and Progress Association	Boyanup	40	11-9-97	0 1 0	*a*	3 10 2	...
Brunswick Farmers' Club	Brunswick	15	1893	0 2 6	*a*	2 1 8	...
Capel Farmers' Club	Coolingup	27	28-8-97	0 2 6	*a*	...	...
Coogee Agricultural and Horticultural Society *b*	Coogee	32	26-8-95	0 5 0	14-2-98	...	25 0 0
Cookernup Farmers' Progress Association	Cookernup	22	13-4-95	0 5 0	*a*	151 8 2	...
Coolup and Marinup Farmers' Association	Coolup	31	-11-95	0 2 6	*a*	0 4 4	...
Donnybrook Progress Association *c*	Donnybrook	30	21-7-94	0 1 0	*a*	2 5 0	...
Drake's Brook Agricultural Association	Drake's Brook	24	8-5-97	0 2 6	*a*	9 7 4	...
East Beverley Farmers' Association	East Beverley	30	14-3-95	0 2 6	*a*	0 13 4	...
Esperance Agricultural and Horticultural Society	Esperance	*d*	-8-96	*d*	9-11-98	...	...
Ferguson Progress Association	Dardanup	28	31-10-93	0 2 6	*a*	...	...
Geraldton Agricultural and Horticultural Society	Geraldton	18	-6-96	1 1 0	14-10-98	8 8 6	25 0 0
Goomalling Farmers' Association *i*	Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Great Southern Pastoral and Agricultural Society	Broome Hill	101	1891	0 10 6	28-10-98	...	25 0 0
Greenough Farmers' Club	Greenough	46	1884	0 10 0	12-10-98	...	50 0 0
Harvey Agricultural Alliance	Harvey	32	14-7-94	0 5 0	*a*	3 11 10	...
Irishtown Farmers' Club *e*	Irishtown, Northam	23	16-7-87	0 10 0	14-9-98	5 12 4	25 0 0
Irwin Agricultural Society	Dongara	31	12-8-92	1 0 0	30-9-98	55 10 5	50 0 0
Jandakot Agricultural Society	Bibra's Lake, near Fremantle	34	1894	0 5 0	16-2-98	3 11 5	25 0 0
Jennapullin Farmers' Club	Jennapullin	26	-1-95	0 10 0	*f* 31-8-98	...	20 0 0
Jurakine Agricultural Association *g*	Jurakine	...	...	...	...	...	...
Katanning Farmers' Association *i*	Katanning	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kelmscott and Armadale Agricultural Society	Kelmscott	44	12-12-96	0 2 6	5-10-98	13 16 11	...
Kojonup Agricultural and Horticultural Society	Kojonup	25	31-8-97	0 10 6	23-2-98	...	25 0 0
Lower Blackwood Farmers and Graziers' Association	Lower Blackwood	22	1896	0 10 0	*a*	...	...
Mumberkine Agricultural Society	Mumberkine	*d*	10-12-96	...	*a*	...	10 0 0
Narrogin Agricultural Alliance	Narrogin	30	5-10-95	0 5 0	*a*	2 10 4	...
Nelson Agricultural Society *e*	Bridgetown	100	1894	1 0 0	1-12-98	...	25 0 0
Newtown Farmers' Progress Association	Vasse	20	20-11-97	0 2 6	*a*	...	...
Northam Agricultural Society	Northam	75	-5-90	1 1 0	5-10-98	...	250 0 0
Northerners' Association *g*	Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pingelly Agricultural Society	Pingelly	23	-8-96	0 10 6	28-9-98	6 17 7	37 10 0
Preston Progress Association	Rock Hill, Upper Preston	24	28-11-91	0 2 6	*a*	1 3 0	...
Royal Agricultural Society *h*	Perth	233	1831	1 1 0	25 & 26-10-98	...	125 0 0
Southern District Agricultural Society	Vasse	60	1869	1 0 0	24-11-98	...	75 0 0
South Murray Farmers' Association	Waigerup	10	-6-95	0 2 6	*a*	4 10 8	...
Toodyay Agricultural Society	Newcastle	74	1854	1 0 0	20-10-98	...	75 0 0
Wagin Farmers' Alliance	Wagin	20	22-4-93	0 5 0	*a*	6 5 10	...
Waigerup Association	Waigerup	14	-6-97	0 5 0	*a*	28 6 0	...
Wandering District Agricultural Society	Wandering	22	27-7-96	0 5 0	*a*	...	...
Waroona Agricultural and Progress Association *i*	Waroona	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waterloo Farmers' Protection Association *i*	Waterloo	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington Agricultural and Pastoral Society	Bunbury	60	1862	1 1 0	17-11-98	8 5 4	25 0 0
Wongamine Farmers' Club	Wongamine	23	30-1-97	0 10 0	24-8-98	12 1 5	5 0 0
York Agricultural Society *i*	York	...	...	...	...	...	...
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETIES.							
Albany Horticultural Society	Albany	30	1-8-89	0 10 6	12-3-98	189 10 7	25 0 0
Murray Horticultural Society	Pinjarrah	33	15-4-90	0 5 0	18-2-98 21-10-98	40 17 6	20 0 0
W.A. Horticultural Society *g*	Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...
VINE AND FRUITGROWERS' ASSOCIATIONS AND SOCIETIES.							
Darling Range Vine and Fruitgrowers' Association	Gooseberry Hill	45	6-10-94	0 3 0	15-10-98	2 0 11	...
Deepdale Farmers and Fruitgrowers' Association	Toodyay	52	31-12-97	0 5 0	*a*	...	...
Murray Districts Farmers and Fruitgrowers' Co-operative Association	Pinjarrah	22	23-2-96	0 2 6	25-6-98	4 4 4	...
Swan District Vine and Fruitgrowers' Association	Perth	75	1893	0 10 6	...	12 7 5	...
Toodyay Vine and Fruitgrowers' Association	Newcastle	57	27-1-93	0 5 0	23-2-98	10 17 2	...
Wellington Vine and Fruitgrowers' Association *g*	Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...

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a. No Show held. *b*, Year ended 30th September, 1898. *c*. Formerly Central Preston Progress Association. *d*. No Members' Fees collected in 1898. *e*. Year ended

Vine and Fruitgrowers' Associations and Societies of Western Australia for 1898.

RECEIPTS—*continued.*						EXPENDITURE.					
Other Donations.	Members' Fees.	Income from Show.	All other Receipts.	Outgoing Balance on 31st December, 1898.	Total Receipts.	Ingoing Balance on 1st January, 1898.	Salaries and Wages.	Expenditure in connection with Show.	All other Expenditure.	Outgoing Balance on 31st December, 1898.	Total Expenditure.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
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...	5 7 6	...	...	...	10 11 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	8 1 0	10 11 0
20 15 6	40 0 0	31 11 6	12 2 6	38 15 5	168 4 11	11 7 6	5 0 0	145 18 0	5 19 5	...	168 4 11
...	1 19 0	...	...	...	5 9 2	...	...	...	4 13 6	0 15 8	5 9 2
...	1 17 6	...	...	...	3 19 2	...	...	...	0 15 0	3 4 2	3 19 2
...	3 7 6	...	...	...	3 7 6	...	...	...	1 16 2	1 11 4	3 7 6
33 9 6	2 12 6	7 8 6	13 5 0	...	81 15 6	...	3 0 0	25 3 5	18 1 0	35 11 1	81 15 6
...	5 10 0	...	0 5 0	...	157 3 2	...	...	...	2 9 9	154 13 5	157 3 2
...	3 12 6	...	...	0 5 11	4 2 9	...	...	...	4 2 9	..	4 2 9
...	1 10 0	...	0 5 0	...	4 0 0	...	...	...	1 15 0	2 5 0	4 0 0
9 8 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	21 18 4	...	...	...	19 8 4	2 10 0	21 18 4
...	0 12 6	...	...	...	1 5 10	...	...	...	0 1 0	1 4 10	1 5 10
10 17 0	*d*	9 2 0	6 12 9	...	26 11 9	...	...	17 2 9	3 0 6	6 8 6	26 11 9
...	2 10 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	0 4 11	...	...	0 13 2	1 11 11	2 10 0
17 11 6	18 18 0	70 8 6	12 8 6	56 19 2	209 14 2	...	27 17 6	40 6 8	141 10 0	...	209 14 2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29 5 0	53 0 6	56 16 9	2 5 6	49 9 7	215 17 4	61 0 10	18 4 6	108 10 4	28 1 8	...	215 17 4
19 2 0	20 16 0	39 13 11	15 0 0	19 19 1	164 11 0	7 0 11	10 0 0	91 0 6	56 9 7	...	164 11 0
...	8 5 0	...	5 1 5	...	16 18 3	...	...	...	10 2 11	6 15 4	16 18 3
16 0 0	11 10 0	10 10 0	12 6 3	...	80 18 7	...	...	57 17 0	19 12 11	3 8 8	80 18 7
8 3 0	30 10 0	17 1 0	4 11 0	...	165 15 5	...	...	96 0 0	43 2 11	26 12 6	165 15 5
12 7 0	5 10 0	10 11 9	0 9 7	...	57 9 9	...	5 0 0	20 13 3	5 8 3	26 8 3	57 9 9
14 8 0	12 15 0	*f*39 4 0	24 3 3	87 8 3	197 18 6	150 0 0	4 1 10	*f*31 1 0	12 15 8	...	197 18 6
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11 15 6	7 15 0	60 17 9	2 9 3	...	96 14 5	...	...	90 14 1	2 18 7	3 1 9	96 14 5
2 16 6	15 8 6	9 3 6	4 15 0	...	57 3 6	...	1 3 0	26 0 6	11 0 6	18 19 6	57 3 6
...	10 2 6	...	1 7 6	...	11 10 0	...	...	...	11 4 6	0 5 6	11 10 0
8 13 1	*d*	...	27 6 5	...	45 19 6	...	...	...	45 19 6	...	45 19 6
...	7 10 0	...	...	...	10 0 4	...	...	...	1 5 0	8 15 4	10 0 4
36 13 0	83 1 0	71 14 9	34 12 1	104 7 10	355 8 8	98 12 10	25 0 0	218 17 6	12 18 4	...	355 8 8
...	2 10 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	...	...	...	1 1 2	1 8 10	2 10 0
63 1 0	78 14 0	122 11 8	205 0 0	406 8 10	1,125 15 6	235 0 5	18 13 0	307 14 11	564 7 2	...	1,125 15 6
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...	9 19 6	17 5 6	...	...	71 12 7	...	...	39 9 10	11 5 0	20 17 9	71 12 7
...	3 0 0	...	2 4 6	0 5 4	6 12 10	...	...	...	6 12 10	...	6 12 10
13 10 0	186 2 0	347 13 1	293 15 0	934 10 10	1,900 10 11	679 6 4	133 2 1	713 14 9	374 7 9	...	1,900 10 11
25 0 0	57 0 0	28 7 6	55 3 0	61 19 8	302 10 2	16 11 2	15 0 0	170 19 0	100 0 0	...	307 10 2
...	1 5 0	...	...	...	5 15 8	...	...	...	4 8 2	1 7 6	5 15 8
19 2 0	52 1 0	40 2 0	6 7 9	33 12 1	226 4 10	33 16 2	11 18 8	144 3 0	36 7 0	...	226 4 10
...	4 15 0	...	...	...	11 0 10	...	6 0 0	...	0 16 6	4 4 4	11 0 10
...	3 5 0	...	...	...	31 11 0	...	...	...	21 17 0	9 14 0	31 11 0
...	1 5 0	...	...	...	1 5 0	...	...	...	0 15 0	0 10 0	1 5 0
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16 12 0	53 5 6	98 6 3	76 0 0	53 8 5	330 17 6	...	9 0 0	243 12 6	78 5 0	...	330 17 6
...	11 10 0	23 3 0	...	...	51 14 5	...	0 7 6	36 10 2	1 4 0	13 12 9	51 14 5
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...	16 16 0	18 16 6	...	...	250 3 1	...	10 3 0	118 1 8	35 18 6	85 19 11	250 3 1
2 2 0	6 15 0	12 11 3	9 12 0	...	91 17 9	...	4 2 9	55 12 0	11 15 0	20 8 0	91 17 9
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2 5 11	3 6 0	18 19 4	1 14 9	...	28 6 11	...	4 12 0	21 5 3	...	2 9 8	28 6 11
...	4 5 0	...	...	...	4 5 0	...	...	...	1 16 4	2 8 8	4 5 0
...	2 15 0	25 5 0	2 4 9	...	34 9 1	...	4 6 11	25 5 0	1 8 0	3 9 2	34 9 1
...	...	...	24 1 6	...	36 8 11	...	...	...	15 4 6	21 4 5	36 8 11
5 10 0	13 0 0	25 5 6	2 2 0	...	56 14 8	...	5 0 0	43 18 9	5 16 4	1 19 7	56 14 8
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

30th June, 1899. *f*. Ploughing Match. *g*. Not active during 1898. *h*. Known as the "Western Australian Agricultural Society" from 1831 to 1876. *i*. No return supplied.

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 35.—*Rates of Wages paid for Agricultural and Pastoral Labour in Western Australia, 1898.*

Occupation.	South-Western Agricultural and Pastoral Portion of the Colony.			Northern Pastoral Portion of the Colony.		
	Highest.	Lowest.	Average.	Highest.	Lowest.	Average.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Average Rates of Wages on Farms and Stations ruling during 1898-99—						
Ploughmen, per week—						
Found	1 10 0	0 18 0	1 2 6	...	...	...
Not found	2 2 0	1 10 0	1 17 6	...	...	...
Orchard and Vineyard Hands, per week—						
Found	1 10 0	0 15 0	1 0 0	...	...	...
Not found	2 2 0	1 10 0	1 15 0	...	...	...
Hand Mowers, per week—						
Found	1 10 0	1 0 0	1 2 6	...	...	...
Not found	2 8 0	1 16 0	1 17 6	...	...	...
Hand Mowers, per acre—						
Not found	0 10 0	0 4 0	0 6 0	...	...	...
Hand Reapers, per week—						
Found	1 10 0	1 0 0	1 2 6	...	...	...
Not found	1 16 0	1 10 0	1 15 0	...	...	...
Hand Reapers, per acre—						
Not found	0 14 0	0 8 0	0 10 0	...	...	...
Hand Threshers, per bushel—						
Not found	0 0 6	0 0 5	0 0 6	...	...	...
General Farm Labourers, per week—						
Found	1 10 0	0 15 0	1 0 0	...	...	...
Not found	2 0 0	1 5 0	1 12 6	...	...	...
Married Couples, per annum—						
Found	90 0 0	50 0 0	70 0 0	85 0 0	75 0 0	80 0 0
Not found	116 0 0	75 0 0	90 0 0	...	...	...
Dairy Maids, per week—						
Found	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 12 6	...	...	...
Other Female Servants, per week—						
Found	0 15 0	0 7 6	0 10 0	...	...	...
Stockmen, per annum—						
Found	65 0 0	30 0 0	52 0 0	104 0 0	50 0 0	78 0 0
Not found	85 0 0	52 0 0	68 0 0	...	...	...
Boundary Riders, per annum—						
Found	52 0 0	35 0 0	45 0 0	78 0 0	50 0 0	60 0 0
Bullock Drivers, per annum—						
Found	75 0 0	40 0 0	55 0 0	104 0 0	72 0 0	90 0 0
Sheep Drovers, per annum—						
Found	52 0 0	30 0 0	40 0 0	104 0 0	65 0 0	90 0 0
Sheep Washers, per week—						
Found	1 5 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	1 3 0	1 10 0
Shearers, per 100 sheep—						
Found	...	...	...	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Not found	1 5 0	1 0 0	1 2 6	...	...	...
Shepherds, per annum—						
Found	50 0 0	35 0 0	40 0 0	60 0 0	45 0 0	50 0 0
Teamsters, per annum—						
Found	78 0 0	36 0 0	52 0 0	104 0 0	52 0 0	78 0 0
Not found	110 0 0	70 0 0	80 0 0	...	...	...
Bush Carpenters, per annum—						
Found	100 0 0	50 0 0	65 0 0	156 0 0	72 0 0	90 0 0
Not found	125 0 0	78 0 0	104 0 0	...	...	...
Hut Keepers, per annum—						
Found	36 0 0	20 0 0	25 0 0	72 0 0	50 0 0	60 0 0
Men Cooks, per annum—						
Found	65 0 0	30 0 0	45 0 0	78 0 0	48 0 0	65 0 0
General Useful Men, per week—						
Found	1 5 0	0 15 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	1 10 0
Not found	1 15 0	1 5 0	1 10 0	...	...	...

No. 36.—*Green Fruit imported into Western Australia during 1898.*

PORT.	PASSED.														Prohibited.	Total inspected under "The Destructive Insects and Substances Act, 1880."	Treatment under "The Destructive Insects and Substances Act, 1880."	
	Apricots.	Bananas.	Cherries.	Gooseberries.	Grapes	Lemons.	Oranges.	Passion Fruit.	Peaches.	Plums.	Rhubarb.	Pines.	All other Fruits.	Total.	Total.		Quarantined.	Dipped.
	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.	cases.
Fremantle	200	5,529	651	148	289	6,508	16,179	1,569	10	5,202	...	63	195	36,543	124	36,667	97	36,623
Albany	140	603	165	53	235	3,425	4,549	201	24	737	61	7	140	10,340	451	10,791	...	10,833
Geraldton	...	39	5	...	14	35	195	...	...	26	5	...	57	376	...	376	...	376
Hamelin	...	6	...	...	...	7	91	8	...	...	...	5	3	120	9	129	...	129
Bunbury	10	77	10	6	28	54	145	2	1	45	1	...	17	396	22	418	...	315
Esperance	30	74	26	...	114	61	153	39	6	91	13	...	26	633	2	635	...	62
Total	380	6,328	857	207	680	10,090	21,312	1,819	41	6,101	80	75	438	48,408	608	49,016	97	48,338

No. 37.—*Number of Fruit Trees and Plants imported into Western Australia during 1898.*

PORT.	PASSED.																Prohibited.	Total inspected under "The Destructive Insects and Substances Act, 1880."	Treatment under "The Destructive Insects and Substances Act, 1880."
	Ornamental and Pot Plants.	Almonds.	Apples.	Apricots.	Cherries.	Figs.	Lemons.	Mulberries.	Oranges.	Peaches.	Pears.	Plums.	Small Fruits.	Vine Cuttings.	All other Trees.	Total.	Total.		Dipped.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Fremantle... ...	22,124	739	24,580	3,023	920	927	1,343	609	8,524	6,187	1,493	2,336	11,167	130,085	2,572	216,629	1,223	217,852	588
Albany	2,555	35	3,285	230	74	82	63	44	76	565	550	330	1,607	18,078	1,161	28,735	...	28,735	80
Geraldton	182	...	6	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	934	1,128	...	1,128	6
Hamelin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bunbury	181	38	976	269	60	...	181	14	261	318	214	157	4,730	10	322	7,731	...	7,731	27
Vasse	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	28	...	24	24	...	28	...	...	3	24	20	3	167	2,700	71	3,092	.	3,092	5
Total	25,070	812	28,871	3,546	1,054	1,037	1,590	667	8,867	7,094	2,277	2,826	17,671	150,873	5,060	257,315	1,223	258,538	706

No. 38.—*Species of Fruits grown in Western Australia and Seasons when Ripe.*

Common Name.	Scientific Name.	When Ripe.
Almond	Amygdalus communis	December to April.
Apple	Pyrus malus	January to July.
Apricot	Prunus Armeniaca	December to February.
Banana	Musa sapientum	January to July.
Blackberry	Ribes sp.	December.
Cape Gooseberry	Physalis Peruviana	All the Year.
Carob Bean	Ceratonia siliqua	May to June.
Cherry	Cerasus sp.	November to January.
Chestnut	Castanea vesca	April to May.
Currant	Ribes rubrum	December to January.
Date	Phœnix dactylifera	February to May.
Egg Fruit	Solanum melongena	January to April.
Fig	Ficus carica	November to May.
Gooseberry	Ribes grossularia	December and January.
Grapes	Vitis vinifera	December to April.
Grenadilla	Passiflora quadrangularis	January to May.
Guava	Psidium sp.	January to June.
Hazelnut	Corylus avellana	March to April.
Kumquat	Citrus Japonica	May.
Lemon	Citrus lemonum	May to November.
Loquat	Mespilus Japonica	September to November.
Mandarin	Citrus nobilis	May to July.
Medlar	Mespilus Germanica	January to April.
Melon (pie)	Cucumis citrullus	May to July.
Melon (rock)	,, melo	January to April.
Melon (water)	,, sp.	Do.
Mulberry	Morus Nigra	December and January.
Olives	Olea Europœa	June and July.
Orange	Citrus aurantium	May to October.
Passion Fruit	Passiflora edulis	December to July.
Peach and Nectarines	Amygdalum Persica	December to May.
Peanut	Arachis Hypogea	April to June.
Pear	Pyrus communis	December to July.
Persimmon	Diospyros Kaki	February to April.
Pineapple	Ananas sativa	March to June.
Plantain	Musa paradisiaca	January to July.
Plum	Prunus domestica	January to April.
Pomegranate	Punica granatum	February and March.
Pomelo	Citrus decumana	May to July.
Pumpkin	Cucurbita sp.	January to June.
Quince	Pyrus Cydonia	February to May.
Raspberry	Ribes idoeus	December.
Strawberry	Fragaria sp.	October to March.
Tomato	Lycopersicum esculentum	December to June.
Walnut	Juglans regia	April.

Part V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 39.—*Extent and value of improvements affected in respect of amount of money advanced under "Agricultural Bank Act, 1894," and "Amendment Act, 1896"; also extent and value of improvements in progress in respect of which loans have been approved, but not advanced, on 31st December, 1898.*

Amounts Advanced.	Clearing.		Cultivating.		Ring-barking.		Fencing.		Draining.	Wells, Reservoirs.	Buildings.	Totals.
	Area.	Value.	Area.	Value.	Area.	Value.	Chains.	Value.	Value.	Value.	Value.	Value.
£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£		£	£	£	£	£
Amounts Advanced for which the following Improvements have been Effected.												
£61,724 5s.	31,378	87,291	22,802	21,137	38,124	4,635	18,525	6,044	255	1,805	5,547	126,714
Loans Approved for which the following Improvements are in Progress.												
Loans approved of— Total £31,001 15s.	12,850	28,883	13,125	11,103	12,990	1,116	7,371	2,515	106	2,381	3,976	50,680

III.—LIVE STOCK.

No. 40.—*Number of Live Stock in the Colony on the 31st December in each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Goats.	Camels.	Mules and Donkeys.
1889	42,806	119,571	2,366,681	27,079	4,712	...	...
1890	44,384	130,970	2,524,913	28,985	4,047	45	...
1891	40,812	133,690	1,962,212	25,930	4,367	42	30
1892	44,973	162,886	1,685,500	24,417	4,095	395	11
1893	45,747	173,747	2,220,642	26,233	4,354	673	9
1894	50,001	187,214	2,132,311	28,396	4,050	2,347	131
1895	58,506	200,091	2,295,832	27,015	4,894	3,456	64
1896	57,527	199,793	2,248,976	31,154	4,027	3,984	104
1897	62,227	244,971	2,210,742	31,809	4,229	3,072	219
1898	63,604	269,947	2,251,548	39,433	5,215	3,197	209

No. 41.—*Number of Live Stock in the various Electoral Provinces and Districts of Western Australia on 31st December, 1898.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	HORSES.						CATTLE.						PIGS.					SHEEP.					CAMELS.	MULES AND DONKEYS.	GOATS.
	Over One Year Old on 31st December.						Over One Year Old on 31st December.						Over One Year Old on 31st December.					Over One Year Old on 31st December.							
	Entires used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Mares used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Saddle and carriage Horses.	Light and Heavy draught Horses.	Colts, Fillies, and Foals under one year old on 31st December.	Total Number of Horses on 31st December.	Bulls used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Milch Cows only.	Working Bullocks.	All other cattle over one year old on 31st December.	Calves under one year old on 31st December.	Total Number of Cattle on 31st December.	Boars used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Sows used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Barrows and Sows for fattening.	Barrows and Sows under one year old on 31st December.	Total Number of Pigs on 31st December.	Rams used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Ewes used or intended solely for breeding purposes.	Other Sheep over one year old on 31st December.	Lambs under one year old on 31st December.	Total Number of Sheep on 31st December.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Perth	4	...	560	325	3	892	...	20	...	29	...	49	4	9	121	24	158	...	...	28	4	32	...	...	...
Perth, East ...	...	...	46	30	1	77	2	89	...	...	11	102	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Perth, North ...	2	21	420	370	56	869	18	595	...	339	171	1,123	23	245	176	911	1,355	40	1,700	424	408	2,532	...	...	25
Perth, West ...	...	2	196	133	6	337	3	100	...	2	2	107	2	5	5	3	15	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	4
Total ...	6	23	1,222	858	66	2,175	23	804	...	370	184	1,381	29	259	304	938	1,530	40	1,700	452	412	2,604	...	...	31
WEST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Fremantle ...	2	16	314	289	15	636	3	148	3	616	24	794	14	71	616	165	866	...	...	1,782	750	2,532	...	...	7
Fremantle, East	1	...	49	72	6	128	3	70	1	4	8	86	5	10	12	8	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Fremantle, North	...	...	135	76	7	218	1	89	...	...	9	99	1	6	10	4	21	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	14
Fremantle, South	...	21	274	250	45	590	6	333	...	179	87	605	25	300	481	469	1,275	...	...	41	1	42	...	5	17
Total ...	3	37	772	687	73	1,572	13	640	4	799	128	1,584	45	387	1,119	646	2,197	...	...	1,824	751	2,575	...	5	43
EAST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Canning ...	21	43	293	220	43	620	27	694	16	199	137	1,073	41	292	575	877	1,785	1	100	424	80	605	...	...	39
Swan	21	106	430	502	80	1,139	23	342	30	752	111	1,258	34	173	300	498	1,005	11	515	3,213	310	4,049	...	1	14
Moore	56	559	1,207	908	473	3,203	85	1,789	41	5,046	1,400	8,361	98	494	569	1,890	3,051	346	15,124	21,856	9,924	47,250	...	...	125
Toodyay	40	249	949	979	340	2,557	32	501	4	676	379	1,592	97	648	1,188	2,488	4,421	434	18,146	18,921	8,787	46,288	...	...	55
Northam ...	24	164	633	1,104	223	2,148	30	423	1	338	209	1,001	82	537	905	2,283	3,807	484	17,802	19,222	7,796	45,304	1	1	38
York	12	148	381	701	122	1,364	22	243	...	299	131	695	75	386	578	1,585	2,624	606	20,502	20,650	12,184	53,942	...	...	38
Beverley	14	81	396	696	107	1,294	20	310	3	248	196	777	70	315	858	1,252	2,495	392	23,934	15,362	10,642	50,330	...	1	12
Total ...	188	1,350	4,289	5,110	1,388	12,325	239	4,302	95	7,558	2,563	14,757	497	2,845	4,973	10,873	19,188	2,274	96,123	99,648	49,723	247,768	1	3	321
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Murray	26	308	928	926	192	2,380	36	958	90	1,743	522	3,349	56	213	328	350	947	94	2,994	2,479	1,799	7,366	...	...	288
Wellington ...	19	202	731	991	204	2,147	90	1,892	221	2,857	1,098	6,158	64	442	391	697	1,594	74	3,333	4,659	1,464	9,530	...	...	6
Bunbury	11	82	499	456	84	1,132	46	812	28	1,852	658	3,396	35	418	255	474	1,182	52	1,992	2,470	1,470	5,984	...	...	4
Sussex	18	242	927	391	230	1,808	57	1,556	230	2,810	1,128	5,781	15	64	273	240	592	2	40	479	100	621	6	...	4
Nelson	26	333	814	439	211	1,823	97	1,764	134	3,975	1,052	7,022	38	114	107	208	467	440	13,348	9,729	5,001	28,518	...	...	3
Total ...	100	1,167	3,899	3,203	921	9,290	326	6,982	703	13,237	4,458	25,706	208	1,251	1,354	1, 69	4,782	662	21,707	19,816	9,834	52,019	6	...	305

SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Williams ...	55	477	1,045	1,769	733	4,079	59	640	1	676	431	1,807	104	330	695	1,245	2,374	697	46,111	23,212	16,545	86,565	...	...	47
Plantagenet ...	23	288	657	738	275	1,981	68	523	174	1,316	481	2,562	51	139	267	268	725	1,256	28,907	39,200	7,131	76,494	1	1	49
Albany	...	4	110	83	4	201	4	103	...	44	21	172	11	39	149	52	251	...	...	417	...	417	...	9	3
Total ...	78	769	1,812	2,590	1,012	6,261	131	1,266	175	2,036	933	4,541	166	508	1,111	1,565	3,350	1,953	75,018	62,829	23,676	163,476	1	10	99
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Irwin	21	246	706	729	257	1,959	34	466	...	2,871	672	4,043	36	101	351	346	834	260	15,041	24,830	9,347	49,478	...	...	57
Yalgoo	14	194	502	278	130	1,118	33	320	...	1,891	495	2,739	5	21	8	80	114	1,074	32,484	24,395	15,431	73,384	7	2	210
Greenough ...	19	134	304	668	147	1,272	23	357	8	460	253	1,101	40	262	663	1,188	2,153	343	13,369	11,031	8,853	33,596	...	2	251
Geraldton ...	15	114	380	415	81	1,005	15	216	...	355	125	711	25	112	244	274	655	442	13,173	16,248	8,037	37,900	...	...	300
Murchison ...	51	473	1,264	666	350	2,804	96	1,751	79	7,558	1,923	11,407	25	53	41	161	280	3,316	83,697	56,554	53,170	196,737	...	1	358
Murchison,Central	4	22	333	212	23	594	23	76	...	2,175	224	2,498	5	41	152	54	252	60	2,000	4,007	1,100	7,167	447	19	94
Murchison, South	7	64	401	318	50	840	15	162	66	559	64	866	...	1	22	...	23	230	9,200	13,210	3,480	26,120	83	2	35
Murchison, North	9	167	466	376	136	1,154	63	1,056	30	4,766	921	6,836	2	5	31	21	59	457	17,707	9,302	4,304	31,770	178	17	33
Total ...	140	1,414	4,356	3,662	1,174	10,746	302	4,404	183	20,635	4,677	30,201	138	596	1,512	2,124	4,370	6,182	186,671	159,577	103,722	456,152	715	43	1,338
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Dundas	13	143	374	421	78	1,029	13	72	...	447	156	688	7	33	44	111	195	545	19,115	21,303	10,393	51,356	207	14	68
Yilgarn	1	10	113	78	7	209	2	30	...	44	3	79	2	7	34	3	46	16	750	534	260	1,560	...	...	229
Coolgardie ...	8	...	265	678	7	958	...	57	...	119	1	177	16	195	710	297	1,218	...	...	1,479	3	1,482	1,649	10	153
Coolgardie, East	...	...	214	903	7	1,124	2	49	...	16	2	69	9	231	200	518	958	...	...	89	25	114	1	...	52
Coolgardie, North-East	1	3	144	417	8	573	...	22	...	38	6	66	7	55	164	86	312	...	...	163	4	167	3	34	103
Coolgardie, North	...	...	416	474	18	908	1	12	...	282	50	345	6	31	102	104	243	1	10	5,077	17	5,105	583	13	61
Total ...	23	156	1,526	2,971	125	4,801	18	242	...	946	218	1,424	47	552	1,254	1,119	2,972	562	19,875	28,645	10,702	59,784	2,443	71	666
NORTH PROVINCE.																									
Electoral District—																									
Gascoyne ...	30	487	1 056	562	267	2,402	140	524	347	8,279	1,832	11,122	6	17	41	40	104	6,301	153,823	116,343	84,228	360,695	2	9	752
Ashburton ...	42	769	1,152	566	601	3,130	74	533	317	6,588	820	8,332	7	36	35	27	105	5,953	140,441	83,548	62,546	292 488	...	...	15
Roebourne ...	11	198	516	202	84	1,011	11	209	30	822	135	1,207	2	6	62	16	86	1,337	31,000	12,415	11,601	56,353	...	...	55
Pilbarra	33	398	1,330	647	309	2,717	99	294	298	13,728	979	15,398	5	10	15	11	41	1,605	39,638	17,661	16,121	75,025	10	4	32
DeGrey	39	458	831	312	584	2,224	37	330	254	1,870	650	3,141	26	63	25	104	218	3,206	126,574	63,277	68,765	261,822	19	32	259
Kimberley, West	19	327	691	87	180	1,304	806	420	553	49,471	11,173	62,423	9	58	177	128	372	5,792	106,168	51,069	57,668	220,697	...	31	587
Kimberley, East	54	1,053	1,426	459	654	3,646	1,579	302	27	69,635	17,187	88,730	5	82	2	29	118	3	46	17	24	90	...	1	712
Total ...	228	3,690	7,002	2,835	2,679	16,434	2,746	2,612	1,826	150,393	32,776	190,353	60	272	357	355	1,044	24,197	597,690	344,330	300,953	1,267,170	31	77	2,412
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA ...	766	8,606	24,878	21,916	7,438	63,604	3,798	21,252	2,986	195,974	45,937	269,947	1,190	6,670	11,984	19,589	39,433	35,870	998,784	717,121	499,773	2,251,548	3,197	209	5,215

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 42.—*Reported Loss of Live Stock in Western Australia during 1898.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Camels.
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Perth	47	...	...	30	...
Perth, East	3	...	...	...	...
Perth, North	24	89	200	64	...
Perth, West	1	2	...	1	...
Total	75	91	200	95	...
WEST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Fremantle	14	22	34	62	...
Fremantle, East	3	...	...	1	...
Fremantle, North	3	3	...	...	...
Fremantle, South	23	30	16	191	...
Total	43	55	50	254	...
EAST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Canning	16	61	15	324	...
Swan	41	47	203	67	...
Moore	64	111	5,037	96	...
Toodyay	89	41	1,325	161	...
Northam	74	55	2,524	147	1
York	38	80	1,039	28	1
Beverley	41	27	4,694	86	...
Total	363	422	14,837	909	2
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Murray	77	155	127	9	...
Wellington	53	233	303	40	...
Bunbury	18	94	249	3	...
Sussex	26	224	67	4	3
Nelson	54	568	3,020	15	...
Total	228	1,274	3,766	71	3
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Williams	143	169	12,519	66	...
Plantagenet	89	134	6,559	29	...
Albany	7	4	...	3	...
Total	239	307	19,078	98	...
CENTRAL PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Irwin	57	103	1,218	23	...
Yalgoo	49	91	1,871	22	...
Greenough	45	19	1,032	30	...
Geraldton	26	8	581	15	...
Murchison	96	203	6,026	2	...
Murchison, Central	35	210	132	15	27
Murchison, South	12	42	510	1	...
Murchison, North	50	940	3,700	50	7
Total	370	1,616	15,070	158	34
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Dundas	47	17	4,249	16	9
Yilgarn	12	6	3	2	...
Coolgardie	95	29	310	101	58
Coolgardie, East	27	...	98	70	...
Coolgardie, North-East	16	...	107	37	...
Coolgardie, North	29	...	200	6	21
Total	226	52	4,967	232	88
NORTH PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Gascoyne	103	311	11,365	3	...
Ashburton	85	131	17,416	12	...
Roebourne	40	22	4,371	34	...
Pilbarra	106	554	7,550	1	1
DeGrey	87	51	19,907	50	2
Kimberley, West	117	1,074	8,022	65	...
Kimberley, East	249	3,930	7	5	...
Total	787	6,073	68,638	170	3
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	2,331	9,890	126,606	1,987	130

Part V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 43.—*Details of Causes of Loss of Live Stock in Western Australia during 1898.*

Electoral Provinces and Districts.	Drought.	Drowned and Bogged.	Poison.	Accidents.	Old Age.	Killed by Aboriginals.	Killed by Wild Dogs and Eagle-hawks.	Diseases of Internal Organs.	Rickets (Wobbles).	Foaling.	Calving.	Lambing.	Farrowing.	Snakebite.	Castration.	Other Causes not known or not specified.	Total.
HORSES.																	
Metropolitan Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Perth	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	47
Perth, East	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3
Perth, North	...	2	...	8	2	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	24
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	1
Total, Metropolitan Province	...	2	...	11	2	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	75
West Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	14
Fremantle, East ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3
Fremantle, North ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Fremantle, South ...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	23
Total, West Province	...	...	1	4	1	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	43
East Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Canning	...	...	...	9	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	16
Swan	3	...	8	11	3	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	7	41
Moore	6	3	5	5	...	...	...	6	...	4	...	...	...	1	1	33	64
Toodyay	...	3	2	16	9	...	...	15	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	40	89
Northam	13	2	6	12	1	...	...	10	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	25	74
York	...	1	5	5	...	...	...	5	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	22	38
Beverley	...	...	1	10	5	...	...	8	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	14	41
Total, East Province	22	9	27	68	21	...	...	50	...	12	...	...	...	7	5	142	363
South-West Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Murray	12	2	6	10	11	...	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	29	77
Wellington	...	2	1	13	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	30	53
Bunbury	...	1	1	4	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	18
Sussex	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	26
Nelson	...	3	6	4	2	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	1	2	31	54
Total, South-West Province	12	8	14	35	24	...	...	12	...	6	...	...	...	2	3	112	228
South-East Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Williams	...	...	62	8	11	...	...	7	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	50	143
Plantagenet	2	4	17	51	2	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	7	89
Albany	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	7
Total, South-East Province	2	4	79	60	14	...	...	13	...	5	...	..	...	3	1	58	239
Central Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Irwin	...	...	5	10	12	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	25	57
Yalgoo	...	...	7	9	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	28	49
Greenough	...	...	...	10	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	29	45
Geraldton	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	26
Murchison	...	...	35	16	29	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	12	96
Murchison, Central ...	20	...	3	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	35
Murchison, South ...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	12
Murchison North ...	16	...	4	1	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	50
Total, Central Province ...	36	1	57	52	68	...	...	9	...	3	...	...	...	4	1	139	370
North-East Province.																	
Electoral District—																	
Dundas	8	1	2	6	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	24	47
Yilgarn	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
Coolgardie	...	...	1	8	1	...	...	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	95
Coolgardie, East... ..	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	27
Coolgardie, North-East...	1	...	1	5	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	16
Coolgardie, North ...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	29
Total, North-East Province	9	2	6	37	4	...	...	52	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	115	226

No. 43.—*Details of Causes of Loss of Live Stock, etc.*—continued.

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	Drought.	Drowned and Bogged.	Poison.	Accidents.	Old Age.	Killed by Aboriginals.	Killed by Wild Dogs and Eagle-hawks.	Diseases of Internal Organs.	Rickets (Wobbles).	Foaling.	Calving.	Lambing.	Farrowing.	Snakebite.	Castration.	Other Causes not known or not specified.	Total.
								HORSES—*continued.*									
NORTH PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Gascoyne	84	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	103
Ashburton	27	6	...	13	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	85
Roebourne	2	29	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	40
Pilbarra	...	14	10	5	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	68	106
DeGrey	...	36	3	12	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	33	87
Kimberley, West ...	15	2	7	3	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	76	117
Kimberley, East... ...	...	3	...	7	...	61	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	164	249
Total, North Province ...	128	90	20	44	14	61	...	24	...	1	...	...	...	10	...	395	787
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	209	116	204	311	148	61	...	181	...	27	...	...	...	27	10	1,037	2,331
								CATTLE.									
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, North	...	35	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	46	89
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Total, Metropolitan Province ...	...	35	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	48	91
WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Fremantle	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	22
Fremantle, East... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, North ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Fremantle, South ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	30
Total, West Province ...	...	3	...	5	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	55
EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Canning	...	...	1	10	1	...	...	26	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	16	61
Swan	...	...	26	4	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	47
Moore	...	3	9	1	...	...	...	18	26	...	2	...	...	1	...	51	111
Toodyay	...	...	14	2	...	...	...	...	5	...	4	...	...	3	1	12	41
Northam	...	...	15	22	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	16	55
York	...	1	47	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	80
Beverley	...	...	12	8	1	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3	27
Total, East Province ...	...	4	124	53	3	...	1	47	35	...	13	...	...	4	1	137	422
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Murray	...	10	49	14	1	...	...	11	36	...	6	...	...	...	...	28	155
Wellington	...	10	99	2	2	...	...	15	11	...	5	...	...	...	...	89	233
Bunbury	...	2	18	10	1	...	...	10	...	...	11	...	...	2	...	40	94
Sussex	14	7	42	...	...	...	...	22	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	224
Nelson	...	18	224	1	...	...	3	4	230	...	8	...	...	...	...	80	568
Total, South-West Province	14	47	432	27	4	...	3	62	335	...	30	...	...	2	...	318	1,274
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Williams	10	...	133	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	13	169
Plantagenet	7	3	72	4	3	...	...	15	3	...	2	...	...	1	...	24	134
Albany	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4
Total, South-East Province	17	3	205	17	3	...	...	15	3	...	2	...	...	3	...	39	307
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Irwin	...	2	1	13	21	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	4	...	42	103
Yalgoo	...	...	13	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	91
Greenough	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	1	...	9	19
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8
Murchison	15	...	54	11	49	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	70	203
Murchison, Central ...	150	...	7	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	210
Murchison, South ...	3	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	42
Murchison, North ...	710	...	20	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	940
Total, Central Province	878	2	109	78	101	...	...	1	24	...	4	...	...	5	...	414	1,616

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CATTLE—*continued.*																	
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Dundas	8	...	...	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	17
Yilgarn	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	6
Coolgardie	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	29
Coolgardie, East... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, North-East Province	8	...	...	15	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	52
NORTH PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Gascoyne	278	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	311
Ashburton	71	2	...	3	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	131
Roebourne	1	16	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
Pilbarra	...	7	4	...	2	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	521	554
DeGrey	...	28	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	15	51
Kimberley, West ...	50	45	...	3	...	154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	810	1,074
Kimberley, East... ...	...	2	...	1	...	1,743	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2,182	3,930
Total, North Province	400	100	4	13	11	1,927	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	11	3,601	6,073
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	1,317	194	874	210	122	1,927	4	127	413	...	54	...	...	19	12	4,617	9,890
SHEEP.																	
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	200
Perth, West	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Metropolitan Province	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	200
WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	25	34
Fremantle, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, South ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	16
Total, West Province	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	41	50
EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	15
Swan	...	...	1	35	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	203
Moore	...	...	274	...	...	...	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,711	5,037
Toodyay	80	...	515	16	48	14	91	20	...	...	...	106	...	...	...	435	1,325
Northam	200	4	1,153	103	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	20	...	2	...	1,022	2,524
York	60	...	670	...	12	...	62	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	229	1,039
Beverley	1,095	...	1,164	150	29	...	1,504	...	...	...	...	73	...	...	...	679	4,694
Total, East Province...	1,435	4	3,777	304	89	14	1,746	20	...	...	...	205	...	2	...	7,241	14,837
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Murray	...	...	5	...	32	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	127
Wellington	100	...	...	...	...	...	161	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	303
Bunbury	4	...	...	4	5	...	91	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	135	249
Sussex	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	67
Nelson	500	15	203	...	...	..	1,239	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,063	3,020
Total, South-West Province	604	15	208	4	37	...	1,623	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	1,265	3,766

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							SHEEP—*continued.*										
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Williams	1,217	...	3,829	71	50	...	5,013	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	2,331	12,519
Plantagenet	4,710	...	650	...	...	...	864	31	204	...	...	60	...	...	...	40	6,559
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, South-East Province	5,927	...	4,479	71	50	...	5,877	31	204	...	...	68	...	...	...	2,371	19,078
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Irwin	...	...	494	...	70	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	594	1,218
Yalgoo	...	...	60	...	70	...	470	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,271	1,871
Greenough	...	...	160	...	180	15	201	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	473	1,032
Geraldton ..	...	...	...	...	306	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	581
Murchison	300	...	420	100	1,047	...	550	...	...	...	...	1,218	...	...	...	2,391	6,026
Murchison, Central	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	132
Murchison, South	100	...	20	...	...	...	240	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	510
Murchison, North	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	100	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	400	3,700
Total, Central Province	1,610	...	1,154	100	1,673	15	1,821	2,000	3	...	...	1,218	...	...	...	5,476	15,070
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Dundas	1,991	...	950	...	850	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	438	4,249
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Coolgardie	...	...	...	30	...	...	5	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	240	310
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	98
Coolgardie, North-East	7	...	...	50	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	107
Coolgardie, North	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	200
Total, North-East Province	1,998	...	1,150	80	850	...	25	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	809	4,967
NORTH PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Gascoyne	6,680	...	...	...	450	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,235	11,365
Ashburton	6,673	4,000	500	60	550	...	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,233	17,416
Roebourne	...	1,700	1,000	...	1,671	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,371
Pilbarra	400	4,930	...	...	90	...	270	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,860	7,550
DeGrey	15,027	...	...	2,780	80	...	350	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,670	19,907
Kimberley, West	500	540	201	3	1,003	100	540	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,135	8,022
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7
Total, North Province	29,280	11,170	1,701	2,843	3,844	100	1,560	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,140	68,638
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	40,854	11,189	12,469	3,402	6,593	129	12,652	2,106	207	...	...	1,501	...	11	...	35,493	126,606
							PIGS.										
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	64
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total, Metropolitan Province	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	95	95
WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	27	62
Fremantle, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Fremantle, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	191	191
Total, West Province	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	219	254
EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Canning	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	..	291	324
Swan	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	67
Moore	...	...	16	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	75	96
Toodyay	...	...	1	41	...	...	21	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	90	161
Northam	...	3	...	91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	51	147
York	...	..	11	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	28
Beverley	4	...	6	6	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	55	86
Total, East Province	4	3	37	139	...	...	36	2	...	...	...	...	34	12	...	642	909

No. 43.—*Details of Causes of Loss of Live Stock, etc.*—continued.

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	Drought.	Drowned and Bogged.	Poison.	Accidents.	Old Age.	Killed by Aboriginals.	Killed by Wild Dogs and Eagle-hawks.	Diseases of Internal Organs.	Rickets (Wobbles).	Foaling.	Calving.	Lambing.	Farrowing.	Snakebite.	Castration.	Other Causes not known or not specified.	Total.
PIGS.—*continued.*																	
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Murray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	9
Wellington	...	10	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	40
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Sussex	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Nelson	...	...	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	7	15
Total, South-West Province	...	10	7	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	48	71
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Williams	...	...	8	10	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	66
Plantagenet	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	19	29
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Total, South-East Province	...	...	9	15	...	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	63	98
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Irwin	...	...	2	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	23
Yalgoo	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	22
Greenough	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	03
Geraldton...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	15
Murchison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Murchison, Central ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	15
Murchison, South ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Murchison, North ...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	50
Total, Central Province	...	3	4	3	4	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	138	158
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Dundas	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	16
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Coolgardie	16	...	...	10	...	...	15	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	101
Coolgardie, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	70
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	37
Coolgardie, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total, North-East Province	16	1	...	25	...	...	15	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	167	232
NORTH PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Gascoyne	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
Ashburton	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12
Roebourne	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
DeGrey	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
Kimberley, West ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	65
Kimberley, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5
Total, North Province	1	86	...	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	170
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	21	103	57	186	4	...	93	11	...	...	...	...	34	49	4	1,425	1,987
CAMELS.																	
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Perth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Metropolitan Province	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle, South ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, West Province	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

No. 43.—*Details of Causes of Loss of Live Stock, etc.*—continued.

CAMELS—*continued.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	Drought.	Drowned and Bogged.	Poison.	Accidents.	Old Age.	Killed by Aborigines.	Killed by Wild Dogs and Eagle-hawks.	Diseases of Internal Organs.	Rickets (Wobbles).	Foaling.	Calving.	Lambing.	Farrowing.	Snakebite.	Castration.	Other Causes not known or not specified.	Total.
EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Swan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northam	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, East Province	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Murray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bunbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sussex	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, South-West Province	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plantagenet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, South-East Province	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Irwin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Geraldton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, Central	10	1	12	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
Murchison, South	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison, North	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7
Total, Central Province	10	1	18	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	34
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Dundas	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	9
Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	7	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	58
Coolgardie, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North-East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie, North	...	...	8	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	7	21
Total, North-East Province	7	...	34	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	36	88
NORTH PROVINCE.																	
Electoral District—																	
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
DeGrey	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Kimberley, West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kimberley, East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, North Province	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	1	...	...	3
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	17	1	53	13	2	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	4	...	40	130

No. 44.—*Number of Live Stock slaughtered in each Electoral Province and District of Western Australia during the Year 1898.*

ELECTORAL PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS.	CATTLE (including Calves).	SHEEP (including Lambs).	Quantity of Beef and Mutton Tallow made.	PIGS.	Quantity of Lard made.
	Slaughtered for private or public consumption.	Slaughtered for private or public consumption		Slaughtered for private or public consumption	
METROPOLITAN PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—	No.	No.	Cwt.	No.	Cwt.
Perth	455	5,472	244	282	...
Perth, East	...	...	...	1	...
Perth, North	153	2,640	2	1,076	1
Perth, West	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	608	8,112	246	1,359	1
WEST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Fremantle	5,190	48,614	2,580	2,799	235
Fremantle, East	...	...	...	47	...
Fremantle, North	4	...	...	2	...
Fremantle, South	336	2,090	20	610	...
Total ...	5,530	50,704	2,600	3,458	235
EAST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Canning	2,706	30,442	1,001	3,486	69
Swan	1,392	16,008	379	672	13
Moore	155	5,743	17	538	5
Toodyay	154	6,924	115	1,130	79
Northam	600	11,369	171	1,628	66
York	185	9,550	57	763	4
Beverley	111	8,130	79	1,066	29
Total ...	5,303	88,166	1,819	9,283	265
SOUTH-WEST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Murray	985	8,316	222	610	1
Wellington	1,260	6,230	67	542	2
Bunbury	1,031	5,816	76	363	4
Sussex	776	1,105	45	337	6
Nelson	504	2,296	76	199	12
Total ...	4,556	23,763	486	2,051	25
SOUTH-EAST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Williams	212	11,905	¼	1,062	33½
Plantagenet..	394	7,772	32	340	8
Albany	504	6,040	348	420	10
Total ...	1,110	25,717	380¼	1,822	51½
CENTRAL PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Irwin...	122	5,278	7	340	1
Yalgoo	273	8,848	8	69	...
Greenough	137	4,737	10	566	3
Geraldton	1,158	13,281	380	444	2
Murchison	194	10,670	9	129	...
Murchison, Central	798	8,920	78	172	1
Murchison, South	606	9,287	13	77	...
Murchison, North	632	6,680	2	6	...
Total ...	3,920	67,701	507	1,803	7
NORTH-EAST PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Dundas	263	11,674	74	156	2
Yilgarn	4	772	7	14	...
Coolgardie	2,900	35,869	1,505	1,640	20
Coolgardie, East	3,376	21,670	1,165	2,066	...
Coolgardie, North-East	1,461	11,608	459	616	...
Coolgardie, North	963	13,264	58	265	1
Total ...	8,967	94,857	3,268	4,757	23
NORTH PROVINCE.					
Electoral District—					
Gascoyne	272	30,314	66	43	...
Ashburton	123	14,423	39	50	...
Roebourne	155	5,590	66	18	...
Pilbarra	548	8,840	34	18	...
DeGrey	91	8,846	...	43	...
Kimberley, West	1,340	6,834	...	195	...
Kimberley, East	680	...	...	18	...
Total ...	3,209	74,847	205	385	...
GRAND TOTAL, WESTERN AUSTRALIA	33,203	433,867	9,511¼	24,918	607½

PART V.—LAND SETTLEMENT, AGRICULTURE, AND LIVE STOCK.

No. 45.—*Number and Value of Imports and Exports of Live Stock, 1889–98.*

Year.	Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Pigs.		Camels.		Mules and Donkeys.		Goats.		Total Value.
	No.	Value £	No.	Value £	No.	Value £	No.	Value £	No.	Value £	No.	Value £	No.	Value £	£
						IMPORTS.									
1889 ...	199	9,950	7	370	955	4,813	3	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,208
1890 ...	186	9,300	15	265	434	1,769	12	280	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,614
1891 ...	595	29,750	96	1,156	2,052	1,073	3	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,009
1892 ...	1,392	55,680	19	224	5,415	4,091	...	...	171	6,840	...	...	...	...	66,835
1893 ...	814	32,560	93	1,119	1,192	1,728	7	70	10	350	32	130	...	...	35,957
1894 ...	3,997	50,712	342	3,664	5,491	4,570	44	53	1,187	51,176	69	212	...	...	110,387
1895 ...	3,704	43,378	4,940	44,659	38,828	26,400	1,562	2,524	2,460	46,374	14	23	...	...	163,358
1896 ...	5,652	83,835	8,150	79,281	44,585	28,864	5,763	8,381	1,254	28,970	59	191	...	...	229,522
1897 ...	1,809	31,831	12,618	124,757	115,420	104,793	7,898	9,256	1,778	34,875	...	...	49	11	305,523
1898 ...	415	6,837	16,423	174,950	82,746	63,954	8,889	11,867	106	2,180	6	10	15	3	259,801
						EXPORTS.									
1889 ...	433	5,196	70	490	3,400	2,040	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,726
1890 ...	421	5,052	69	483	1,385	831	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,366
1891 ...	123	1,476	33	231	2,148	1,289	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,996
1892 ...	245	2,450	33	178	300	160	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,788
1893 ...	74	780	26	125	1,551	536	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,446
1894 ...	5	285	...	...	1,300	520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	805
1895 ...	22	958	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	50	...	...	...	...	1,008
1896 ...	36	360	...	...	1,004	364	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	724
1897 ...	90	2,047	...	...	1,794	1,188	...	...	200	6,000	...	...	...	...	9,235
1898 ...	74	1,947	172	1,102	300	105	3	26	502	15,060	3	15	...	...	18,255

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INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (OTHER THAN MINES), 1898.

No. 1.—Number of Industrial Establishments (exclusive of Mines) in Western Australia from which Returns were received under the provisions of the Industrial Statistics Act, and the number of Males and Females employed in such Establishments for each of the two years 1897 and 1898.

Class of Industry.	1897.				1898.			
	Number of Establishments.	Persons employed.			Number of Establishments.	Persons employed.		
		Males.	Females.	*Total.		Males.	Females.	*Total.
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits	4	36	...	36	4	31	3	34
II. Connected with food and drink or the preparation thereof — Food	76	544	46	590	87	562	47	609
Drink	91	822	5	827	103	787	5	792
III. Clothing and textile fabrics	51	420	276	696	80	447	479	926
IV. Building material	109	4236	1	4237	115	4113	2	4115
V. Metal works, machinery, etc.	32	1373	10	1383	45	1494	6	1500
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc.	4	34	1	35	3	30	...	30
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc.	12	191	15	206	13	111	7	118
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc.	38	833	43	876	33	758	53	811
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness ...	35	350	2	352	52	405	2	407
X. Light, fuel, and heat	7	96	...	96	26	172	1	173
XI. Miscellaneous	28	330	25	355	34	343	37	380
Total	487	9265	424	9689	595	9253	642	9895

* Includes Working Proprietors, Managers, and Overseers, but not persons employed in their own homes working for Establishments. For details *see* Table 5, page 12.

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 2.—*Number of Industrial Establishments (exclusive of Mines) in each*

Class of Industry.	Albany.	Beverley.	Bunbury.	Canning.	Coolgardie.	Coolgardie, East.	Coolgardie, North.	Coolgardie, N.E.	Dundas.	Fremantle.	Fremantle, East.	Fremantle, North.	Fremantle, South.	Geraldton.	Greenough.	Irwin.	Kimberley, West.
I. TREATING RAW MATERIAL, THE PRODUCTS OF PASTORAL PURSUITS—																	
Tanneries	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
II. (A.)—FOOD. CONNECTED WITH FOOD AND DRINK, OR THE PREPARATIONS THEREOF—																	
Bacon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Biscuits	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bread	...	...	1	1	6	12	1	6	2	1	...	4	5	1	...	...	...
Butter	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Condiments, Coffees, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Confectionery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Fish Preserving	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flour	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	...
Ice and Refrigerating	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	1	2	1	7	12	1	6	2	6	...	4	8	1	1	1	...
II. (B.)—DRINK.																	
Aerated Waters and Cordial Works	...	...	2	...	6	6	5	10	1	3	...	2	...	2	...	...	2
Breweries	2	...	2	1	2	4	1	3	2	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...
Water Condensing	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wine Making	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...
Total ...	2	...	4	1	8	23	6	17	4	3	3	2	...	3	...	...	2
III. CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS—																	
Boots and Shoes	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Dressmaking and Millinery ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	...
Tailoring	2	...	...	...	3	4	2	...	1	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Total ...	2	...	1	...	4	5	2	...	1	8	1	2	...	2	...	...	...
IV. BUILDING MATERIALS—																	
Bricks	...	1	2	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Glaziers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paint Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quarries and Lime Works	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...
Sawmills (Forest)	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sawmills (Town) and Joinery Works	1	...	2	...	...	4	...	2	2	...	1	4	...	2	...	...	...
Total ...	1	1	5	5	2	8	...	2	2	...	1	8	...	3	...	...	...
V. METAL WORKS, MACHINERY, ETC.—																	
Agricultural Implements	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Electrical	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineering, Ironworks, Foundries, Plumbing, and Tinsmithing ...	2	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	1	3	3	...	...	1	...	...	...
Railway Workshops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2	...	1	...	1	4	...	...	1	3	4	...	...	1	...	...	...
VI. SHIP BUILDING AND REPAIRING, ETC—																	
Ship and Boat Building	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

of the various Electoral Districts of Western Australia for the Year 1898.

Moore.	Murchison.	Murchison, Central.	Murchison, North.	Murchison, South.	Murray.	Nelson.	Northam.	Perth.	Perth, East.	Perth, North.	Perth, West.	Pilbarra.	Plantagenet.	Roebourne.	Sussex.	Swan.	Toodyay.	Wellington.	Williams.	Yalgoo.	Yilgarn.	York.	TOTAL.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
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...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	51
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
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...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	...	...	2	19
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
3	...	1	1	...	3	...	2	1	3	2	6	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	3	...	1	3	87
...	...	4	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	53
...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	5	1	1	...	...	2	3	1	...	4	...	...	..	...	4	2	...	1	...	...	1	103
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	46
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	43	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	80
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	13	1	3	1	...	...	...	32
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
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...	...	...	...	...	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	8	1	11	...	...	...	...	35
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	3	4	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	32
...	...	...	...	...	5	3	5	5	6	3	4	...	1	...	2	25	2	14	1	...	1	...	115
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	2	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	35
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	15	2	...	4	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	45
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PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 2.—*Number of Industrial Establishments (exclusive of Mines) in each*

Class of Industry.	Albany.	Beverley.	Bunbury.	Canning.	Coolgardie.	Coolgardie, East.	Coolgardie, North.	Coolgardie, N.E.	Dundas.	Fremantle.	Fremantle, East.	Fremantle, North.	Fremantle, South.	Geraldton.	Greenough.	Irwin.	Kimberley, West.
VII.																	
FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.—																	
Cabinetmakers and Upholsterers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
VIII.																	
BOOKS, PAPER, PRINTING, ETC.—																	
Cardboard Boxes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Printing and Bookbinding	1	...	2	...	1	2	1	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Total ...	1	...	2	...	1	2	1	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
IX.																	
VEHICLES, SADDLERY, HARNESS, ETC.—																	
Coaches, Waggons, and Blacksmiths...	1	...	3	...	2	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
Cycle Works	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saddlery, Harness	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Total ...	2	...	3	...	2	4	...	...	...	6	...	...	1	3	...	...	...
X.																	
LIGHT, FUEL, AND HEAT—																	
Electric Light	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Firewood	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	1	...	...	...
Gas	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ..	2	...	...	...	1	4	...	1	...	...	2	1	4	1	...	...	...
XI.																	
MISCELLANEOUS—																	
Chemists (Manufacturing)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jewellery do.	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monumental Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Photographic	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quartz Reducing	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Soap and Candles	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Tobacco and Cigars	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooperage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eucalyptus Oil	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Guano (Manure)	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	.
Total ...	...	1	...	3	2	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	12	3	19	10	28	65	10	27	11	31	11	20	16	16	1	1	2

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

of the Electoral Districts of Western Australia for the Year 1898—continued.

Moore.	Murchison.	Murchison, Central.	Murchison, North.	Murchison, South.	Murray.	Nelson.	Northam.	Perth.	Perth, East.	Perth, North.	Perth, West.	Pilbarra.	Plantagenet.	Roebourne.	Sussex.	Swan.	Toodyay.	Wellington.	Williams.	Yalgoo.	Yilgarn.	York.	TOTAL.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	13	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	32
...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	13	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	33
...	1	2	...	...	...	2	3	8	1	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	41
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
...	1	2	...	...	...	2	3	13	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	52
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
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...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	13	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
3	1	12	2	2	8	5	18	114	20	10	34	...	3	2	3	34	6	15	5	...	4	11	595

No. 3.—*Comparative Returns giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the Number of Industrial Establishments (exclusive of Mines) in each of the various Electoral Districts of Western Australia.*

Class of Industry.		Albany.	Beverley.	Bunbury.	Canning.	Coolgardie.	Coolgardie, East.	Coolgardie, North.	Coolgardie, N.E.	Dundas.	Fremantle.	Fremantle, East.	Fremantle, North.	Fremantle, South.	Geraldton.	Greenough.	Irwin.	Kimberley, West.	Moore.	Murchison.	Murchison, Central.	Murchison, North.	Murchison, South.	Murray.	Nelson.	Northam.	Perth.	Perth, East.	Perth, North.	Perth, West.	Pilbarra.	Plantagenet.	Roebourne.	Sussex.	Swan.	Toodyay.	Wellington.	Williams.	Yalgoo.	Yilgarn.	York.	TOTAL.
1897:																																										
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4
II. Connected with food and drink, or the preparation thereof	Food	...	1	2	..	6	9	1	5	1	3	...	2	6	3	1	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	3	...	5	2	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	3	1	1	3	...	1	3	76
	Drink	3	...	5	1	8	27	2	10	4	4	2	2	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	2	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	91
III. Clothing and textile fabrics		1	...	2	...	3	4	1	...	1	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	28	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51
IV. Building material		...	...	7	9	1	9	...	3	...	1	1	3	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	4	3	6	2	2	...	2	...	2	23	4	9	...	...	...	3	109
V. Metal works, machinery, etc.		2	...	1	...	1	3	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	32
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc. ...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc.		1	...	2	...	1	3	3	1	4	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	13	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	38
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness, etc.		3	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	35
X. Light, fuel, and heat ...		1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
XI. Miscellaneous		...	...	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	10	1	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	28
Total, 1897 ...		11	1	22	13	23	56	7	20	10	21	9	12	10	18	1	1	1	3	...	9	2	...	10	1	19	91	10	7	23	1	2	2	2	30	8	10	5	1	1	14	487
1898:																																										
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits		...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
II. Connected with food and drink, or the preparation thereof	Food	...	1	2	1	7	12	1	6	2	6	...	4	8	1	1	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	3	...	2	1	3	2	6	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	3	...	1	3	87
	Drink	2	...	4	1	8	23	6	17	4	3	3	2	...	3	...	...	2	...	...	5	1	1	...	...	2	3	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	4	2	...	1	...	...	1	103
III. Clothing and textile fabrics		2	...	1	...	4	5	2	...	1	8	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	43	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	80
IV. Building material		1	1	5	5	2	8	...	2	2	...	1	8	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	5	5	6	3	4	...	1	...	2	25	2	14	1	...	1	...	115
V. Metal works, machinery, etc.		2	...	1	...	1	4	...	...	1	3	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	15	2	...	4	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	45
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc. ...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc.		1	...	2	...	1	2	1	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	13	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	33
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness, etc.		2	...	3	...	2	4	...	...	...	6	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	2	3	13	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	52
X. Light, fuel, and heat ...		2	...	...	...	1	4	...	1	...	...	2	1	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
XI. Miscellaneous		...	1	...	3	2	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	13	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
Total, 1898 ...		12	3	19	10	28	65	10	27	11	31	11	20	16	16	1	1	2	3	1	12	2	2	8	5	18	114	20	10	34	...	3	2	3	34	6	15	5	...	4	11	595

No. 4.—*Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, relative to the Employment of Labour and Machinery and the Approximate Value of Land, Buildings, Plant, and Machinery used in connection with the Industrial Establishments of the Colony.*

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Working Proprietors, Managers, and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		General Labourers.	Carters and Messengers, etc.		Total.			Motive power employed.								Approximate value of	
															Horse power of									
															Steam Engines.		Gas Engines.		Oil Engines.		Electric Motors.			
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
1897.																								
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits	4	6	...	2	...	1	23	...	3	1	...	36	...	36	16	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	8765	2550
II. Connected with food and drink, or the preparation thereof ... Food	76	102	1	42	1	27	241	39	16	116	5	544	46	590	516	381	14	14	12	12	...	...	99715	60162
Drink	91	130	1	51	2	48	383	1	94	116	1	822	5	827	562	368½	10	6	30	22½	...	...	171901	120714
III. Clothing and textile fabrics...	51	58	9	11	1	2	326	264	...	23	2	420	276	696	12	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	98910	7335
IV. Building material	109	212	...	131	1	152	1487	...	1770	484	...	4236	1	4237	4657	4515	8	4	10	10	...	...	350885	406732
V. Metal works, machinery, etc.	32	60	...	75	3	17	1026	7	181	14	...	1373	10	1383	834½	279½	12	11	29½	25	...	...	111190	61637
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc.	4	6	...	...	...	...	23	1	5	...	...	34	1	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5200	700
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc.	12	20	...	1	...	...	156	15	6	8	...	191	15	206	...	...	4½	4½	3½	2½	...	...	† 67552	1665
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc.	38	78	...	51	7	14	516	37	7	166	...	833	43	876	30	19	62	37	58	48	...	...	99175	87288
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness	35	47	1	8	...	4	280	1	4	7	...	350	2	352	60	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	† 72425	14625
X. Light, fuel, and heat	7	10	...	10	...	21	24	...	24	7	...	96	...	96	915	856	10	10	14½	7½	...	...	23400	59850
XI. Miscellaneous	28	46	...	16	1	26	169	23	49	24	1	330	25	355	466	246	...	...	...	...	...	...	58900	55483
Total 1897	487	775	12	398	16	312	4654	388	2159	966	9	9265	424	9689	7568½	6727	120½	104½	157½	127½	*	*	1168028	878741
1898.																								
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits	4	4	...	2	...	1	22	3	...	2	...	31	3	34	16	7½	...	...	...	...	...	...	9250	2893
II. Connected with food and drink, or the preparation thereof Food	87	119	6	36	2	32	225	35	23	127	4	562	47	609	771	559	16	8	18½	18½	1	½	143730	82801
Drink	103	135	2	53	3	66	245	...	167	121	...	787	5	792	889	694	9	7	55½	33½	7	4	220272	144988
III. Clothing and textile fabrics	80	80	27	13	1	2	336	451	1	15	...	447	479	926	22	10½	...	...	6	4½	...	...	118735	10240
IV. Building material	115	230	...	150	2	169	1796	...	1382	386	...	4113	2	4115	4757½	4563½	...	...	67½	59	...	...	553325	565228
V. Metal works, machinery, etc.	45	87	...	77	1	22	1019	5	259	30	...	1494	6	1500	561	332	8	6	48	37	1¾	1¾	110379	86970
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc.	3	4	...	...	...	...	24	...	2	...	...	30	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1120	700
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc.	13	24	...	1	1	...	78	6	3	5	...	111	7	118	...	...	4	4	4½	2½	...	...	12395	1055
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc.	33	70	1	44	8	10	543	44	8	83	...	758	53	811	22	22	34	30	80	66½	12	8½	119243	107100
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness	52	71	...	15	1	3	302	1	7	7	...	405	2	407	43	34	...	...	...	...	3	1½	61420	16105
X. Light, fuel, and heat	26	30	1	14	...	37	31	...	34	26	...	172	1	173	938	553½	5	5	38½	36	...	...	36630	122740
XI. Miscellaneous	34	52	2	12	2	24	137	33	91	27	...	343	37	380	556	322½	...	...	...	...	...	...	59425	114115
Total 1898	595	906	39	417	21	366	4758	578	1977	829	4	9253	642	9895	8575½	7098½	76	60	318½	257½	24¾	16¼	1445924	1254935

* Not separately tabulated for 1897.

† The approximate value of Land and Buildings was considerably over-estimated in 1897, owing to the inclusion by several large firms of the values of portions of their business premises unconnected with their factories, workshops, or mills.

Part VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (Exclusive of Mines).

No. 5.—*Details of Industrial Establishments* (*exclusive of Mines*), *Labour*

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Working Proprietors, Managers and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		General Labourers.	Carters and Messengers.	Others.		Total.		
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
CLASS I.															
Treating Raw Material, the Products of Pastoral Pursuits.															
Tanneries †	4	4	...	2	...	1	22	3	...	2	...	...	31	3	34
Total	4	4	...	2	...	1	22	3	...	2	...	...	31	3	34
CLASS II.—Connected with Food and Drink, or the preparations thereof.															
(a.) Food.															
Bacon ... ... Biscuits	1 1	*2	1	1	...	1	12	8	...	1	...	...	17	9	26
Bread	51	76	5	11	1	...	109	...	7	86	5	4	294	10	304
Butter ‡	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	2
Condiments, Coffee, etc.	3	5	...	8	...	2	33	15	...	5	4	...	57	15	72
Confectionery	5	9	...	2	...	2	13	12	...	3	2	...	31	12	43
Fish Preserving	2	2	...	...	...	1	12	...	2	...	...	...	17	...	17
Flour †	19	20	...	8	...	18	35	...	12	8	2	...	103	...	103
Ice and Refrigerating	4	4	...	6	1	8	11	...	2	3	7	...	41	1	42
Total	87	119	6	36	2	32	225	35	23	107	20	4	562	47	609
(b.) Drink.															
Aerated Waters †	53	67	...	17	2	19	144	...	16	54	9	...	326	2	328
Breweries †	27	40	...	32	1	25	85	...	97	39	5	...	323	1	324
Water Condensing	18	22	...	4	...	22	8	...	41	13	1	...	111	...	111
Wine, Manufacture of	5	6	2	...	...	...	8	...	13	...	...	...	27	2	29
Total	103	135	2	53	3	66	245	...	167	106	15	...	787	5	792
CLASS III.															
Clothing and Textile Fabrics.															
Boots and Shoes †	15	22	3	2	...	2	178	60	...	4	...	...	208	63	271
Dressmaking and Millinery ...	19	...	20	...	...	...	...	138	...	...	...	...	...	158	158
Tailoring	46	58	4	11	1	...	158	253	1	8	3	...	239	258	497
Total	80	80	27	13	1	2	336	451	1	12	3	...	447	479	926
CLASS IV.															
Building Materials.															
Bricks †	32	45	...	9	...	17	118	...	106	17	2	...	314	...	314
Glaziers	2	4	...	3	...	...	13	...	2	2	...	...	24	...	24
Paint Works ‡	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	4
Quarries and Lime Works ...	13	18	...	4	1	3	15	...	132	26	...	...	198	1	199
Sawmills (Forest) †	35	104	...	74	...	122	1359	...	1032	177	93	...	2961	...	2961
Sawmills (Town) and Joinery Works	32	57	...	59	1	27	291	...	109	61	8	...	612	1	613
Total	115	230	...	150	2	169	1796	...	1382	283	103	...	4113	2	4115
CLASS V.															
Metal Works, Machinery, etc.															
Agricultural Implements ...	6	8	...	...	1	3	32	...	4	...	...	...	47	1	48
Electrical	2	4	...	3	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	23
Engineering, Iron Works, Foundries, Plumbing, and Tinsmithing	35	57	...	26	...	10	362	3	47	12	11	...	525	3	528
Railway Workshops	2	18	...	48	...	9	609	2	208	6	1	...	899	2	901
Total	45	87	...	77	1	22	1019	5	259	18	12	...	1494	6	1500

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* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in accordance with the provisions of Section 18 of "The

† For additional information respecting these Industries, *see* Tanneries page 19; Flour Mills, page 20; Aerated Water Factories, page 21; Breweries, page 22;

‡ In compliance with the provisions of the 18th Section of "The Industrial Statistics Act 1897," the written consent has been obtained from the heads of

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and Machinery employed, Value of Articles produced or Work performed, etc., etc., for the Year 1898.

Number of persons employed under 15 years of age.			Greatest number of persons employed at any one time during the year.			Number of persons employed at home working for Establishments.			Motive Power employed.								Average time in operation during the year.	Approximate Value of		
									Horse-power of											
									Steam Engines.		Gas Engines.		Oil Engines.		Electric Motors.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Articles produced or Work performed.
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.				
																	Months.	£	£	£
…	…	…	36	5	41	…	…	…	16	7½	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	9250	2893	10150
…	…	…	36	5	41	…	…	…	16	7½	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	9250	2893	10150
…	…	…	32	9	41	…	…	…	12	10	…	…	…	…	…	…	9·00	1600	2570	4860
…	…	…	331	11	342	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	11·70	57630	7794	107246
…	…	…	2	…	2	…	…	…	10	8	…	…	…	…	…	…	1·00	750	1050	140
3	…	3	74	15	89	…	…	…	8	8	16	8	12	12	…	…	12·00	3900	2987	28480
1	…	1	44	11	55	…	…	…	20	10	…	…	…	…	…	…	11·80	6130	2700	10000
…	…	…	17	…	17	…	…	…	8	4	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	2200	2500	2400
1	…	1	117	…	117	…	…	…	353	291	…	…	6½	6½	1	½	5·42	47920	34900	113077
…	…	…	60	1	61	…	…	…	360	228	…	…	…	…	…	…	7·75	23600	28300	10582
5	…	5	677	47	724	…	…	…	771	559	16	8	18½	18½	1	½	9·99	143730	82801	276785
8	…	8	422	2	424	…	…	…	132½	76	5	3	34½	22½	7	4	10·16	42180	49310	70231
1	…	1	420	1	421	…	…	…	377	269	4	4	5	5	…	…	11·50	138612	70639	168840
…	…	…	143	…	143	…	…	…	379½	349	…	…	16	6	…	…	9·08	24430	21996	16622
…	1	1	50	3	53	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	8·60	15050	3043	5226
9	1	10	1035	6	1041	…	…	…	889	694	9	7	55½	33½	7	4	10·25	220272	144988	260919
4	…	4	258	69	327	…	…	…	22	10½	…	..	6	4½	…	…	11·47	24200	7706	50488
…	15	15	…	198	198	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	15315	537	16879
4	4	8	274	310	593	10	29	39	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	11·50	79220	1997	90083
8	19	27	532	586	1118	10	29	39	22	10½	…	…	6	4½	…	…	11·61	118735	10240	157450
9	…	9	391	…	391	…	…	…	246½	190½	…	…	13	12	…	…	9·69	28755	26263	50892
1	…	1	28	…	28	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	2920	200	1460
…	…	…	8	…	8	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	710	50	500
…	…	…	298	1	299	…	…	…	41	41	…	…	…	…	…	…	9·75	26995	18072	45837
15	…	15	3578	…	3578	…	…	…	3969	3914	…	…	11	11	…	…	8·24	397220	473758	602461
2	…	2	814	1	815	…	…	…	501	418	…	…	43½	36	…	…	11·28	96725	46885	289292
27	…	27	5117	2	5119	…	…	…	4757½	4563½	…	…	67½	59	…	…	9·86	553325	565228	990442
…	…	…	62	1	63	…	…	…	20	18	…	…	6½	3	…	…	11·33	4110	3530	8770
…	…	…	35	…	35	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	1¾	1¾	9·50	2800	400	8840
11	…	11	735	3	738	…	…	…	189	133	8	6	41½	34	…	..	11·54	36494	55540	117646
23	…	23	907	2	909	…	…	…	352	181	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	66975	27500	146378
34	…	34	1739	6	1745	…	…	…	561	332	8	6	48	37	1¾	1¾	11·44	110379	86970	281634

Industrial Statistics Act, 1897."
Boot and Shoe Factories, page 23; Brick Works, page 24; Saw Mills, page 25,
these Establishments for the publication of the details of their Industries.

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No. 5.—*Details of Industrial Establishments (exclusive of Mines), Labour and Machinery*

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Working Proprietors, Managers, and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		General Labourers.	Carters and Messengers.	Others.		Total.		
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.
CLASS VI.															
SHIP BUILDING AND REPAIRING, ETC.															
Ship and Boat Building	3	4	...	...	...	...	24	...	2	...	...	...	30	...	30
Total	3	4	...	...	...	...	24	...	2	...	...	...	30	...	30
CLASS VII.															
FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.															
Cabinetmakers and Upholsterers, etc.	13	24	...	1	1	...	78	6	3	5	...	...	111	7	118
Total	13	24	...	1	1	...	78	6	3	5	...	...	111	7	118
CLASS VIII.															
BOOKS, PAPER, PRINTING, ETC.															
Cardboard Boxes	1	} * 70	1	44	8	10	543	44	8	25	58	...	758	53	811
Printing and Bookbinding ...	32	}													
Total	33	70	1	44	8	10	543	44	8	25	58	...	758	53	811
CLASS IX.															
VEHICLES, SADDLERY, HARNESS, ETC.															
Coaches, Waggons, and Blacksmiths	41	58	...	12	...	3	221	...	7	6	1	...	308	...	308
Cycle Works	4	5	...	1	1	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	15	1	16
Saddlery and Harness	7	8	...	2	...	...	72	1	...	...	...	...	82	1	83
Total	52	71	...	15	1	3	302	1	7	6	1	...	405	2	407
CLASS X.															
LIGHT, FUEL, AND HEAT.															
Electric Light †	7	5	...	6	...	19	14	...	6	3	3	...	56	...	56
Firewood	16	21	1	...	...	6	4	...	10	18	1	...	60	1	61
Gas †	3	4	...	8	...	12	13	...	18	1	...	...	56	...	56
Total	26	30	1	14	...	37	31	...	34	22	4.	...	172	1	173
CLASS XI.															
MISCELLANEOUS.															
Chemists (Manufacturing) ...	3	4	...	1	...	...	3	9	...	1	...	...	9	9	18
Jewellery ,,	5	7	...	1	...	...	23	...	...	2	...	...	33	...	33
Monumental Works	2	2	...	...	...	...	11	...	1	1	...	...	15	...	15
Photography	5	5	2	...	2	...	13	11	...	...	...	...	18	15	33
Quartz Reducing	6	10	...	2	...	16	15	...	39	8	6	...	96	...	96
Soap and Candles †	7	11	...	3	...	5	40	3	...	6	2	...	67	3	70
Tobacco and Cigars †	3	6	...	4	...	2	29	10	...	...	...	...	41	10	51
Cooperage	1	} * 2	...	...	...	1	3	...	4	1	...	...	11	...	11
Eucalyptus Oil	1	}													
Guano (Manure) ‡	1	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	47	...	...	...	53	..	53
Total	34	52	2	12	2	24	137	33	91	19	8	...	343	37	380
GRAND TOTAL	595	906	39	417	21	366	4758	578	1977	605	224	4	92 3	642	9895

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* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in accordance with the provisions of Section 18 of " The
† For additional information respecting these Industries, *see* Electric Light Works, page 26; Gas Works, page 27; Soap and Candle Works, page 28; Tobacco
‡ In compliance with the provisions of the 18th Section of " The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," the written consent has been obtained from the heads of these
¶ No information available *re* value of output.

Part VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (Exclusive of Mines).

employed, Value of Articles produced or Work performed, etc., etc., for the Year 1898—continued.

Number of persons employed under 15 years of age.			Greatest number of persons employed at any one time during the year.			Number of persons employed at home working for Establishments.			Motive Power employed. Horse-power of								Average time in operation during the year.	Approximate Value of		
									Steam Engines.		Gas Engines.		Oil Engines.		Electric Motors.					
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.	Full.	Actually used.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Articles produced, or work performed.
																	Months.	£	£	£
…	…	…	30	…	30	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	1120	700	4050
…	…	…	30	…	30	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	1120	700	4050
4	…	4	151	8	159	…	…	…	…	…	4	4	4½	2½	…	…	11·08	12395	1055	36650
4	…	4	151	8	159	…	…	…	…	…	4	4	4½	2½	…	…	11·08	12396	1055	36650
28	…	28	873	63	936	…	…	…	22	22	34	30	80	66½	12	8½	11·82	119243	107100	202351
28	…	28	873	63	936	…	…	…	22	22	34	30	80	66½	12	8½	11·82	119243	107100	202351
2	…	2	363	…	363	…	…	…	43	34	…	…	…	…	…	…	11·61	43630	14830	59041
…	…	…	22	1	23	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	3	1½	10·50	5680	850	5400
…	…	…	108	2	110	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	12110	425	26350
2	…	2	493	3	496	…	…	…	43	34	…	…	…	…	3	1½	11·58	61420	16105	90791
…	…	…	68	…	68	…	…	…	814	457	…	…	31	29	…	…	10·43	11952	56433	22574
2	…	2	72	1	73	…	…	…	72	47½	…	…	7½	7	…	…	9·75	9540	4135	14944
…	…	…	81	…	81	…	…	…	52	49	5	5	…	…	…	…	12·00	15138	62172	31400
2	…	2	221	1	222	…	…	…	938	553½	5	5	38½	36	…	…	10·19	36630	122740	68918
…	…	…	15	18	33	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	5900	385	3400
1	…	1	35	…	35	10	…	10	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	7380	890	11648
…	…	…	20	…	20	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	1885	…	2470
1	…	1	21	16	37	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	14550	3550	7420
2	…	2	129	…	129	…	…	…	431	240	…	…	…	…	…	…	7·00	4450	88038	¶
3	…	3	87	3	90	…	…	…	103	68½	…	…	…	…	…	…	11·86	9350	9300	35813
3	…	3	46	17	63	…	…	…	18	12	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	10200	3557	15241
2	…	2	11	…	11	…	…	…	4	2	…	…	…	…	…	…	8·50	3310	395	275
…	…	…	65	…	65	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	…	12·00	2400	8000	7500
12	…	12	429	54	483	10	…	10	556	322½	…	…	…	…	…	…	10·88	59425	114115	83767
131	20	151	11333	781	12114	20	29	49	8575½	7098½	76	60	318½	257½	24¾	16¼	…	1445924	1254935	2463907

Industrial Statistics Act, 1897."
and Cigar Factories, page 29.
Establishments for the publication of the details of their Industries.

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 6.—*Average daily Working Hours in the various Branches of Labour engaged in the Industrial Establishments of the Colony (exclusive of Mines) for the Year 1898.*

Class of Industry.	Average daily Hours of Labour.								
	Proprietors, Managers, and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		General Labourers.	Carters and Messengers.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.
I.—TREATING RAW MATERIAL, THE PRODUCTS OF PASTORAL PURSUITS.									
Tannery	8·25	...	8·50	...	8·00	8·27	8·00	...	8·50
Total average	8·25	...	8·50	...	8·00	8·27	8·00	...	8·50
II.—CONNECTED WITH FOOD AND DRINK, OR THE PREPARATIONS THEREOF.									
(A.) FOOD.									
Bacon Biscuits	9·00	8·00	8·00	...	8·00	8·33	8·00	...	8·00
Bread	8·90	8·60	8·27	8·00	...	8·56	...	9·43	8·60
Butter	10·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10·00
Condiments, Coffee, etc.	8·20	...	8·00	...	8·00	8·24	8·00	...	8·00
Confectionery	8·00	...	8·00	...	8·00	8·00	7·83	...	8·00
Fish Preserving	8·50	...	...	...	8·00	8·17	...	9·00	...
Flour	10·50	...	9·25	...	10·22	10·57	...	9·42	9·50
Ice and Refrigerating	9·50	...	9·00	7·00	8·25	8·55	...	9·00	9·00
Total average	9·10	8·50	8·53	7·50	9·31	8·76	7·94	9·35	8·64
(B.) DRINK.									
Aerated Waters and Cordial Works	8·64	...	7·94	7·00	8·47	8·59	...	8·13	8·71
Breweries	9·05	...	7·97	7·00	8·20	8·35	...	8·09	8·33
Water Condensing	10·18	...	7·50	...	9·27	8·00	...	9·27	8·69
Wine-making	9·00	10·00	...	...	...	9·13	...	9·54	...
Total average	9·03	10·00	7·92	7·00	8·64	8·50	...	8·50	8·57
III.—CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS.									
Boots and Shoes	8·18	8·00	8·00	...	8·00	8·03	7·86	...	8·00
Dressmaking and Millinery	...	7·96	...	...	...	...	7·96	...	...
Tailoring	8·23	8·00	8·14	9·00	...	8·21	8·09	9·00	8·00
Total average	8·22	7·97	8·12	9·00	8·00	8·11	8·02	9·00	8·00
IV.—BUILDING MATERIALS.									
Bricks	8·32	...	8·00	...	8·59	8·21	...	8·28	8·41
Glaziers	8·00	...	8·00	...	...	8·00	...	8·00	8·00
Paint Works	8·00	...	8·00	...	...	...	...	8·00	...
Quarries and Lime Works	8·17	...	8·00	8·00	8·00	8·00	...	8·20	8·33
Saw Mills (Forest)	9·08	...	8·86	...	9·08	9·02	...	9·05	9·08
Saw Mills (Town) and Joinery Works	8·00	...	7·81	7·00	8·26	8·02	...	8·12	8·18
Total average	8·56	...	8·35	7·50	8·88	8·79	...	8·83	8·77
V.—METAL WORKS, MACHINERY, ETC.									
Agricultural Implements	8·19	...	...	6·00	8·17	8·17	...	9·00	...
Electrical	8·13	...	7·67	...	...	8·16	...	...	...
Engineering, Ironworks, Foundries, Plumbing, and Tinsmithing	8·27	...	7·81	...	8·10	8·04	8·00	8·00	8·00
Railway Workshops	8·00	...	7·06	...	8·00	8·00	8·00	8·00	8·00
Total average	8·20	...	7·34	6·00	8·07	8·02	8·00	8·01	8·00
VI.—SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING, ETC.									
Ship and Boat Building	8·00	...	...	...	...	8·00	...	8·00	...
Total average	8·00	...	...	...	...	8·00	...	8·00	...
VII.—FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.									
Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, etc.	8·42	...	8·00	8·00	...	8·13	8·00	8·00	7·00
Total average	8·42	...	8·00	8·00	...	8·13	8·00	8·00	7·00

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 6.—*Average daily Working Hours in the various Branches of Labour engaged in the Industrial Establishments of the Colony (exclusive of Mines) for the Year 1898*—continued.

Class of Industry.	Average daily Hours of Labour.								
	Proprietors, Managers, and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		General Labourers.	Carters and Messengers.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.
VIII.—BOOKS, PAPER, PRINTING, ETC.									
Cardboard Boxes	8·11	8·00	7·99	7·00	8·25	8·01	7·91	8·00	7·58
Printing and Bookbinding ...									
Total average	8·11	8·00	7·99	7·00	8·25	8·01	7·91	8·00	7·58
IX.—VEHICLES, SADDLERY, HARNESS, ETC.									
Coaches, Waggons, and Blacksmiths ...	8·24	...	8·05	...	8·67	8·17	...	8·57	8·42
Cycle Works...	9·10	...	7·50	5·00	...	8·11	...	...	...
Saddlery, Harness, etc.	8·47	...	8·00	...	...	8·24	7·00	...	...
Total average	8·32	...	8·00	5·00	8·67	8·19	7·00	8·57	8·42
X.—LIGHT, FUEL, AND HEAT.									
Electric Light	8·00	...	7·17	...	8·00	8·14	...	7·33	8·00
Firewood	8·24	8·00	...	...	8·17	8·25	...	8·30	8·11
Gas	8·00	...	6·50	...	8·00	8·00	...	8·00	8·00
Total average	8·17	8·00	6·79	...	8·03	8·10	...	7·97	8·09
XI.—MISCELLANEOUS.									
Chemists (Manufacturing)	8·88	...	8·00	...	...	8·50	7·56	...	8·00
Jewellery Do.	8·00	...	8·00	...	...	8·00	...	...	8·00
Monumental Works	8·50	...	...	...	...	8·00	...	8·00	8·00
Photography...	7·90	8 00	...	8·00	...	7·88	7·73	...	...
Quartz Reducing	9·40	...	12·00	...	9·00	8·40	...	8·62	8·50
Soap and Candles	8·36	...	8·33	...	8·30	8·59	7·83	...	8·50
Tobacco and Cigars	7·50	...	7·50	...	8·00	8·00	7·70	...	...
Cooperage	9·00	...	9·00	...	10·00	8·00	...	9·08	8·00
Eucalyptus Oil									
Guano (manure)									
Total average	8·50	8·00	8·67	8·00	8·81	8·22	7·68	8·87	8·37
GRAND TOTAL AVERAGES...	8·57	8·16	8·02	7·19	8·71	8·40	7·99	8·68	8·57

No. 7.—*Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the Average Daily Working Hours in the various Branches of Labour engaged in the Industrial Establishments of the Colony (exclusive of Mines).*

Class of Industry.	Average daily Hours of Labour.								
	Proprietors, Managers, and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		General Labourers.	Carters and Messengers.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.
1897.									
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits	8·17	...	8·00	...	8·00	8·22	...	8·67	8·00
II. Connected with food and drink, or the preparation thereof { Food	9·26	9·00	8·57	8·00	9·59	8·63	7·94	9·31	8·69
Drink	8·75	8·00	8·22	7·50	8·73	8·61	8·00	9·29	8·71
III. Clothing and textile fabrics ...	8·66	8·39	8·18	8·00	8·00	8·19	8·27	...	8·55
IV. Building material	8·66	...	8·32	8·00	8·80	8·74	...	8·77	8·70
V. Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	8·25	...	7·35	7·67	8·62	8·04	8·00	8·01	8·22
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc. ...	8·00	...	...	...	...	8·00	8·00	8·00	
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc.	8·30	...	8·00	...	...	8·03	7·93	8·00	8·13
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc. ...	8·91	...	7·12	7·07	8·00	8·03	7·94	8·00	7·86
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness ...	8·28	8·00	7·38	...	8·25	8·20	7·00	9·00	8·17
X. Light, fuel, and heat	8·60	...	7·20	...	8·00	8·00	...	8·08	8·00
XI. Miscellaneous	8·52	...	8·38	8·00	8·98	8·66	7·54	8·71	8·68
Total	8·70	8·38	7·95	7·47	8·79	8·38	8·14	8·72	8·57
1898.									
I. Treating raw material, the product of pastoral pursuits	8·25	...	8·50	...	8·00	8·27	8·00	...	8·50
II. Connected with food and drink, or the preparation thereof { Food	9·10	8·50	8·53	7·50	9·31	8·76	7·94	9·35	8·64
Drink	9·03	10·00	7·92	7·00	8·64	8·50	...	8·50	8·57
III. Clothing and textile fabrics ...	8·22	7·97	8·12	9·00	8·00	8·11	8·02	9·00	8·00
IV. Building material	8·56	..	8·35	7·50	8·88	8·79	...	8·83	8·77
V. Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	8·20	...	7·34	6·00	8·07	8·02	8·00	8·01	8·00
VI. Shipbuilding, repairing, etc. ...	8·00	...	...	...	...	8·00	...	8·00	
VII. Furniture, bedding, etc.	8·42	...	8·00	8·00	...	8·13	8·00	8·00	7·00
VIII. Books, paper, printing, etc.	8·11	8·00	7·99	7·00	8·25	8·01	7·91	8·00	7·58
IX. Vehicles, saddlery, and harness ...	8·32	...	8·00	5·00	8·67	8·19	7·00	8·57	8·42
X. Light, fuel, and heat	8·17	8·00	6·79	...	8·03	8·10	...	7·97	8·09
XI. Miscellaneous	8·50	8·00	8·67	8·00	8·81	8·22	7·68	8 87	8·37
Total	8·57	8·16	8·02	7·19	8·71	8·40	7·99	8·68	8·57

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 8.—*Tanneries.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Tannery Establishments in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Tanneries.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Hides tanned.	Skins tanned.	Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number Using Motive Power.	Number Employing manual labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.					Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Goods Manufactured.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Bunbury	1 *	2	2	16	7½	12·00	34	11620	7000	9250	2893	10150
Fremantle, North ...	1											
Perth, West	1											
York	1											
Total	4	2	2	16	7½	12·00	34	11620	7000	9250	2893	10150

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Tannery Establishments in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Tanneries.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Hides tanned.	Skins tanned.	Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number Using Motive Power.	Number Employing manual labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.					Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	No.	No.	£	£
1897	4	2	2	16	10	12·00	36	13020	†	8765	2550
1898	4	2	2	16	7½	12·00	34	11620	7000	9250	2893

† No information available.

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 9.—*Flour Mills.*

(a.) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Flour Mills for Grinding and Dressing Grain in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Flour Mills.	Horse-power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of		Approximate Value of		
		Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Wheat Ground into Flour.	Flour made.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Output of Mill.
	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Bushels.	Tons.	£	£	£
Fremantle, South	1 *	86	32½	12·00	24	210000	4000	7200	7500	55000
Fremantle	1									
Greenough	1 *	72½	62½	4·50	12	44000	880	5500	6000	11000
Irwin	1									
Moore	3	24	21½	2·67	8	8175	163	7000	2250	2241
Northam	2	38	38	9·00	15	90000	1800	7000	4000	25950
Swan	1 *	36	36	2·50	8	12250	245	4300	2200	3468
Toodyay	1									
Wellington	1 *	22	20	6·50	9	31000	520	4500	3000	8230
Bunbury	1									
Williams	3	44	49½	3·08	14	20800	416	5630	3850	3215
Beverley	1 *	38	38	5·25	13	22040	436	6790	6100	3973
York	2									
Total	19	360½	298	5·42	103	438265	8460	47920	34900	113077

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(b.) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Flour Mills for Grinding and Dressing Grain in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Flour Mills.	Horse Power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of		Approximate Value of	
		Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Wheat Ground into Flour.	Flour made.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Bushels.	Tons.	£	£
1897	17	279	251	6·26	86	365942	7314	41650	32400
1898	19	360½	298	5·42	103	438265	8460	47920	34900

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 10.—*Aerated Water and Cordial Factories.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Aerated Water and Cordial Factories in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Aerated Water and Cordial Factories.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity Manufactured of		Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number Employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Aerated Waters.	Cordials.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Aerated Water and Cordials Manufactured.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Dozs.	Dozs.	£	£	£
Bunbury	2	2	...	9	7	12·00	11	18000	180	1450	1750	1633
Coolgardie	6	5	1	20½	11	10·50	40	73800	2890	3310	3700	6430
Coolgardie, East	6	5	1	38	25½	10·50	50	141600	2348	3370	5000	13572
Coolgardie, North	5	1	4	4	4	8·80	20	28750	1435	1425	1375	3600
Coolgardie, North-East ...	10	6	4	19	16	8·80	34	89700	1060	3910	6560	5745
Fremantle	3	3	...	13	4	12·00	22	42500	558	4285	2000	2637
Fremantle, North	2	2	...	9½	5½	12·00	18	40000	320	1500	1350	1600
Geraldton	2	2	...	9	5	12·00	9	30000	600	4100	3000	1800
Murchison, North ...	1 *	3	2	14	8½	10·20	17	62460	580	1030	2550	2925
Murchison, Central ...	4											
Perth, Central	3	3	...	25	11	12·00	61	300386	2000	12500	18200	22900
Perth, West	2	2	...	7	2	10·50	12	8099	2796	1920	550	1701
Dundas	1 *	...	3	...	...	8·50	17	26607	500	1000	475	1485
Kimberley, West	2											
Northam	1 *	3	1	11	6	9·75	17	28233	625	2380	2200	4203
Swan	1											
York	1											
Williams	1											
Total	53	37	16	179	105½	10·16	328	890135	15892	42180	49310	70231

* The particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Aerated Water and Cordial Factories in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Aerated Water and Cordial Factories.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity Manufactured of		Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Aerated Waters.	Cordials.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Dozs.	Dozs.	£	£
1897	44	33	11	142	110	11·33	366	1061178	19199	53983	45364
1898	53	37	16	179	105½	10·16	328	890135	15892	42180	49310

Part VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (Exclusive of Mines).

No. 11.—*Breweries.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Breweries in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Breweries.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of Beer and Stout made during the year.	Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.				Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Beer and Stout brewed during the year.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Gallons.	£	£	£
Albany	2	2	...	5	3½	12·00	16	61500	2660	1850	5400
Bunbury	2 *	3	...	51	42	12·00	31	182484	8750	3350	8125
Canning	1										
Coolgardie...	2	2	...	14	14	12·00	21	296426	10000	6000	16948
Coolgardie, East	4	2	...	47	39	11·87	47	562157	14000	8380	36740
Coolgardie, North ...	1 *	2	2	28	19	10·00	25	169903	5720	2170	11645
Coolgardie, North-East ...	3										
Dundas	2	2	...	13	8	12·00	9	20000	2900	2000	3400
Fremantle, East	3	3	...	37	36½	12·00	31	407200	29000	12600	21863
Geraldton	1 *	3	1	40	28	12·00	38	152350	7500	5100	13123
Murchison, Central ...	1										
Murchison, South ...	1										
Northam	1										
Perth, East	1 *	5	...	151	88	10·33	106	1425988	58082	29189	51596
Perth, West	2										
Total	27	24	3	386	278	11·50	324	3278008	138612	70639	168840

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Breweries in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Breweries.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of Beer and Stout made during the year.	Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.				Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Gallons.	£	£
1897	26	22	4	373	218	10·31	322	2817982	109440	48550
1898	27	25	2	386	278	11·50	324	3278008	138612	70639

Part VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (Exclusive of Mines).

No. 12.—*Boot and Shoe Factories.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Boot and Shoe Factories in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Boot Factories.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Pairs of Boots and Shoes made during the Year.	Pairs of Boot and Shoe Uppers made during the Year.	Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number Employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.					Lands and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Boots, Uppers, etc., made during the Year.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Pairs.	Pairs.	£	£	£
Bunbury	1 *	1	1	2	1½	12·00	16	12340	8000	4350	1015	2500
Coolgardie, East ...	1											
Fremantle	1 *	1	1	14	6	12·00	45	34350	33850	4650	600	5500
Fremantle, North ...	1											
Perth	5 †	1	4	6	4½	10·40	76	30957	30981	6500	2770	9738
Perth, East	1 *	...	3	...	...	12·00	64	72350	55000	1600	1050	16700
Perth, North ...	2											
Perth, West ...	2 *	1	2	6	3	12·00	70	57960	63060	7100	2271	16050
York...	1											
Total	15	4	11	28	15	11·47	271	207957	190891	24200	7706	50488

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18. † One Boot upper factory (only) included.

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Boot and Shoe Factories in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Boot Factories.			Horse Power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Pairs of Boots and Shoes made during the Year.	Pairs of Boot and Shoe Uppers made during the Year.	Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number Employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.					Lands and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	Pairs.	Pairs.	£	£
1897	12	2	10	12	10	11·42	237	171307	139446	17350	5270
1898	15	4	11	28	15	11·56	271	207957	190891	24200	7706

No. 13.—*Brickworks and Potteries.*

(a.) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Brickworks and Potteries in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Brickworks and Potteries.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of Bricks made during the Year.	Approximate Value of			
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.				Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Bricks made during the Year.	Pottery made.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£
Bunbury	2 *	...	3	...	...	10·00	20	940000	535	100	1410	...
Beverley	1											
Canning	2	1	1	12	8	5·00	11	580000	1030	500	745	...
Coolgardie	1 *	1	3	18	15	11·25	44	3500000	590	1143	8800	...
Coolgardie, East ...	3											
Geraldton	1 *	...	3	...	...	8·67	19	584000	2280	300	921	125
Northam	2											
Perth, East	2 *	3	...	81	55	11·33	63	6222000	9020	8200	9334	...
Perth, North	1											
Swan	12	6	6	94½	76½	10·25	126	14091000	12930	13470	28215	2500
Toodyay	1 *	3	2	54	48	8·40	31	893900	2370	2550	1467	200
Wellington	3											
Williams	1											
Total	32	14	18	259½	202½	9·69	314	26810900	28755	26263	50892	2825

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(b.) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Brickworks and Potteries in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Brickworks and Potteries.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average Time in Operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of Bricks made during the Year.	Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.				Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	No.	£	£
1897 ...	38	12	26	262	216	9·47	511	36564400	24670	20212
1898 ...	32	14	18	259½	202½	9·69	314	26810900	28755	26263

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 14.—*Forest Saw Mills cutting Native Timber.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Forest Saw Mills cutting Native Timber in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Forest Saw Mills.	Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Horses and Bullocks employed.		Length of Railway or Tramway belonging to the Saw Mills.	Quantity of Timber sawn during the year.	Approximate Value of		
		Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Horses.	Bullocks.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Timber Sawn at the Mill.
	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	No.	No.	Miles.	Super. Feet.	£	£	£
Bunbury	1 } *	538	516	10·25	282	167	86	42½	8503064	† 1520	† 26850	49300
Canning	3 }											
Murray	5	996	988	11·00	830	414	192	76	36980300	157200	154468	127000
Nelson	3	38	32	4·33	45	37	...	...	818200	2100	2350	1426
Plantagenet	1 } *	762	762	10·00	782	322	461	95½	26415888	188000	156000	236000
Sussex	2 }											
Swan	8 } *	183	177	9·50	211	123	16	5½	5454700	21650	69690	62635
Toodyay	1 }											
Wellington	11	1463	1450	5·82	811	347	150	53½	24870839	26750	64400	126100
Total	35	3980	3925	8·24	2961	1410	905	273	103042991	†397220	†473758	602461

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Forest Saw Mills cutting Native Timber in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Forest Saw Mills.	Horse Power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Horses and Bullocks employed.		Length of Railway or Tramway belonging to the Saw Mills.	Quantity of Timber sawn during the year.	Approximate Value of	
		Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Horses.	Bullocks.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	H.P.	H.P,	Months	No.	No.	No.	Miles.	Super. Feet.	£	£
1897	35	3854	3829	10·23	2807	†954	†445	† 152	†85052976	† 229135	† 324600
1898	35	3980	3925	8·24	2961	1410	905	273	103042991	† 397220	† 473758

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* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18. † These returns are incomplete, the figures for one mill not being available.

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 15.—*Electric Light Works.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Electric Light Works in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Electric Light Works.		Horse-power of Engines.		Persons employed.	Electricity supplied.	Approximate Value of		
			Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Light supplied.
	No.		H.P.	H.P.	No.	Board of Trade units.	£	£	£
Coolgardie	1	*	480	193	16	177400	2530	20100	8232
Coolgardie, East ...	2								
Coolgardie, North-East	1	*	111	41	16	105028	3380	16214	2171
Fremantle, West ...	1								
Murchison, Central ...	1	*	254	252	24	177419	6042	20119	12171
Perth	1								
Total	7		845	486	56	459847	11952	56433	22574

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Electric Light Works in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Electric Light Works.	Horse-power of Engines.		Persons employed.	Electricity supplied.	Approximate Value of	
		Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	H.P.	H.P.	No.	Board of Trade units.	£	£
1897	4	802	518	38	230180	8400	45250
1898	7	845	486	56	459847	11952	56433

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 16.—*Gas Works.*

(*a*.) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Gas Works in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Gas Works.			Horse-power of Engines.		Persons employed.	Quantity of Gas supplied.	Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Gas supplied.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	No.	Cubic Feet.	£	£	£
Albany	1									
Fremantle, East ...	1 *	2	1	31	28	56	56988680	15138	62172	31400
Perth, East ...	1									
Total ...	3	2	1	31	28	56	56988680	15138	62172	31400

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(*b*.) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Gas Works in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Gas Works.			Horse Power of Engines.		Persons employed.	Quantity of Gas supplied.	Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	No.	Cubic Feet.	£	£
1897	3	2	1	123	118	58	52810290	15000	44600
1898	3	2	1	57	54	56	56988680	15138	62172

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 17.—*Soap and Candle Works.*

(a.) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Soap and Candle Works in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Soap and Candle Works.		Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of		Quantity of Tallow used.	Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Soap made.	Candles made.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	The output of the Works
	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	cwt.	lbs.	cwt.	£	£	£
Canning	3	3	54	36	12·00	32	6500	705000	1836	3000	4400	16186
Fremantle, North	1 } *	2	26	16½	12·00	19	4121	464475	1798	2750	1900	10000
Fremantle, South	1 }											
Perth, East	1 } *	2	23	16	11·50	19	9760	...	3390	3600	3000	9627
Perth, West	1 }											
Total	7 †	7	103	68½	11·86	70	20381	1169475	7024	9350	9300	35813

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules, in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

† Three of these establishments are Soap Works only, and one Candle Factory only.

(b.) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Soap and Candle Works in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Soap and Candle Works.		Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the Year.	Persons employed.	Quantity of		Quantity of Tallow used.	Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.			Soap made.	Candles made.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	cwt.	lbs.	cwt.	£	£
1897	7	7	110	72	12·00	64	19175	765135	9355	12100	9390
1898	7	7	103	68½	11·86	70	20381	1169475	7024	9350	9300

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 18.—*Tobacco and Cigar Manufactories.*

(*a.*) Return giving particulars for 1898 as to the business of Tobacco and Cigar Manufactories in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Electoral Districts.	Tobacco and Cigar Manufactories.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Imported Leaf operated on.	Quantity Manufactured of					Approximate Value of		
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.				Tobacco.	Cigars.		Cigarettes.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	Goods Manufactured.
										No.	Weight.	No.	Weight.			
	No.	No.	No	H.P.	H.P.	Months	No.	lbs.	lbs.		lbs.		lbs.	£	£	£
Fremantle	1 *	1	2	18	12	12·00	51	77161	67477	583275	22855	585000	1316	10200	3557	15241
Perth, East	1															
Perth, West	1															
Total ...	3	1	2	18	12	12·00	51	77161	67477	583275	22855	585000	1316	10200	3557	15241

* These particulars have been combined in order to conceal the contents of individual schedules in compliance with the provisions of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897," Clause 18.

(*b.*) Comparative Return giving particulars, for each of the two Years 1897 and 1898, as to the business of Tobacco and Cigar Manufactories in Western Australia, tabulated according to Electoral Districts.

Year.	Tobacco and Cigar Manufactories.			Horse-power of Engines.		Average time in operation during the year.	Persons employed.	Imported Leaf operated on.	Quantity Manufactured of					Approximate Value of	
	Total Number.	Number using Motive Power.	Number employing Manual Labour only.	Full Capacity.	Actually used.				Tobacco.	Cigars.		Cigarettes.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.
										No.	Weight.	No.	Weight.		
	No.	No.	No.	H.P.	H.P.	Months.	No.	lbs.	lbs.		lbs.		lbs.	£	£
1897 ...	3	1	2	20	14	9·50	55	99212	83600	840400	7826	2909000	6545	7800	4363
1898 ...	3	1	2	18	12	12·00	51	77161	67477	583275	6985	585000	1316	10200	3557

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 19.—*Rates of Wages paid (per week, except where otherwise indicated) in various Trades and Occupations in the SOUTH-WESTERN PORTION of the Colony in 1898.**

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Fair Average.
I.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN TREATING RAW MATERIAL, THE PRODUCT OF PASTORAL PURSUITS.			
Tanneries—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Foremen	3 10 0	2 15 0	3 0 0
Fleshers	2 10 0	2 7 0	2 7 0
Curriers	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0
Beamsmen	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 5 0
Tanners	2 10 0	2 8 0	2 10 0
Rollermen	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 5 0
Yardmen	2 5 0	1 16 0	2 5 0
Limemen	2 2 0	1 10 0	1 16 0
Carters	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 10 0
II.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN TRADES CONNECTED WITH FOOD AND DRINK, OR THE PREPARATION THEREOF.			
Aerated Waters and Cordials—			
Foremen	5 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0
Makers	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 15 0
Syrup-boilers	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 15 0
Packers	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bottlers	2 5 0	2 0 0	2 5 0
Washers	2 2 0	1 16 0	2 0 0
Carters	2 15 0	1 10 0	2 0 0
Boys	1 5 0	0 10 0	0 15 0
Bakers and Confectioners—			
Foremen Bakers	4 10 0	3 0 0	3 10 0
Bakers	3 10 0	2 0 0	2 15 0
Confectioners	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
Pastrycooks	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 15 0
Cakemakers	4 0 0	2 0 0	2 15 0
Carters	2 10 0	1 10 0	2 2 6
Breweries—			
Brewers	9 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0
Foremen	3 5 0	2 10 0	3 0 0
Topmen	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 5 0
Cellarmen	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 10 0
Caskwashers	2 5 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bottlers	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 2 0
Coopers	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 10 0
Draymen	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 2 0
Brewery Hands	2 5 0	1 10 0	1 15 0
Flour Mills—			
Foremen	3 10 0	2 12 6	3 0 0
Millers	3 10 0	2 14 0	3 0 0
Samplers	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0
Sleevemen	2 2 0	1 16 0	1 19 0
Packers	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 2 0
Engine-drivers	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 10 0
Labourers	2 8 0	1 16 0	2 2 0
Boys	1 5 0	0 10 0	1 0 0
Wine Making—			
Cellar Hands	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 5 0
III.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS.			
Boots and Shoes—			
Foremen	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 5 0
Machine Operators	2 15 0	2 0 0	2 15 0
Machinists' Assistants	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 7 6
Female Machinists	1 15 0	1 5 0	1 10 0
Clickers	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 10 0
Assistant Clickers	2 10 0	1 0 0	1 10 0
Rough Stuff Cutters and Pressmen	2 17 6	2 10 0	2 15 0
Stuff Cutters' Assistants	1 10 0	1 5 0	1 5 0
Makers	4 5 0	2 0 0	2 15 0
Fitters	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 10 0
Tiers-off	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 7 6
Finishers	4 0 0	1 10 0	2 15 0
Packers	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0
Apprentices	0 15 0	0 7 6	0 12 6
Boys	0 15 0	0 7 6	0 10 0
General Hands	3 0 0	1 10 0	2 5 0
Dressmakers and Milliners—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Forewomen Dressmakers	4 0 0	2 0 0	4 0 0
Bodice Hands	1 10 0	1 7 6	1 10 0
General Dressmakers	1 5 0	1 0 0	1 2 6
Machinists	1 5 0	0 17 6	1 0 0
Finishers	1 10 0	0 17 6	1 5 0
Improvers and Apprentices	0 15 0	0 2 6	0 7 6
Forewomen Milliners	4 0 0	2 0 0	4 0 0
Milliners	3 0 0	0 10 0	1 5 0
Improvers and Apprentices	0 15 0	0 5 0	0 7 6
Tailors and Clothiers—			
Cutters	8 0 0	2 10 0	5 0 0
Coat Hands, Males	6 0 0	1 10 0	3 0 0
Do. Females	3 8 6	0 15 3	1 15 0
Trousers Hands, Males	4 5 0	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Females	1 15 0	1 0 0	1 5 0
Vest Hands, Males	2 15 0	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Females	1 10 0	1 0 0	1 5 0
Machinists	2 10 0	0 15 0	1 5 0
Trimmers	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 5 0
Buttonhole Workers	1 5 0	0 10 0	1 0 0
Pressers	3 10 0	2 8 0	2 10 0
Apprentices and Improvers	0 15 0	0 5 0	0 10 0
IV.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN CONNECTION WITH BUILDING MATERIAL.			
Brickworks—			
Foremen	6 10 0	3 0 0	5 0 0
Clay Diggers and Pitmen	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Panmen and Grinders	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Setters	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Brickmakers and Moulders	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 14 0
Burners	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 14 0
Loaders-out	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Carters	2 10 0	2 2 0	2 5 0
Engine-drivers	3 12 0	2 8 0	3 0 0
Labourers	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 5 0
Boys	1 10 0	1 0 0	1 7 6
Joinery, Turning, etc.—			
Foremen	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
Joiners	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
Turners	3 6 0	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apprentices	1 4 0	0 15 0	1 0 0
Lime Works—			
Foremen	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 10 0
Quarrymen	3 12 0	2 8 0	2 14 0
Lime Drawers	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 14 0
Burners	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 14 0
Lime Baggers	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Loaders	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Carters	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Marble and Monumental Works—			
Letter Cutters and Carvers	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 3 0
Marble Masons	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
Labourers and Fixers	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 8 0
Quarrying, etc.—			
Foremen	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0
Quarrymen	3 12 0	2 8 0	2 14 0
Stone-breakers	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Stone-feeders	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Engine-drivers	5 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0
Blacksmiths	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
Drill-drivers	4 10 0	2 14 0	3 0 0
Wagon-fillers	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Carters	2 14 0	2 5 0	2 8 0

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* For rates of wages paid to Agricultural and Pastoral Labour *see* Part V., "Land Settlement, Agriculture, and Live Stock;" and for wages connected with the Mining Industry *see* Part VII., "Mineral Statistics and Water Conservation."

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 19.—*Rates of Wages paid (per week, except where otherwise indicated) in various Trades and Occupations in the SOUTH-WESTERN PORTION of the Colony in 1898*—continued.

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Fair Average.		
IV.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN CONNECTION WITH BUILDING MATERIAL—*continued.*									
Saw Mills—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Foremen	6	0	0	2	14	0	4	0	0
Saw Sharpeners	3	12	0	2	8	0	3	6	0
Benchers	4	0	0	2	8	0	3	6	0
Benchers' Assistants	3	0	0	2	2	0	2	8	0
Sawyers	3	12	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
Measurers	3	0	0	2	2	0	2	8	0
Tailers-out	2	14	0	2	2	0	2	8	0
Spotters	3	0	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
Fellers	3	0	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
Handlemen	3	0	0	2	5	0	2	8	0
Loaders	2	14	0	2	5	0	2	8	0
Tallymen	2	14	0	2	5	0	2	8	0
Engine-drivers	4	10	0	2	8	0	3	6	0
Loco-drivers	3	12	0	2	14	0	3	6	0
Steam-winchmen	2	8	0	2	8	0	2	8	0
Blacksmiths	4	4	0	2	14	0	3	0	0
Wheelwrights	3	12	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Strikers	2	11	0	2	2	0	2	8	0
Fitters	3	12	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Carpenters	3	18	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
Teamsters	3	6	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
Draymen	3	6	0	1	10	0	2	8	0
Yardmen	2	14	0	2	5	0	2	8	0
Youths	1	10	0	1	2	6	1	5	0
General Hands	3	0	0	2	2	0	2	8	0
V.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN ENGINEERING.									
Metal Works, etc.—									
Foremen	4	10	0	3	12	0	4	4	0
Engineers and Draftsmen	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Machinists	3	3	0	2	5	0	2	14	0
Turners and Fitters	3	6	0	2	14	0	3	0	0
Blacksmiths	3	6	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
Strikers	2	5	0	1	5	0	2	2	0
Ironmoulders	3	6	0	2	8	0	3	0	0
Irondressers	2	14	0	2	2	0	2	8	0
Ironworkers	3	0	0	2	14	0	2	17	0
Furnacemen	3	0	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
Patternmakers	3	6	0	2	14	0	3	0	0
Boilermakers	3	12	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Riveters	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Coppersmiths	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Brassmoulders	3	6	0	3	6	0	3	6	0
Galvanisers	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	10	0
Tinsmiths	3	0	0	1	16	0	2	14	0
Plumbers	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Painters	2	11	0	2	11	0	2	11	0
Boltscrewers	2	5	0	1	16	0	2	2	0
Engine-drivers	3	6	0	2	2	0	2	14	0
Carpenters	3	3	0	2	8	0	3	0	0
Labourers	2	8	0	1	16	0	2	2	0
Storekeepers	1	16	0	1	16	0	1	16	0
Timekeepers	2	8	0	1	10	0	2	2	0
Apprentices	1	4	0	0	6	0	0	15	0
VI.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN BOAT-BUILDING AND REPAIRING.									
Foremen	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	12	0
Shipwrights	3	12	0	2	8	0	3	0	0
Boat Hands	3	6	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Riggers and Caulkers	3	12	0	2	8	0	3	0	0
Labourers	2	8	0	2	8	0	2	8	0
VII.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF FURNITURE, BEDDING, ETC.									
Cabinetmakers	4	10	0	2	0	0	3	0	0
Polishers	2	14	0	2	2	6	2	8	0
Upholsterers	3	6	0	2	10	0	3	0	0
Apprentices	0	15	0	0	10	0	0	12	6

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Fair Average.		
VIII.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN PRINTING, LITHOGRAPHING ESTABLISHMENTS, ETC.									
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Readers	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	10	0
Compositors—									
Foremen	3	17	6	3	0	0	3	10	0
Journeymen	3	0	0	2	10	0	2	15	0
Improvers	1	15	0	1	10	0	1	15	0
Apprentices	1	10	0	0	10	0	0	12	6
Letterpress Machinists—									
Foremen	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Journeymen	2	17	6	1	0	0	2	10	0
Improvers	2	0	0	0	18	6	1	15	0
Apprentices	2	2	0	0	15	0	1	0	0
Stereotypers—									
Journeymen	3	0	0	2	15	0	2	15	0
Lithographers—									
Foremen	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Journeymen	2	15	0	2	15	0	2	15	0
Boys	0	11	6	0	10	0	0	10	0
Artists and Illuminators	3	10	0	3	5	0	3	10	0
Bookbinders—									
Foremen	3	10	0	2	12	0	3	0	0
Rulers	2	17	6	2	12	6	2	14	0
Binders	3	0	0	1	0	0	2	14	0
Finishers	3	10	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
Booksewers (Females)	1	10	0	0	10	0	1	0	0
Bookfolders do.	1	0	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Rubber-stamp Makers	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Labourers	2	8	0	2	2	0	2	5	6
IX.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF VEHICLES, SADDLERY, HARNESS, AND BICYCLES.									
Coachbuilding—									
Foremen	3	12	0	2	0	0	3	6	0
Bodymakers	3	12	0	2	14	0	3	0	0
Wheelwrights	3	12	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
Blacksmiths	3	6	0	2	0	0	2	14	0
Strikers	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	16	0
Trimmers	3	0	0	2	14	0	3	0	0
Painters	3	0	0	2	0	0	2	14	0
Improvers	2	0	0	1	5	0	1	16	0
Labourers	2	2	0	1	13	0	2	2	0
Boys	1	5	0	0	15	0	1	0	0
Saddlery and Harness—									
Foremen	3	10	0	2	15	0	3	7	6
Saddlemakers	3	10	0	2	2	0	2	10	0
Harnessmakers	3	0	0	2	2	0	2	10	0
Collarmakers	3	0	0	2	10	0	2	10	0
General Hands	2	12	0	2	2	0	2	5	0
Apprentices	1	10	0	0	7	6	0	15	0
Making and Repairing Bicycles—									
Bicyclemakers	3	0	0	1	10	0	2	0	0
Tyremakers	3	0	0	2	0	0	2	10	0
Mechanics	3	0	0	2	10	0	2	15	0
X.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE PRODUCTION OF LIGHT, FUEL, AND HEAT.									
Electric Light Works—									
Engineers	4	10	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Electricians	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Engine-drivers	3	5	0	3	3	0	3	3	0
Stokers	3	3	0	3	3	0	3	3	0
Fitters	3	0	0	2	16	0	2	16	0
Linemen	2	14	0	2	14	0	2	14	0
Switch-boardmen	2	16	0	2	16	0	2	16	0
Blacksmiths	2	14	0	2	14	0	2	14	0
Carpenters	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Labourers	2	8	0	2	5	0	2	8	0

Part VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (Exclusive of Mines).

No. 19.—*Rates of Wages paid (per week, except where otherwise indicated) in various Trades and Occupations in the SOUTH-WESTERN PORTION of the Colony in 1898*—continued.

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Fair Average.		
X.—Persons engaged in the Production of Light, Fuel, and Heat—*continued.*									
Gas Works—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Foremen	4	0	0	3	10	0	4	0	0
Stokers and Firemen ...	3	10	0	2	0	0	3	0	0
Fitters	3	0	0	2	14	0	2	17	0
Main Layers	3	0	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
Service Layers ...	3	0	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades and Occupations.									
Attendance and Service†—									
Males:									
Barmen	2	10	0	1	10	0	2	0	0
Coachmen	1	15	0	1	5	0	1	10	0
Cooks	4	10	0	2	0	0	2	10	0
Scullerymen... ...	1	10	0	1	0	0	1	5	0
Waiters	1	15	0	1	5	0	1	7	6
Females:									
Barmaids	3	0	0	1	10	0	2	0	0
Cooks...	2	15	0	1	5	0	1	15	0
General Servants ...	1	5	0	0	15	0	0	17	6
House and Parlour Maids	1	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	0
Laundresses... ...	1	10	0	1	0	0	1	2	6
Nursemaids... ...	0	15	0	0	10	0	0	12	0
Waitresses	1	10	0	0	15	0	1	0	0
Chemicals, Drugs, etc.—									
Foremen	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Carters	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
Females:									
Labellers and Packers	1	5	0	0	7	6	0	15	0
Wrappers	0	17	6	0	7	6	0	12	0
Putters up	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	10	0
Glazing—									
Glaziers	2	15	0	0	17	6	2	15	0
Hairdressing—									
Hairdressers	2	15	0	1	10	0	2	5	0
Apprentices	0	12	0	0	10	0	0	10	0
Jewellery and Watch-making—									
Foremen Jewellers ...	3	10	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
Jewellers	3	10	0	2	10	0	3	0	0
Stone Setters	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Jobbers	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
Municipal Employees—									
Overseers	3	10	0	1	19	0	3	0	0
Timekeepers	2	2	0	1	19	0	2	2	0
Masons	3	6	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Plumbers	3	6	0	3	2	0	3	2	0
Blacksmiths	3	6	0	2	8	0	2	14	0
Carpenters	3	12	0	2	14	0	3	0	0
Gangers	3	0	0	2	14	0	2	14	0
Labourers	2	8	0	1	16	0	2	2	0
Carters	2	8	0	1	16	0	2	2	0
Inspectors of Wood-blocking	3	0	0	2	14	0	2	14	0
Street Cleaners ...	2	8	0	1	10	0	2	2	0
Photography—									
Operators	4	10	0	2	0	0	3	17	6
Printers	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	15	0
Assistants	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	10	0
Finishers, Girls ...	2	0	0	0	15	0	1	10	0
Retouchers, Males ...	7	0	0	2	6	0	4	0	0
Retouchers, Females ...	3	0	0	0	10	0	1	10	0

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Fair Average.		
*_Railways and Tramways—_	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaried Staff:	per annum.			per annum.			per annum.		
Station Masters ...	325	0	0	125	0	0	180	0	0
Traffic Inspectors ...	250	0	0	150	0	0	190	0	0
Loco. Inspectors ...	350	0	0	156	0	0	240	0	0
Do. Foremen ...	300	0	0	240	0	0	260	0	0
Do. Draftsmen ...	300	0	0	200	0	0	230	0	0
Way and Works Engineering Surveyors	275	0	0	200	0	0	235	0	0
Way and Works Inspectors	300	0	0	200	0	0	220	0	0
Officers-in-Charge ...	140	0	0	130	0	0	140	0	0
Night Officers ...	130	0	0	120	0	0	130	0	0
Operators	90	0	0	50	0	0	70	0	0
Clerks	350	0	0	110	0	0	140	0	0
Junior Clerks ...	100	0	0	40	0	0	70	0	0
Wages Staff:	per day.			per day.			per day.		
Loco. Engine-drivers	0	14	0	0	10	0	0	11	0
Do. Firemen ...	0	9	0	0	8	0	0	8	6
Do. Cleaners ...	0	7	0	0	3	6	0	6	6
Fitters	0	14	0	0	6	0	0	10	0
Turners	0	12	0	0	9	0	0	10	0
Machinists	0	11	0	0	8	0	0	10	0
Boiler makers ...	0	14	0	0	10	0	0	11	0
Boiler makers' Assistants	0	9	0	0	4	6	0	7	0
Moulders	0	13	0	0	9	0	0	11	0
Blacksmiths ...	0	14	0	0	7	6	0	12	0
Strikers	0	9	0	0	6	6	0	8	0
Coppersmiths ...	0	11	0	0	11	0	0	11	0
Tinsmiths	0	11	0	0	9	0	0	10	0
Pattern makers ...	0	13	0	0	11	0	0	12	0
Carriage and Wagon Examiners ...	0	10	0	0	7	0	0	8	6
Carpenters	0	15	0	0	10	0	0	11	6
Painters	0	12	0	0	7	0	0	10	0
Drivers of Stationary Engines	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	8	0
Fuelmen	0	8	6	0	7	0	0	7	6
Pumpers	0	8	0	0	7	0	0	7	6
Guards	0	11	0	0	8	0	0	9	0
Assistant Guards ...	0	8	6	0	7	6	0	8	0
Porters	0	8	6	0	6	0	0	7	0
Junior Porters ..	0	7	0	0	2	6	0	5	0
Signalmen	0	10	6	0	8	0	0	9	6
Shunters	0	9	0	0	7	0	0	8	0
Gangers	0	12	6	0	8	0	0	8	0
Fettlers & Labourers	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	7	0
Apprentices	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	4	0
Shipping †—	per month.			per month.			per month.		
First Officers (Steamers)	16	0	0	12	0	0	15	0	0
First Officers (Sailing Vessels)	9	0	0	7	0	0	8	0	0
Second Officers (Steamers)	13	0	0	9	0	0	12	0	0
Second Officers (Sailing Vessels)... ...	6	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0
Third Officers (Steamers)	10	0	0	7	0	0	9	0	0
Third Officers (Sailing Vessels)	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	10	0
Chief Engineers ...	25	0	0	20	0	0	22	0	0
Second Engineers ...	18	0	0	16	0	0	17	0	0
Third Engineers ...	16	0	0	12	0	0	14	0	0
Fourth Engineers ...	12	0	0	8	0	0	10	0	0
Firemen	8	0	0	6	0	0	8	0	0
Boatswains (Steamers)	8	0	0	6	0	0	7	0	0
Boatswains (Sailing Vessels)	7	0	0	5	0	0	6	0	0
Seamen (Steamers) ...	7	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0
Do. (Sailing Vessels)	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	10	0
Trimmers	7	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0
Donkeymen	9	0	0	9	0	0	9	0	0
Carpenters	9	0	0	9	0	0	9	0	0
Sea Cooks (Steamers)	12	0	0	5	0	0	10	0	0

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* Inclusive of wages paid on the goldfields.

† In addition to the salary, employees are provided with board and lodgings.

No. 19.—*Rates of Wages paid (per week, except where otherwise indicated) in various Trades and Occupations in the SOUTH-WESTERN PORTION of the Colony in 1898*—continued.

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Fair Average.
XI.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN MISCELLANEOUS TRADES AND OCCUPATIONS—continued.			
Shipping—continued.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sea Cooks (Sailing Vessels)	7 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0
Chief Stewards ...	12 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0
Assistant Stewards ...	7 0 0	3 0 0	6 0 0
	per hour.	per hour.	per hour.
Wharf Labourers and Lumpers	0 1 3	0 1 1½	0 1 3
Do. (overtime)	0 2 6	0 1 8½	0 2 0
	per week.	per week.	per week.
Do. (constant hands)	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 10 0
Shop Assistants—			
Males:			
Butchers	3 0 0	1 15 0	2 10 0
Drapers	5 0 0	1 5 0	2 10 0
Grocers	4 5 0	1 7 6	2 5 0
Ironmongers ...	4 10 0	2 0 0	2 10 0
Boys	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Females:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Drapers	3 0 0	0 12 6	1 10 0
Soap and Candle Works—			
Foremen	4 0 0	2 15 0	3 0 0
Stearine and Candle Makers	4 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0
Soapboilers	4 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0
Do. Assistants ...	2 7 6	1 16 0	2 5 0
General Hands... ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0
Packers	1 10 0	0 15 0	1 10 0
Boys and Girls ...	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0
Tobacco Works—			
Foremen	4 10 0	2 14 0	3 10 0
Journeymen	4 10 0	2 0 0	2 15 0
General Hands, Males...	3 0 0	1 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Females...	1 15 0	0 8 0	0 18 0
Twisters	4 10 0	1 10 0	2 10 0
Boxmakers	2 10 0	1 15 0	2 0 0
Do. Girls ...	0 15 0	0 10 0	0 12 6
Machinists	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0

PART VI.—INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS (EXCLUSIVE OF MINES).

No. 20.—*Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations ON THE GOLDFIELDS of the Colony in 1898.**

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Fair Average.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
II.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN TRADES CONNECTED WITH FOOD AND DRINK OR THE PREPARATION THEREOF.									
Aerated Water and Cordial Works—									
Foremen	6	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	0
Makers	4	0	0	2	15	0	3	10	0
Bottlers	3	10	0	2	10	0	3	0	0
Washers	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	10	0
Carters	4	5	0	2	15	0	3	10	0
General Hands ...	3	10	0	2	10	0	3	0	0
Bakers and Confectioners—									
Foremen Bakers ...	5	0	0	4	0	0	4	5	0
Bakers	5	0	0	2	5	0	3	10	0
Carters	4	0	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
Breweries—									
Brewers	10	0	0	4	0	0	8	0	0
Foremen	5	0	0	4	10	0	4	15	0
Topmen	4	0	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
Cellarmen	4	0	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
Caskwashers	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	10	0
Brewery Hands ...	4	0	0	2	5	0	3	0	0
Bottlers...	4	10	0	3	0	0	3	10	0
Coopers...	5	0	0	3	10	0	4	10	0
Draymen	4	0	0	2	10	0	3	10	0
Engine-drivers ...	3	10	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
III.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS.									
Tailors and Clothiers—									
Cutters	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0
Coat-hands, Males ...	5	0	0	3	10	0	4	0	0
Coat-hands, Females ...	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	10	0
Trousers-hands, Females	2	10	0	0	10	0	1	10	0
Vest-hands, Females ...	1	10	0	1	10	0	1	10	0
Boys	1	10	0	0	10	0	1	0	0
IV.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN CONNECTION WITH BUILDING MATERIAL.									
Brickworks—									
Brickmakers and Moulders	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	12	0
Horse Drivers... ...	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	12	0
Labourers	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	12	0
Quarrying—									
Foremen	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0
Quarrymen	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Masons	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Stone-breakers ...	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Stone-feeders	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Engine-drivers ...	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Blacksmiths	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Drill-drivers	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Wagon-fillers ...	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Sawmills—									
Foremen	4	10	0	3	10	0	4	0	0
Benchers	4	0	0	3	10	0	4	0	0
Benchers' Assistants ...	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Sawyers	4	10	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Measurers	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Tailers-out	3	10	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Engine-drivers ...	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Draymen	4	0	0	3	5	0	3	10	0
Labourers	3	10	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
V.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN ENGINEERING, METAL WORKS, ETC.									
Foremen	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0
Turners and Fitters ...	4	10	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Blacksmiths	4	5	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Strikers	2	14	0	2	8	0	2	10	0
Ironmoulders	5	0	0	4	10	0	4	10	0
Ironworkers	4	16	0	2	10	0	3	10	0
Furnacemen	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Pattern-makers	4	15	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Boiler-makers	4	10	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Tinsmiths...	4	10	0	4	4	0	4	10	0
Plumbers	4	16	0	4	4	0	4	10	0
Labourers	3	10	0	2	8	0	3	0	0
VIII.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN PRINTING.									
Readers	4	10	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Compositors—									
Foremen	5	0	0	4	5	0	4	10	0
Journeymen	3	17	6	3	10	0	3	15	0
Apprentices	2	5	0	1	5	0	2	0	0
Letterpress Machinists—									
Foremen	4	10	0	4	10	0	4	10	0
Journeymen	3	10	0	2	8	0	3	0	
IX.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF VEHICLES.									
Coachbuilders	4	10	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Blacksmiths	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Strikers	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0
Painters	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
X.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE PRODUCTION OF LIGHT.									
Electric Light Works—									
Engineers	5	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Assistant Engineers ...	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Electricians	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0
Installing Workmen ...	4	16	0	3	6	0	4	0	0
Firemen	4	0	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
XI.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN MISCELLANEOUS TRADES AND OCCUPATIONS.									
Attendance and Service†—									
Males—									
Barmen	2	0	0	1	10	0	2	0	0
Coachmen	1	10	0	1	5	0	1	10	0
Cooks	4	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0
Scullerymen... ...	2	0	0	1	10	0	1	15	0
Waiters	2	0	0	1	10	0	1	15	0
Females—									
Barmaids	3	0	0	2	10	0	2	15	0
Cooks	3	0	0	2	0	0	2	10	0
General Servants ...	2	0	0	1	10	0	1	15	0
House and Parlour Maids	1	10	0	1	0	0	1	5	0
Laundresses ...	2	0	0	1	10	0	1	15	0
Nursemaids	1	0	0	0	15	0	0	17	6
Waitresses	2	0	0	1	10	0	1	15	0
Hairdressing—									
Hairdressers	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
Municipal Employees—									
Overseers	5	8	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Timekeepers	5	0	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
Engineers	7	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0
Engine-drivers ...	5	0	0	4	0	0	4	10	0
Firemen	4	0	0	3	10	0	3	10	0
Masons	5	0	0	4	10	0	4	16	0
Carpenters	5	0	0	3	12	0	4	10	0
Gangers	4	0	0	3	10	0	4	0	0
Labourers	4	0	0	3	6	0	3	10	0
Carters	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	10	0
House Inspectors ...	5	0	0	4	10	0	5	0	0
Messengers	3	10	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
Street-cleaners ...	3	10	0	3	0	0	3	6	0
Shop Assistants—									
Males—									
Butchers	3	10	0	2	0	0	3	0	0
Drapers	5	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0
Grocers	4	0	0	1	15	0	3	0	0
Ironmongers ...	4	0	0	1	15	0	3	5	0
Females—									
Drapers	4	0	0	1	5	0	2	15	0

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* For rates of wages paid to Agricultural and Pastoral Labour *see* Part V., "Land Settlement, Agriculture, and Live Stock"; and for wages connected with the Mining Industry *see* Part VII., "Mineral Statistics and Water Conservation."

† In addition to the salary, employees are provided with Board and Lodgings.

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[The Pearl and Pearl Shell Fisheries do not come under the operations of "The Industrial Statistics Act, 1897" (61 Vict., No. 26). The figures relative to same are therefore not included in any of the previous Returns of this Part.]

District.	Vessels.		Labour.								Quantity of Pearl Shell.				Value of Pearls.	Value of Pearl Shells.	Value of Bêche-de-Mer.
					Asiatic.												
	Descriptions.	Total Tonnage.	White.	Aboriginal.	Chinese.	Japanese.	Malay.	Manilla.	Others.	Total Labour.							
			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	T.	cwt.	q.	lbs.	£	£	£
Sharks Bay—																	
Apparatus Vessels	22 cutters 22 dingeys	85	16	11	...	...	14	9	...	50	116	8	0	18	1566	2952	
Broome—																	
Apparatus Vessels...	111	1852	37	16	4	152	296	224	55	784	488	11	0	4	9016	62026	
Swimming-diving ...	1	29	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	7	0	7	0	0			
West Kimberley—																	
Swimming-diving ...	4	103	6	60	...	...	1	2	...	69	0	10	0	0	20	60	20 tons—£1300
Onslow—																	
Swimming-diving ...	8	143	3	...	1	30	17	4	...	55	34	0	0	0	600	4400	
TOTAL	168	2212	65	91	5	182	328	239	55	965	639	16	0	22	11202	69438	1300

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I.—MINERAL STATISTICS.

(Compiled from Official Returns in the Mines' and Registrar General's Departments.)

No. 1.—*Areas of the Goldfields, Leases, Labour, and Machinery employed at the end of 1898, and Gold obtained during that Year.*

GOLDFIELDS, ETC.		Leases in force on the 31st December, 1898.		d. Average number of men employed.	Machinery and Plant on Mining Lease, 1898.				Quantity of Ore treated.	Quantity of Gold obtained, 1898.			
Groups and Fields, etc.	Area.				Batteries.	Stampers.	Other Crushing Plants.	Cyanide Vats.		From Ore treated.	From Alluvial.	From Dollying and Specimens.	Total Gold obtained.
	Square miles.	No.	acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	tons.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.
Northern Goldfields.													
Kimberley	46,886	3	37	15	5	70	1	...	175	130	310	...	440
Pilbarra	34,880	109	1,008	275	11	95	4	...	6,720	12,312	2,000	102	14,414
West Pilbarra	9,480	8	101	55	1	10	1	...	202	327	...	...	327
Ashburton	6,992	2	24	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	435	66	501
Gascoyne	5,061	5	66	15	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	13	13
Central Goldfields.													
Peak Hill...	12,194	73	864	200	1	30	...	...	4,018	14,601	...	369	14,970
East Murchison	28,242	117	1,697	458	11	97	4	...	31,948	35,324	641	1,115	37,080
Murchison	20,513	362	3,679	1,154	38	488	3	24	92,256	78,137	...	1,119	79,256
Yalgoo	18,921	64	646	185	11	94	...	...	4,424	3,299	...	...	3,299
Eastern Goldfields.													
Mount Margaret	42,154	266	4,867	978	15	153	4	...	37,507	48,654	675	388	49,717
North Coolgardie	30,609	345	4,963	1,357	31	376	5	16	42,033	71,955	...	924	72,879
Broad Arrow	590	191	2,678	480	14	218	1	6	32,004	25,972	...	1,754	27,726
North-East Coolgardie	21,542	223	3,191	629	18	240	6	11	80,096	100,256	69,070	1,116	170,442
East Coolgardie	632	495	8,269	4,812	21	323	22	168	264,325	422,244	...	148	422,392
Coolgardie	11,974	452	5,933	1,751	33	424	3	52	107,622	98,461	53	1,159	99,673
Yilgarn	15,593	46	786	302	5	115	...	...	27,807	11,769	...	...	11,769
Dundas	17,848	127	1,594	373	18	188	4	16	30,928	36,793	...	6	36,799
Other Places.													
Donnybrook *a*	...	3	42	15	...	...	...	...	18	15	...	...	15
Northam *b*	...	...	...	...	1	80	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
Fremantle *c*	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	324,111	2,891	40,445	13,066	234	3,001	60	298	762,083	960,249	73,184	8,279	1,041,712

a. Not a proclaimed goldfield. *b.* The Seabrook Battery. *c.* The Fremantle Smelting Works. *d.* Men employed on goldfields, not including prospectors or alluvial miners.

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No. 2.—*Details of Gold Extraction in the various Districts of the Western Australian Goldfields for the Year 1898.*

Goldfield.	District.	Ore milled.		Tailings treated.		Concentrates.		Ore smelted.	
		Tons.	Yield of Gold. ozs.	Tons.	Yield of Gold. ozs.	Tons.	Yield of Gold. ozs.	Tons.	Yield of Gold. ozs.
Kimberley	...	175	130	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra	Marble Bar	5,041	9,645	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	Nullagine	1,679	2,667	...	...	...	...	...	...
West Pilbarra	...	202	327	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	4,018	14,569	1	7	$\frac{1}{10}$	25	...	...
East Murchison	...	31,948	35,324	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murchison	Cue	32,482	23,728	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	Nannine	25,375	23,210	$\frac{1}{5}$	12	...	...	...	...
Do.	Day Dawn	11,556	13,720	550	132	...	5	...	...
Do.	Mt. Magnet	22,842	14,948	5,286	2,356	15	26	...	...
Yalgoo	...	4,425	3,299	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mount Margaret	Mt. Malcolm	33,211	41,864	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	Mt. Margaret	4,296	6,790	...	...	...	...	...	...
North Coolgardie	Menzies	26,861	45,495	12,886	8,436	111	387	...	...
Do.	Ularring	1,445	3,798	47	66	...	...	...	...
Do.	Niagara	10,101	9,553	4	3	8	4	...	...
Do.	Yerilla	3,626	4,186	...	...	5	27	...	...
Broad Arrow	...	32,004	24,960	1,491	969	15	43	...	...
North-East Coolgardie	Kanowna	*70,841	88,481	1,259	508	66	86	...	...
Do.	Kurnalpi	948	661	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	Bulong	8,307	10,495	6	25	...	...	...	...
East Coolgardie	...	258,701	337,754	86,126	57,085	89	1,606	5,624	25,799
Coolgardie	Coolgardie	78,367	65,339	16,140	10,109	29	110	...	...
Do.	Kunanalling	29,255	22,594	1,155	309	...	...	...	...
Yilgarn	...	27,807	11,743	50	11	15	15	...	...
Dundas	...	30,928	34,725	5,398	2,050	2	18	...	...
Donnybrook	...	18	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	...	756,459	850,020	130,399	82,078	355	2,352	5,624	25,799

* Including 24,858 tons of Quartz, yielding 20,892ozs.; and 45,983 tons of Cement, yielding 68,183ozs.

No. 3.—*The Gold Industry during the four Years 1895-1898.**

Years.	Recorded Gold Yield during the year.			Leases in force at end of year.		Men employed at Mines.	Mining Machinery erected to end of year.			
	Ore Treated.	Gold from Ore.	Alluvial and Dollied Gold.	No.	Area.		Batteries.	Stampers.	Other Mills.	Cyanide Vats.
	tons.	ozs.	ozs.		acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1895	80,575	77,236	154,277	6331	89,706	21,416	75	841	19	4
1896	166,780	252,222	29,043	8021	119,294	20,236	117	1,479	35	10
1897	415,424	624,201	19,413	4001	59,108	17,903	186	2,140	28	19
1898	762,083	960,249	81,463	2891	40,445	†13,066	234	3,001	60	298

* Detailed Statistics have only been collected since 1895. † Not including prospectors or alluvial miners. The figures for previous years are more or less incomplete estimates.

No. 4.—*Comparative Statement of the Gold Production of Western Australia for the Years 1897 and 1898.*

	Ore Treated.		Gold Yield from Quartz.		Alluvial and Dollied Gold.		Number of Leases.		Area of Leases.		Average Number of Men employed at Mines.		Batteries.		No. of Stamps.		Other Crushing Mills.		Cyanide Vats.	
	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	*1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	†1897.	1898.
	tons	tons	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.			acres	acres										
NORTHERN GOLDFIELDS—																				
Kimberley	384	175	229	130	...	310	...	3	...	37	72	15	5	5	52	70	...	1	...	...
Pilbarra	5,139	6,720	6,827	12,312	...	2,101	94	109	1,010	1,008	380	275	8	11	75	95	3	4	...	...
West Pilbarra	609	202	860	327	...	...	28	8	383	101	80	55	4	1	35	10	...	1	...	...
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	303	501	3	2	42	24	10	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gascoyne	1	...	7	...	7	13	7	5	94	66	30	15	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
CENTRAL GOLDFIELDS—																				
Peak Hill	2,852	4,018	10,485	14,601	399	369	25	73	168	864	175	200	1	1	10	30	...	...	...	...
East Murchison	11,763	31,948	19,930	35,324	1,064	1,756	142	117	2,248	1,697	350	458	4	11	48	97	...	4	...	...
Murchison	72,006	92,256	60,915	78,137	1,401	1,119	364	362	3,723	3,679	3,204	1,154	36	38	423	488	1	3	3	24
Yalgoo	3,667	4,424	3,455	3,299	...	...	83	64	912	646	500	185	8	11	56	94	...	...	...	...
EASTERN GOLDFIELDS—																				
Mount Margaret ...	13,199	37,507	19,985	48,654	2,607	1,063	298	266	5,312	4,867	950	978	13	15	133	153	2	4	...	...
North Coolgardie ...	32,842	42,033	60,852	71,955	512	924	558	345	8,909	4,963	1,473	1,357	22	31	250	376	3	5	2	16
Broad Arrow	19,636	32,004	14,437	25,972	27	1,754	329	191	4,733	2,678	720	480	13	14	150	218	1	1	...	6
North-East Coolgardie ...	28,547	80,096	28,669	100,256	11,784	70,186	430	223	6,424	3,191	1,490	629	18	18	190	240	2	6	...	11
East Coolgardie	117,567	264,325	296,718	422,244	47	148	690	495	12,066	8,269	5,000	4,812	16	21	225	323	13	22	7	168
Coolgardie	54,243	107,622	64,554	98,461	1,184	1,212	671	452	9,350	5,933	1,994	1,751	21	33	245	424	...	3	4	52
Yilgarn	35,988	27,807	17,072	11,769	...	...	75	46	1,122	786	475	302	6	5	137	115	...	...	...	...
OTHER PLACES—																				
Dundas	16,981	30,928	19,206	36,793	78	6	204	127	2,612	1,594	1,000	373	11	18	111	188	3	4	3	16
Donnybrook	...	18	...	15	...	...	...	3	...	42	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	80	...	...	...	5
Fremantle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Total	415,424	762,083	624,201	960,249	19,413	81,463	4,001	2,891	59,108	40,445	17,903	13,066	186	234	2,140	3,001	28	60	19	298

* Not including prospectors or alluvial miners. † Cyanide *plants*; the total cyanide *vats* for 1897 was 79.

No. 5.—*Number of Leases, Areas, Claims, and Rights under the Goldfields Acts, in force 31st December, 1898.*

	NORTHERN GOLDFIELDS.					CENTRAL GOLDFIELDS.					EASTERN GOLDFIELDS.											
	Kimberley Goldfield.	Pilbarra Goldfield.	West Pilbarra Goldfield.	Ashburton Goldfield.	Gascoyne Goldfield.	Peak Hill Goldfield.	East Murchison Goldfield.	Murchison Goldfield.	Yalgoo Goldfield.	Mount Margaret Goldfield.	North Cool-gardie Goldfield.	Broad Arrow Goldfield.	North-East Cool-gardie Goldfield.	East Coolgardie Goldfield.	Coolgardie Goldfield.	Yilgarn Goldfield.	Dundas Goldfield.	Issued at Head Office.	Totals.	Totals for the Year 1897.	Totals for the Year 1896.	Totals for the Year 1895.
Number of Leases	3	109	8	2	5	73	117	362	64	266	345	191	223	495	452	46	127	3	2,891	4,001	8,141	6,331
Area of Leases	37	1,008	101	24	66	864	1,697	3,679	646	4,867	4,963	2,678	3,191	8,269	5,933	786	1,594	42	40,445	59,108	119,832	89,706
Business and Residential Areas ...	2	108	42	1	4	15	152	195	148	206	353	157	479	1,824	71	74	85	...	3,916	3,252	2,078	517
Machine Areas	3	13	1	...	...	3	7	8	6	9	5	6	12	9	11	...	6	...	99	27	55	59
Tailings Areas	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	9	3	3	...	3	6	3	5	6	4	...	48	32	37	34
Garden Areas	1	23	2	...	...	2	10	21	2	3	1	...	1	17	4	3	...	...	90	31	28	43
Quartz Claims	2	42	...	4	...	6	17	144	10	20	25	9	15	20	6	4	7	...	331	41	79	201
Alluvial Claims	...	1	...	...	...	20	3	6	...	2	1	13	197	13	...	...	3	...	259	7	11	7
Tunnelling Claims	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	10	2
Water Rights	...	17	2	3	1	10	24	61	4	57	89	28	37	86	39	20	73	...	551	237	287	233
Protection Areas	1	61	2	...	1	5	78	90	13	46	15	19	43	10	11	...	2	...	397	67	...	...
Miners' Rights	41	272	96	47	35	295	451	1,347	172	990	1,181	952	4,350	3,275	1,532	107	376	259	15,778	14,682	24,459	14,596

No. 6.—*Quantity and Value of Gold, the Produce of the Colony, entered for Export during each Month of the Year 1898, the Goldfields from which the respective quantities were obtained being distinguished.*

NAME OF GOLDFIELD.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTAL.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£
Kimberley	...	...	13	48	...	...	17	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	114	434	...	...	37	140	87	332	20	76	288	1094
Pilbarra...	...	...	...	...	1729	6572	1431	5436	...	...	...	...	1928	7324	1443	5484	...	...	1388	5274	1318	5007	2426	9221	11663	44318
Pilbarra, West... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1725	6556	...	...	...	...	80	304	19	74	56	213	67	254	81	306	2028	7707
Ashburton	27	103	39	147	...	...	1	2	...	...	21	80	89	336	41	157	...	...	91	347	139	530	2	8	450	1710
Murchison	14404	54735	1231	4677	7038	26746	12905	49041	7971	30288	8803	33451	5857	22258	2096	7966	6570	24966	14316	54401	5639	21427	6837	25979	93667	355935
Murchison, East ...	5395	20500	46	174	2535	9632	5059	19226	2586	9827	3027	11501	2475	9407	3048	11582	2822	10726	3697	14047	3771	14330	5102	19389	39563	150341
Yalgoo	954	3624	13	49	484	1841	729	2771	277	1053	...	...	540	2051	343	1304	144	549	47	178	6	21	219	833	3756	14274
Peak Hill	3248	12342	...	...	39	147	2149	8165	1102	4188	1322	5024	35	134	...	...	102	386	3155	11990	2523	9587	62	237	13737	52200
Mount Margaret ...	3630	13793	3697	14049	1035	3931	3117	11845	3336	12676	3379	12841	3005	11419	4521	17180	4770	18125	2929	11131	4854	18446	4994	18977	43267	164413
Coolgardie, North ...	5772	21936	3184	12100	4477	17011	5862	22275	4590	17440	5456	20732	6208	23592	6474	24600	6669	25341	7274	27643	6292	23911	8367	31795	70625	268376
Coolgardie, North-East	7725	29354	7535	28636	14479	55020	7343	27901	11400	43318	7995	30381	11747	44640	12998	49394	14295	54319	10140	38532	10299	39135	9285	35284	125241	475914
Broad Arrow	588	2235	285	1081	919	3492	1311	4983	1317	5006	2924	11112	2421	9201	3499	13295	2538	9643	2792	10609	2407	9148	3630	13794	24631	93599
Coolgardie, East ...	38153	144980	25031	95120	32763	124499	27612	104927	34260	130190	33187	126109	29460	111946	36890	140183	39549	150287	55148	209564	58101	220782	40158	152600	450312	1711187
Coolgardie	12746	48437	9785	37184	6691	25426	12126	46080	11877	45133	11104	42195	9102	34587	13702	52067	8944	33987	10781	40966	11333	43065	9036	34336	127227	483463
Yilgarn	753	2863	795	3019	869	3302	1273	4838	868	3298	725	2755	950	3610	1100	4180	1018	3869	1718	6526	925	3516	702	2669	11696	44445
Dundas	...	...	2085	7925	2322	8825	3148	11960	2038	7745	2807	10668	3164	12022	3046	11573	1739	6609	3256	12372	4032	15323	4395	16699	32032	121721
Total	93395	354902	53739	204209	75380	286444	84083	319514	83347	316718	80750	306849	76981	292527	89395	339703	89179	338881	116825	443933	111793	424814	95316	362203	1050183	3990697

PART VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 7.—*Exports of Gold during 1898, the Countries and Colonies to which it was despatched being distinguished.*

Country, etc.	France.	Italy.	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	United Kingdom.	Victoria.	Total.
	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.	oz. dwt. gr.
Amount ...	2 12 16	16 2 0	9,046 16 15	32 12 16	55,793 4 4	439,876 13 18	545,415 10 2	1,050,183 11 23
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Value ...	9 17 6	61 3 7	34,377 19 2	124 0 2	212,014 3 10	1,671,531 8 3	2,072,578 18 2	3,990,697 10 8

No. 8.—*Monthly Export of Gold from Western Australia for the Years 1895 to 1898. (See Diagram No. 1.)*

	1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£
January	18,687	71,010	16,350	62,130	40,387	153,469	93,395	354,902
February	15,509	58,935	17,922	68,105	32,526	123,599	53,739	204,209
March	19,620	74,554	11,085	42,123	40,296	153,126	75,380	286,444
April	19,129	72,687	16,773	63,736	39,660	150,709	84,083	319,514
May	19,208	72,991	22,266	84,611	59,112	224,625	83,347	316,718
June	16,128	61,289	27,934	106,148	53,349	202,725	80,750	306,849
July	20,195	76,743	16,258	61,782	48,811	185,483	76,981	292,527
August	23,668	89,939	29,517	112,164	65,129	247,491	89,395	339,703
September	18,244	69,331	35,301	134,145	71,777	272,751	89,179	338,881
October	27,726	105,358	27,331	103,858	75,690	287,623	116,825	443,933
November	15,509	58,930	30,874	117,323	75,845	288,211	111,793	424,814
December	17,890	67,981	29,654	112,683	72,412	275,165	95,316	362,203
Totals	231,513	879,748	281,265	1,068,808	674,994	2,564,977	1,050,183	3,990,697

No. 9.—*Quantity and *Value of the Export of Gold from the several Goldfields of Western Australia from the 1st January, 1886, to 31st December, 1898.*

(See Diagram No. 2.)

† GOLDFIELD.	1886-7-8.		1889.		1890.		1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.		Total Production to 31st December, 1898.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£	ozs.	£
Kimberley ...	8668	32938	2464	9363	4474	17001	2699	10259	1089	4138	1622	6163	588	2237	877	3331	892	3389	554	2105	288	1094	24215	92018
Pilbarra ...	...	...	11170	42446	16055	61010	11875	45125	12893	48993	11699	44454	16255	61767	19522	74185	11810	44878	11956	45433	11663	44319	134898	512610
West Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2028	7706	2028	7706
Ashburton ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	839	3187	1	3	467	1777	285	1084	541	2055	669	2543	1038	3945	450	1710	4290	16304
Murchison ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2064	7845	24357	92554	21211	80600	52946	201196	65477	248814	71283	270874	82892	314989	93667	335935	413897	1572807
East Murchison	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9454	35925	39563	150341	49017	186266
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2035	7730	3756	14274	5791	22004
Peak Hill ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5110	19418	13737	52200	18847	71618
Mount Margaret	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8686	33006	43267	164413	51953	197419
North Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17161	65210	74556	283313	70625	268376	162342	616899
North-East Coolgardie ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4113	15630	32906	125042	125241	475914	162260	616586
Broad Arrow ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4159	15805	24631	93599	28790	109404
East Coolgardie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85287	324091	300037	1140142	450312	1711187	835636	3175420
Coolgardie ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	105330	400253	125106	475403	69135	262714	104306	396364	127227	483463	531104	2018197
Yilgarn ...	...	...	1859	7062	2277	8653	12833	48767	21209	80596	75745	287829	31498	119694	19748	75041	16565	62948	17994	68379	11696	44445	211424	803414
Dundas... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	148	562	228	868	242	919	4350	16531	19311	73381	32032	121721	56311	213982
Total ...	8668	32938	15493	58871	22806	86664	30310	115183	59549	226284	110892	421385	207130	787099	231513	879748	281265	1068808	674994	2564977	1050183	3990697	2692803	10232651

* The official valuation is £3 16s, per oz.

† In 1896 the return from the Coolgardie Goldfields was subdivided, in the following year, that of the Murchison Goldfields, and in 1898, that of the Pilbarra Goldfields.

No. 10.—*Quantity and Estimated Value of Machinery used in Mining and Extraction of Gold, erected to the 31st December, 1898.*

	Kimberley.	Pilbarra.	West Pilbarra.	Ashburton.	Gascoyne.	Peak Hill.	East Murchison.	Murchison.	Yalgoo.	Mount Margaret.	North Coolgardie.	Broad Arrow.	North-East Coolgardie.	East Coolgardie.	Coolgardie.	Yilgarn.	Dundas.	Northam.	Fremantle.	Total.
Steam Engines employed in mining	1	6	2	...	...	2	8	71	9	15	36	36	27	93	49	10	12	...	...	377
Steam Boilers ,, ,, ,,	1	5	2	...	...	3	13	67	9	16	38	30	23	129	54	15	12	...	...	417
Steam Engines ,, ,, reduction	6	10	...	...	...	2	9	39	12	21	31	13	21	26	37	6	15	1	4	253
Steam Boilers ,, ,, ,,	2	9	1	...	1	3	15	52	15	22	43	21	26	55	45	8	17	1	4	340
Oil Engines	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	2	1	4	9	1	2	...	...	27
Pumps (Cornish lift or plunger)	5	8	1	...	1	2	4	31	10	8	10	10	10	17	14	4	5	...	...	140
Steam Pumps	2	12	2	...	...	3	23	96	18	35	65	29	49	141	83	10	27	12	4	611
Tailings Pumps	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	11	3	7	11	5	10	7	8	2	4	...	...	70
Winding Gear, single and double	...	3	2	...	...	1	4	55	7	16	29	25	20	100	47	8	13	...	...	330
Whims and Whips	1	2	...	...	...	...	9	22	5	23	37	22	20	29	57	1	17	...	...	245
Rock Drills	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	...	3	22	2	2	141	53	...	6	...	...	237
Air Compressors	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3	1	7	1	1	23	9	...	2	...	...	51
Stone Breakers	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	12	3	7	16	8	10	21	24	1	7	2	2	117
Crushing Mills	5	11	1	...	...	1	11	36	10	14	28	14	17	21	33	5	17	1	...	224
Number of Stamps	70	95	10	...	...	30	97	468	89	143	346	218	220	323	424	115	178	80	...	2906
Crushing Rollers	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	7	...	...	...	2	15
Tremain Mills	...	1	1	...	1	...	2	1	...	3	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	15
Huntington Mills	1	3	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	2	...	4	10	...	...	1	...	...	25
Otis and other Ball Mills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	12	2	...	3	...	...	19
Berdan Pans	4	7	...	...	...	1	6	50	12	15	32	3	18	11	15	11	22	1	...	208
Wheeler Pans	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	1	1	25	6	3	1	...	...	50
Settlers and other Amalgamating Pans	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	6	...	1	6	19	22	4	...	4	...	...	68
Arrastras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	4
Concentrators, Tables, Vanners, and Agitators	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	21	...	1	23	3	2	30	16	...	...	...	...	98
Settling Tanks	...	15	1	...	2	...	11	15	2	19	49	39	70	24	120	10	24	...	...	401
Amalgamating Barrels, Jiggers, Classifiers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	3	2	9	2	...	3	...	1	26
Reverbrating Furnaces	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	3	14
Cupelling Furnaces	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	2	7	3	3	9	6	1	4	2	...	43
Water Jackets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	6	...	3	...	...	3	...	3	19
Refining Furnaces	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	3	6	1	11	4	2	2	2	...	35
Cyanide Vats	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	16	6	11	168	52	...	16	5	...	298
Filter Presses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	2	...	...	...	...	52
Endless Chain Trams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	8	5	...	...	...	...	18
*Estimated value of Plant	6730	29619	4030	...	1525	20480	43514	205103	45269	72378	173507	138820	72740	341714	188111	35379	77123	37084	30230	1523356
Government Public Batteries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	9
Number of Stamps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	5	10	30	...	20	...	...	...	10	...	...	95
Cost of erection, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7188	4067	4392	14544	...	5000	...	...	...	4661	...	...	39852

* The values of Dams, Reservoirs, and all Machinery not specially enumerated in the above table are included.

No. 11.—*Number and Causes of Mining Accidents on the West Australian Goldfields during 1898.*

CAUSES OF ACCIDENT.	Kimberley.		Pilbarra.		West Pilbarra.		Ashburton.		Gascoyne.		Peak Hill.		East Murchison.		Murchison.		Yalgoo.		Mount Margaret.		North Coolgardie.		Broad Arrow.		North-East Coolgardie.		East Coolgardie.		Coolgardie.		Yilgarn.		Dundas.		TOTAL.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
Ladder Accidents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Falling down Shafts	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	2	4	7	1	2	...	...	...	...	7	16
Materials falling down Shafts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	...	3	...	...	...	...	6	10
Other Shaft Accidents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Accidents in Winzes and Passes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	5
Falls of Earth and Rock	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	...	...	1	2	1	...	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	3	...	1	...	...	9	16
Accidental Explosions of Blasting Compounds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	5	6
Other Blasting Accidents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
Falls from Staging, Braces, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	3
Wagon Accidents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	4
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	...	3	...	2	...	...	1	14
TOTAL ... Killed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	3	...	2	...	15	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	31	...
TOTAL ... Injured	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	6	...	1	...	6	...	4	...	26	...	14	...	6	...	1	...	77

Part VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines which yielded Gold during 1898.*

	Previous to 1898.		During 1898.		Totals.		
	Ore treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwts. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwts. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwts. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
KIMBERLEY GOLDFIELD.							
The Brockman.							
Mt. Bradley Tunnelling Co. (The Panton)	2,041	1,612 14 6	72	37 15 0	2,113	1,650 9 6	0 15 4
Nil Desperandum (Ruby Creek)	...	...	3	16 8 10	3	16 8 10	5 9 11
Ruby Queen	6,067	4,531 10 0	100	76 0 0	6,167	4,607 10 0	0 14 22
Other Leases	5,475	6,819 1 17	...	...	5,475	6,819 1 17	
Total for Kimberley Goldfield ...	13,583	12,963 5 23	175	130 3 10	13,758	13,093 9 9	0 19 0
PILBARRA GOLDFIELD.							
Marble Bar.							
Bamboo Queen and Reward Mines... ...	1,170	2,231 0 0	120	68 0 0	1,290	2,299 0 0	1 15 15
Bamboo Consolidated	1,343	2,853 0 0	236	423 0 0	1,579	3,276 0 0	2 1 11
Mt. Prophecy and Perseverance	1,067	2,705 0 0	272	728 10 0	1,339	3,433 10 0	2 11 6
Nil Desperandum	28	28 6 0	59	83 15 0	87	112 1 0	1 5 17
Pilbarra Syndicate	60	85 0 0	36	34 0 0	96	119 0 0	1 4 19
Pilbarra Goldfields	829	1,948 0 0	1,270	1,098 4 0	2,099	3,046 4 0	1 9 0
Proprietary Bamboo Creek	1,311	3,271 0 0	122	131 8 0	1,433	3,402 8 0	2 7 11
Admiral Dewey	...	...	9	4 11 0	9	4 11 0	0 10 18
Aunt Sally	...	...	13	12 15 0	13	12 15 0	0 18 21
Black and White	...	...	18	48 5 0	18	48 5 0	2 14 8
Black Shepherd	...	...	16	101 8 0	16	101 8 0	6 4 10
Bow Bells	...	...	55	152 8 0	55	152 8 0	2 15 10
Bow Bells No. 1	...	...	12	10 10 0	12	10 10 0	0 17 12
Brilliant	...	...	35	21 12 0	35	21 12 0	0 12 8
Britannia	...	...	10	19 17 0	10	19 17 0	2 1 19
Campbell and others	15	16 13 0	10	37 8 0	25	54 1 0	2 3 16
Carnoustie	...	...	46	178 2 6	46	178 2 6	3 18 11
Chance	...	...	4	8 7 0	4	8 7 0	2 1 18
Consolidated Gold Mines Western Australia	1,201	1,217 18 9	112	159 1 0	1,313	1,376 19 9	1 0 23
Columbia	...	...	10	14 15 0	10	14 15 0	1 9 12
Criterion	...	...	8	3 6 0	8	3 6 0	0 8 6
Cuban	...	...	5	17 1 22	5	17 1 22	3 8 7
Cutty Sark	...	...	5	10 2 0	5	10 2 0	2 2 12
Daisy	...	...	6	10 11 0	6	10 11 0	1 17 0
Dawson City	...	...	26	6 18 0	26	6 18 0	0 5 9
Dead Camel	...	...	2	9 2 0	2	9 2 0	3 12 19
Eastern	...	...	114	154 8 0	114	154 8 0	1 7 2
Eastern No. 1	...	...	23	28 15 0	23	28 15 0	1 5 0
Federal	...	...	11	15 5 0	11	15 5 0	1 7 17
Forbes P.A. 51	...	...	103	103 0 0	103	103 0 0	1 0 0
Gauntlet	...	...	106	430 18 0	106	430 18 0	4 1 3
General	...	...	43	44 12 0	43	44 12 0	1 0 17
Gift	...	...	12	23 10 0	12	23 10 0	1 19 19
Hartigan's P.A.	...	...	2	8 6 0	2	8 6 0	0 15 12
Homeward Bound	...	...	250	261 3 0	250	261 3 0	1 0 21
Imp. W. A. Corporation	1,209	1,079 17 20	12	34 13 0	1,221	1,114 10 20	0 18 6
Ironclad	...	...	22	7 10 10	22	7 10 10	0 6 22
Jubilee (Talga Talga)	91	137 0 0	33	45 18 0	124	182 18 0	1 9 12
Juneau	...	...	6	5 11 0	6	5 11 0	0 19 7
Just-in-Time	55	46 8 0	5	0 18 0	60	47 6 0	0 15 18
Kirkpatrick	...	...	88	208 10 0	88	208 10 0	2 7 9
Klondyke	...	...	63	836 0 0	63	836 0 0	13 13 23
Klondyke Block	...	...	37	764 0 0	37	764 0 0	20 11 0
Klondyke Boulder	...	...	90	379 2 18	90	379 2 18	4 3 20
Klondyke No. 1	...	...	5	37 15 7	5	37 15 7	7 11 1
Klondyke Queen Extended	...	...	10	13 15 4	10	13 15 4	1 7 19
Kopcke's Reward (Salgash)	...	...	31	160 11 16	31	160 11 16	5 3 14
Kushmattie	86	193 0 0	55	78 13 0	141	271 13 0	1 18 16
Lady Adelaide...	...	...	35	62 16 0	35	62 16 0	1 15 15
Marble Bar	...	...	11	15 14 0	11	15 14 0	1 8 13
Mt. Ada...	...	...	58	200 2 0	58	200 2 0	3 8 16
Nelson	...	...	1	5 5 19	1	5 5 19	4 4 15
Princess Alaska	...	...	11	33 11 5	11	33 11 5	3 1 0
Queen of the West	293	360 6 0	2	2 5 0	295	362 11 0	1 4 15
Robert Bruce	91	22 18 0	21	22 18 0	112	116 18 9	1 0 21
Stray Shot and Excelsior	3,810	9,819 7 6	179	204 8 22	3,989	10,023 16 4	2 10 6
Spinaway	...	...	34	153 10 0	34	153 10 0	4 10 7
St. George	...	...	20	124 0 0	20	124 0 0	6 4 0
Talfa	...	...	26	33 0 0	26	33 0 0	1 5 9

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	PREVIOUS TO 1898.		DURING 1898.		TOTALS.		
	Ore treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwts grs.	tons.	ozs. dwts. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
PILBARRA GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
MARBLE BAR—*continued.*							
The General P.A. 93	29	43 18 10	170	282 7 0	199	326 5 10	1 12 18
Trilby	...	...	35	122 16 0	35	122 16 0	3 9 16
Tambourah King	56	112 0 0	30	42 0 0	86	154 0 0	1 15 19
Uncle Tom	...	...	100	440 0 0	100	440 0 0	4 8 0
Wanganui	...	...	9	7 0 0	9	7 0 0	0 15 13
Western Chief	...	...	183	225 0 0	183	225 0 0	1 4 14
World's Fair	...	...	412	505 12 0	412	505 12 0	1 4 13
Young Australian	...	...	51	70 2 0	51	70 2 0	1 7 5
Not known (Smith)	...	...	15	57 0 0	15	57 0 0	3 13 13
Other Leases	2,352	4,749 13 0	...	...	2,352	4,749 13 0	2 0 9
Total for Marble Bar District	15,096	30,920 5 21	5,041	9,644 19 23	20,137	40,565 5 20	2 0 6
NULLAGINE DISTRICT.							
Alexandra	21	52 10 0	9	25 0 0	30	77 10 0	2 12 13
Barney's Hill United	326	328 3 0	12	23 2 0	338	351 5 0	1 0 18
Barton	...	...	56	88 10 0	56	88 10 0	1 11 14
Cook's Hill	...	...	22	26 6 0	22	26 6 0	1 3 21
Day Dawn	174	600 0 0	92	102 14 0	266	702 14 0	2 12 20
Galtee More	...	...	16	69 0 0	16	69 0 0	4 6 6
Golden Crown	33	50 18 0	191	139 0 0	224	189 18 0	0 16 23
Golden Eagle	...		49	265 4 0	49	265 4 0	5 8 5
Golden Promise No. 1	84	68 13 0	88	81 4 0	172	149 17 0	0 17 10
Great Eastern	20	33 16 0	150	168 19 0	170	202 15 0	1 3 20
Great Eastern Extended	...	...	190	224 8 0	190	224 8 0	1 3 14
Henry George	...	...	16	93 18 0	16	93 18 0	5 17 9
Mark Twain	...	...	37	35 6 0	37	35 6 0	0 19 1
Nullagine Public Battery (from plates)	...	...	...	10 11 0	...	10 11 0	
N. W. Australian Goldfields Co.	141	190 0 0	580	732 12 0	721	922 12 0	1 5 14
New Year's Gift	...	...	8	7 4 0	8	7 4 0	0 18 0
Surprise	...	...	16	108 2 0	16	108 2 0	6 15 3
P. A. 23L	...	...	20	20 0 0	20	20 0 0	1 0 12
Quartz Claim 25L	...	...	11	57 10 0	11	57 10 0	5 0 0
Victory East Extended	54	246 3 0	116	388 6 0	170	634 9 0	3 14 10
Other Leases	311	723 7 10	...	...	311	723 7 10	2 6 12
Total for Nullagine District	1,164	2,293 10 10	1,679	2,666 16 0	2,843	4,960 6 10	1 14 21
Grand Total for Pilbarra Goldfield	16,260	33,213 16 7	6,720	12,311 15 23	22,980	45,525 12 6	1 19 15
WEST PILBARRA GOLDFIELD.							
Consolidated Gold Mines of W.A.	460	498 7 8	122	206 14 0	582	705 1 8	1 4 5
Queenslander	...	..	8	6 0 0	8	6 0 0	0 15 0
Towranna Gold Mines of W.A.	47	52 0 0	73	114 0 0	120	166 0 0	1 7 16
Other Leases	262	647 12 2	...	...	262	647 12 2	2 9 9
Total for West Pilbarra Goldfield	769	1,197 19 10	202	326 14 0	972	1,524 13 10	1 11 9
PEAK HILL GOLDFIELD.							
Brilliant	...	...	$\frac{1}{20}$	81 0 0	$\frac{1}{20}$	81 0 0	...
Brilliant Extended	...	...	$\frac{1}{80}$	33 2 0	$\frac{1}{80}$	33 2 0	...
Christmas Gift	118	299 0 0	10	268 12 0	128	567 12 0	4 8 16
Peak Hill Goldfields, Ltd.,	2,635	15,666 17 19	3,978	14,016 17 12	6,613	29,683 15 7	4 1 4
Peak Hill Goldfields Cement	1,064	903 4 0	...	...	1,064	903 4 0	0 16 23
Peak Hill Consols	...	...	30	194 5 0	30	194 5 0	6 9 12
Brilliant Central	...	14 0 0	...	6 14 0	...	20 14 0	...
Other Leases	78	119 19 0	...	...	78	119 19 0	1 10 19
Total for Peak Hill Goldfield	3,895	17,003 0 19	4,018	14,600 10 12	7,913	31,603 11 7	3 19 20

Part VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.				During 1898.				Totals.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	oz.	dwt.	grs.
EAST MURCHISON GOLDFIELD.															
A1	...	...			245	214	18	4	245	214	18	4	0	17	13
Admiral Dewey	...	...			68	77	0	0	68	77	0	0	1	2	15
Amazon	...	...			274	431	3	0	274	431	3	0	1	1	3
Ballangarry	...	...			174	190	3	22	174	190	3	22	1	1	20
Do. Extended	...	...			13	4	17	0	13	4	17	0	0	6	16
Bellevue Proprietary	943	1,968	9	0	7,021	7,581	13	19	7,964	9,550	2	19	1	3	23
Black Swan	...	...			77	225	10	20	77	225	10	20	2	18	13
Do. North	...	...			14	24	12	0	14	24	12	0	1	13	22
Bounty	...	...			56	156	0	0	56	156	0	0	2	15	8
British American Alliance	...	...			27	33	17	0	27	33	17	0	1	5	1
British King East	...	...			511	501	15	20	511	501	15	20	0	19	15
Do. West No. 1	...	...			308	488	13	12	308	488	13	12	1	11	17
Brothers	...	...			91	127	10	0	91	127	10	0	1	8	0
Caledonia	...	...			294	318	8	10	294	318	8	10	1	1	15
Calliope	...	...			20	28	5	9	20	28	5	9	1	8	6
Caroline Baker	...	...			9	10	5	12	9	10	5	12	1	2	20
Condor United	...	...			180	287	15	1	180	287	15	1	1	11	23
Dark Horse	10	107	16	0	184	423	15	9	194	531	11	9	2	14	18
Derwent	...	...			99	259	6	0	99	259	6	0	2	12	15
East Murchison United	10,110	17,794	11	1	12,431	13,641	13	6	22,541	31,436	4	7	1	7	21
Essex	10	32	4	0	89	139	10	0	99	171	14	0	1	14	16
Federal	...	...			96	59	3	0	96	59	3	0	0	12	7
Forsaken	...	...			35	21	17	0	35	21	17	0	0	15	3
Gem	...	...			227	249	15	0	227	249	15	0	1	2	1
Glasgow Lass	...	...			482	514	7	0	482	514	7	0	1	1	8
Golden Age	...	...			49	131	11	19	49	131	11	19	2	13	17
Do. South	...	...			36	6	16	0	36	6	16	0	0	3	18
Great Eastern Extended	...	...			8	23	0	0	8	23	0	0	2	17	12
Harper's Hill	...	...			108	53	15	12	108	53	15	12	0	9	23
Homeward Bound	...	...			44	156	10	18	44	156	10	18	3	11	17
International	25	95	14	6	469	655	18	23	494	751	13	5	1	10	11
Inverness	...	...			38	6	0	0	38	6	0	0	0	3	4
Kinambla Wealth of Nations	2,112	2,441	0	0	3,284	2,881	10	18	5,396	5,322	10	18	0	19	17
King of the Hills	...	...			34	86	18	12	34	86	18	12	2	11	21
Kyneton	...	...			20	23	4	0	20	23	4	0	1	3	4
Lake Way Queen	...	...			43	25	5	0	43	25	5	0	0	11	17
Do. Consols	...	...			38	28	10	0	38	28	10	0	0	15	0
Do. do. Extended	...	...			18	25	4	0	18	25	4	0	1	8	0
Legal Right	...	...			21	6	8	0	21	6	8	0	0	6	2
London and W.A. Exploration Co.	...	...			2,229	2,622	18	15	2,229	2,622	18	15	1	3	12
May Be	...	...			11	12	18	6	11	12	18	6	1	3	11
Monarch of the East	...	...			550	334	6	0	550	334	6	0	0	12	3
Monarch North	...	...			59	17	0	0	59	17	0	0	0	5	18
Morning Light	...	...			54	102	8	12	54	102	8	12	1	18	6
Mt. Clifford	...	...			8	22	18	0	8	22	18	0	2	17	6
Narcissus	...	...			16	13	11	12	16	13	11	12	0	16	20
New Woman South Extd.	...	...			61	139	11	0	61	139	11	0	2	5	15
Pascoe Pride	...	...			32	67	14	0	32	67	14	0	2	2	7
Pride of Darlôt	...	...			110	159	2	0	110	159	2	0	1	8	20
Quartz P. A. Long Tom	...	...			18	14	7	0	18	14	7	0	0	15	17
Do. No. 99	..	...			89	45	12	0	89	45	12	0	0	10	5
Do. Gilmore and others	...	...			13	6	8	0	13	6	8	0	0	10	9
Do. British King North No. 105	...	...			91	55	17	18	91	55	17	18	0	12	6
Do. Pinkie Weazel	...	...			9	8	2	6	9	8	2	6	0	18	0
P.A. Invincible No. 15	...	...			79	25	6	22	79	25	6	22	0	6	10
P.A. Empress No. 4	...	...			27	22	19	0	27	22	19	0	0	17	4
P.A. Maid of Athens No. 57	...	...			48	32	4	6	48	32	4	6	0	13	10
P. A. Union No. 65	...	...			52	43	10	0	52	43	10	0	0	16	17
Quartz P.A. No. 111	...	...			50	61	2	0	50	61	2	0	1	4	10
Quartz Claim No. 119	...	...			9	12	5	20	9	12	5	20	1	7	7
Pros. Proct. Area No. 121	...	...			5	3	10	0	5	3	10	0	0	14	0
Quartz Claim No. 125	...	...			17	15	16	3	17	15	16	3	0	18	4
Queen of Lake Way	...	...			50	25	0	0	50	25	0	0	0	10	0
Raff's Great Western	...	...			67	57	14	0	67	57	14	0	0	17	8
Shamrock	...	...			5	9	11	6	5	9	11	6	1	14	18
St. George	...	...			99	123	12	4	99	123	12	4	1	5	2
Vanguard	...	...			192	165	13	12	192	165	13	12	0	17	5
Waikato	...	...			15	35	10	0	15	35	10	0	2	5	19
Weelona	...	...			128	332	17	0	128	332	17	0	2	12	0
W.A. Goldfields, Limited	...	...			71	67	9	12	71	67	9	12	0	19	0
Sundry parcels from other Leases	...	...			450	544	12	17	450	544	12	17	1	4	5
Other Leases	20	67	0	0	...	...			20	67	0	0	3	7	0
Total for East Murchison Goldfield	13,230	22,506	14	7	31,948	35,323	18	9	45,178	57,830	12	16	1	5	14

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.				During 1898.				Totals.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	oz.	dwt.	grs.
MURCHISON GOLDFIELD.															
Cue District.															
Agamemnon, Limited...	1,678	1,710	15	19	3,324	2,178	11	3	5,002	3,889	6	22	0	15	13
Arcadia ...	1,256	1,177	2	0	351	302	14	5	1,607	1,479	16	5	0	18	9
Belgravia Central	90	70	9	6	74	43	4	0	164	113	13	6	0	13	21
Caledonian Hill Co.	...	...			5	9	5	0	5	9	5	0	1	17	0
City of Chester G.M. ...	116	118	0	0	203	138	0	0	319	256	0	0	0	16	1
Countess	...	...			157	217	4	12	157	217	4	12	1	7	14
Cue Consolidated	16,340	13,923	2	0	6,652	4,550	5	11	22,992	18,473	7	11	0	16	1
Cue Victory	3,266	2,583	4	0	3,058	1,450	15	18	6,324	4,033	19	18	0	12	18
Cuddingwarra G.M. ...	315	177	0	0	3,351	2,241	5	22	3,666	2,418	5	22	0	13	4
Deceiver	31	52	15	8	374	801	14	12	405	854	9	20	2	2	4
Eclipse and Eclipse Extended	72	32	0	0	206	97	13	6	278	129	13	6	0	9	7
Fleur-de-Mai ...	422	235	0	0	30	15	11	0	452	250	11	0	0	11	2
Gem of Cue	186	157	6	0	862	593	6	22	1,048	750	12	22	0	14	7
George Higinbotham ...	...	...			47	13	5	0	47	13	5	0	0	5	16
Golden Garter...	72	48	17	18	412	182	10	19	484	231	8	3	0	9	13
Golden Stream Extended	50	89	6	12	112	194	7	0	162	283	13	12	1	15	0
Great White Eye	249	148	15	0	241	94	17	0	490	243	12	0	0	9	22
Jubilee ...	105	74	8	15	744	269	11	1	849	343	19	16	0	8	2
Kangaroo	253	158	15	0	56	34	0	0	309	192	15	0	0	12	11
Lady Godiva ...	30	25	0	0	177	100	12	8	207	125	12	18	0	12	3
Lady Mary No. 1 South	268	479	16	0	30	54	12	0	298	534	8	0	1	15	20
Lady Rosie	175	201	7	0	100	64	6	0	275	265	13	0	0	19	7
Leviathan	130	117	0	0	246	191	19	12	376	308	19	12	0	16	10
Lombardy Gold Mines	210	138	0	0	135	34	5	12	345	172	5	12	0	9	23
Lily	608	947	5	0	15	12	7	0	623	959	12	0	1	10	19
Lily North Extended...	...	...			75	143	0	23	75	143	0	23	1	18	3
Moonlight Quartz Claim	...	...			16	41	15	0	16	41	15	0	2	12	4
New Eldorado ...	25	5	0	0	40	176	16	9	65	181	17	9	2	16	9
New Volunteer	...	...			463	210	7	19	463	210	7	19	0	9	2
Normandy Consolidated	605	488	0	0	40	42	4	0	645	530	4	0	0	16	12
Polar Star Proprietary	518	955	1	12	198	10	0	0	716	965	1	12	1	6	22
Princess Royal (Cue) ...	3,546	3,643	17	17	2,349	1,680	14	8	5,895	5,324	12	1	0	18	1
Quartz Claim No. 251	...	...			40	42	1	6	40	42	1	6	1	1	0
Red, White, and Blue	341	199	0	0	737	330	6	0	1,078	529	6	0	0	9	19
Twilight	248	329	17	0	227	281	1	21	475	616	18	21	1	5	23
Two Lilies	55	72	7	12	35	20	17	0	90	93	4	12	1	0	17
Victory United	3,306	7,627	2	0	1,854	3,245	4	12	5,160	10,872	6	12	2	2	3
Victoria...	11	23	19	0	52	57	9	0	63	81	8	0	1	5	15
Volunteer	162	194	0	0	38	42	12	0	200	234	12	0	1	3	12
Wallace...	18	14	0	0	16	8	3	0	34	22	3	0	0	13	0
Weld Hercules	1,282	1,066	19	15	3,863	2,155	3	5	5,145	3,222	2	20	0	12	12
Winchester	153	133	0	0	17	11	10	0	170	144	10	0	0	17	0
Windmill	...	...			127	68	0	0	127	68	0	0	0	10	16
Young Colonial	...	...			155	264	7	11	155	264	7	11	1	14	5
Other small parcels from various Mines ...	975	992	4	20	1,179	763	9	4	2,154	1,755	14	0	0	16	7
Other Leases ...	5,985	5,486	7	2	...	...			5,985	5,486	7	2	0	18	8
Total for Cue District	43,152	43,896	1	12	32,483	23,728	8	17	75,635	67,624	10	5	0	17	21
Nannine District.															
Caledonian Extended	70	440	0	0	50	312	16	8	120	752	16	8	6	5	11
Champion Reef	9,303	4,687	4	12	1,511	1,056	4	0	10,814	5,743	8	12	0	10	14
Champion Extended ...	447	562	2	0	9,951	5,848	0	0	10,398	6,410	2	0	0	11	8
Crown ...	181	380	12	0	15	16	0	0	196	396	12	0	2	0	11
Gabanintha	117	80	4	0	27	28	6	0	144	108	10	0	0	15	1
Home Rule South Nos. 1 and 2	25	20	0	0	82	12	17	0	107	32	17	0	0	6	3
Iron King and Kaiser Syndicate	...	...			50	51	10	0	50	51	10	0	1	0	14
Kapunda, Gabanintha	...	...			11	11	15	0	11	11	15	0	1	1	8
Lake Shore	27	36	15	0	22	12	0	0	49	48	15	0	0	19	21
Martindale	42	28	9	0	19	18	6	0	61	46	15	0	0	15	7
Meekatharra ...	...	...			61	47	7	0	61	47	7	0	0	15	12
Meekatharra S. Block	...	...			53	160	0	0	53	160	0	0	3	0	9
Mt. Vramzan ...	372	277	0	0	1,014	1,018	17	0	1,386	1,295	17	0	0	18	16
Mt. Yagahong ...	1,398	1,605	12	0	663	786	15	0	2,061	2,392	7	0	1	3	5
Munara King ...	36	58	0	0	60	105	12	22	96	163	12	22	1	14	2
Nannine Gold Mining Co.	2,273	3,990	16	0	265	65	2	12	2,538	4,055	18	12	1	11	23
New Murchison King	995	1,057	13	0	2,516	4,020	1	4	3,511	5,077	14	4	1	8	15
New Year	118	104	10	0	66	69	7	0	184	173	17	0	0	18	22
Protection Area No. 69N	30	91	16	0	28	15	0	0	58	106	16	0	1	18	5
Review Syndicate	...	...			10	10	6	0	10	10	6	0	1	0	14
Royalist Consolidated	380	1,432	4	12	168	213	16	15	548	1,646	1	3	3	0	3
Star of the East	11,272	12,787	14	0	8,492	9,012	13	0	19,764	21,800	7	0	1	2	1

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No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.				During 1898.				Totals.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	oz.	dwt.	grs.
MURCHISON GOLDFIELD—*continued.*															
Nannine Disrict—*continued.*															
St. Albans	122	141	11	20	102	174	6	6	224	315	18	2	1	8	3
Tumbulgum	606	225	1	8	64	52	1	0	670	307	2	8	0	9	3
Tumbulgum Extended	...	...			26	44	3	0	26	44	3	0	1	13	23
Unity	58	28	0	0	49	46	4	21	107	74	4	21	0	13	21
Other Leases	8,992	7,044	18	0	...	...			8,992	7,044	18	0	0	15	15
Total for Nannine District	36,864	35,098	3	4	25,375	23,221	15	10	62,239	58,319	18	14	0	18	17
Day Dawn District.															
Chicago	5	343	3	0	70	86	19	0	75	430	2	0	5	14	16
Crême d'Or	22	19	6	0	134	88	0	0	156	107	6	0	0	13	19
Crœsus	762	1,428	0	0	319	320	2	12	1,081	1,748	2	12	1	12	8
Day Dawn	23,744	14,229	0	0	3,696	3,691	14	12	27,440	17,920	14	12	0	13	1
Day Dawn North	...	...			1,018	742	17	12	1,018	742	17	12	0	14	14
Day Dawn West	8,808	7,535	16	18	2,286	1,593	4	5	11,094	9,129	0	23	0	16	10
Emperor	1,603	2,758	16	16	25	28	2	0	1,628	2,786	18	16	1	14	5
Eureka No. 5	152	228	18	9	215	226	0	0	367	454	18	9	1	4	19
Golconda	4,782	10,352	5	0	1,783	3,990	16	16	6,565	14,343	1	16	2	3	16
Groper	...	...			172	140	13	7	172	140	13	7	0	16	8
Island, Eureka	280	1,885	5	0	549	894	10	0	829	2,779	15	0	3	7	1
Island, Lake Austin	1,604	513	5	0	138	105	18	0	1,742	619	3	0	0	7	2
Kinsella	7,312	3,357	2	10	193	88	3	4	7,505	3,445	5	14	0	9	4
Mainland Consols	3,099	17,336	12	9	70	304	0	0	3,169	18,040	12	9		...	
Mainland Consols Extended	...	...			25	172	12	0	25	172	12	0	6	18	1
New Orient	341	3,034	3	0	240	251	6	15	581	3,285	9	15	5	13	0
Perseverance	10	285	18	0	50	29	0	0	60	314	18	0	5	5	11
Rubicon	801	543	11	0	204	145	7	12	1,005	688	18	12	0	13	18
Sailor Lad	40	55	0	0	8	3	12	0	48	58	12	0	1	4	10
Smith's United	118	280	6	0	40	117	9	4	158	397	15	4	2	10	12
Southdown	321	524	15	17	12	13	0	0	333	537	15	17	1	12	7
Strathmore	...	...			47	29	2	5	47	29	2	5	0	12	9
Trenton	7,732	6,007	0	0	16	17	13	0	7,748	6,024	13	0	0	15	13
Wild Cat	$\frac{1}{20}$	50	0	0	73	691	5	0	73	741	5	0	10	3	1
Yalgoo Proprietary and Prospecting Syndicate	666	805	17	0	54	33	2	0	720	838	19	0	1	3	7
Small parcels crushed at Lake Austin	...	...			119	53	0	0	119	53	0	0	0	8	21
Other Leases	2,389	2,478	11	8	...	...			2,389	2,478	11	8	1	0	16
Total for Day Dawn District	64,591	74,052	12	15	11,556	13,857	10	8	76,147	87,910	2	23	1	3	2
Mount Magnet District.															
Agnes	...	...			13	4	3	0	13	4	3	0	0	6	9
Birthday	...	...			184	30	18	10	184	30	18	10	0	3	8
Boogardie	...	...			16	4	10	12	16	4	10	12	0	5	15
Brilliant	100	167	0	0	212	233	6	12	312	400	6	12	1	5	15
Canterbury	...	...			51	203	16	5	51	203	16	5	3	19	22
Constellation	...	...			20	6	10	0	20	6	10	0	0	6	12
Corsair Consolidated	88	138	12	0	1,050	421	1	0	1,138	559	13	0	0	9	20
Eclipse	...	...			74	642	7	0	74	642	7	0	8	13	14
Eclipse Extended	...	...			105	500	0	0	105	500	0	0	4	15	14
Edith Ellen	11	5	14	0	46	98	1	0	57	103	15	0	1	16	9
Evening Star	...	...			30	5	5	0	30	5	5	0	0	3	12
Excelsior	...	...			8	2	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	4	16
Fair Play	50	70	14	0	46	120	6	0	96	191	0	0	1	19	19
Federal	...	...			10	0	11	0	10	0	11	0	0	1	2
Galtee More	27	8	14	17	74	59	14	12	101	68	9	5	0	13	13
Gay Parisienne	...	...			47	31	9	0	47	31	9	0	0	13	12
Gascoyne-Murchison Goldfields Ex. Co.	...	...			19	4	7	11	19	4	7	11	0	4	13
Geraldton United	...	...			42	11	16	3	42	11	16	3	0	5	14
Gibson's Choice	112	304	12	0	199	848	7	12	311	1,152	19	12	3	14	6
Golden Crown	92	216	14	0	29	16	4	0	121	232	18	0	1	18	11
Golden Giant	21	26	3	0	126	45	5	0	147	71	8	0	0	9	17
Golden Gem	14	7	10	0	175	140	6	12	189	147	16	12	0	15	15
Golden Stream	204	173	14	0	173	94	17	6	377	268	11	6	0	14	5
Golden Treasure	24	53	8	12	88	81	4	0	112	133	12	12	1	3	20
Grand Gorge	117	579	15	0	92	97	2	6	209	676	17	6	3	4	14
Grossetto	...	...			24	34	13	0	24	34	13	0	1	8	21
Havelock	75	109	1	12	394	342	10	0	469	451	11	12	0	19	1
Havelock Extended	...	...			81	43	2	0	81	43	2	0	0	10	15
Havelock Proprietary	12	45	15	0	16	18	12	17	28	64	7	17	2	5	23
Hesperian	...	...			258	371	14	0	258	371	14	0	1	8	19
Homeward Bound	...	...			33	33	15	0	33	33	15	0	1	0	10

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	PREVIOUS TO 1898.		DURING 1898.		TOTALS.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
MURCHISON GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
MOUNT MAGNET DISTRICT—*continued.*							
Johnston's Treasure	...	...	2	19 4 0	2	19 4 0	9 12 0
Jupiter, Nos. 1, 2, and 3	75	61 16 3	215	174 9 12	290	236 5 15	0 16 7
Keep it Dark	...	...	50	103 2 0	50	103 2 0	2 1 5
Kinambla Wealth of Nations	153	206 16 0	202	250 3 0	355	456 19 0	1 5 17
Klondyke	...	...	20	92 0 20	20	92 0 20	4 12 1
La Perola	...	...	41	36 17 0	41	36 17 0	0 17 23
Lady Brassey	...	...	73	190 11 0	73	190 11 0	2 12 4
Lady Bunbury...	35	19 5 0	111	36 7 18	146	55 12 18	0 7 14
Lady Hilda	...	...	79	17 0 0	79	17 0 0	0 4 7
Louise	...	...	107	132 4 12	107	132 4 12	1 4 17
Lucknow	...	...	610	766 3 12	610	766 3 12	1 5 2
Mayflower	106	211 16 12	68	76 3 0	174	287 19 12	1 13 2
Mermaid	...	...	40	21 9 0	40	21 9 0	0 10 17
Midlothian	...	...	12	11 2 0	12	11 2 0	0 18 12
Morning Star Quartz Crushing Co. ...	27,355	16,983 6 0	10,361	2,725 15 12	37,716	19,709 1 12	0 12 10
Mt. Magnet	870	1,001 14 0	1,693	1,118 13 0	2,563	2,120 7 0	0 16 14
Murchison Boulder	...	...	12	1 17 9	12	1 17 9	0 3 2
Murchison New Chum	6,123	19,569 13 0	949	2,477 2 5	7,072	22,046 15 5	3 2 8
New Chum South Extended	62	21 1 0	101	7 13 0	163	28 14 0	0 3 12
New Moon	...	...	256	184 2 0	256	184 2 0	0 14 9
Occidental Extended...	47	136 13 0	58	100 13 0	105	237 6 0	2 5 12
O.K.	31	95 0 0	11	45 0 0	42	140 0 0	3 6 4
Planet	...	...	122	53 3 0	122	53 3 0	0 8 17
P.A. No. 56	...	...	28	29 0 0	28	29 0 0	1 0 17
P.A. No. 61	...	...	9	32 2 0	9	32 2 0	3 11 8
Primrose	54	50 9 0	81	38 10 0	135	88 19 0	0 13 4
Quartz Claim No. 32M	...	...	8	7 16 12	8	7 16 12	0 19 13
Do. do. 8M	...	...	12	10 14 0	12	10 14 0	0 17 2
Do. do. 12M	...	...	23	19 13 0	23	19 13 0	0 17 2
Do. do. 81M	...	...	22	57 4 0	22	57 4 0	2 16 13
Queenslander	...	...	98	50 13 0	98	50 13 0	0 10 8
Rosella	...	...	13	14 0 0	13	14 0 0	1 1 12
Rose, Shamrock, and Thistle	...	...	57	16 17 0	57	16 17 0	0 5 21
Royal Surprise	12	6 15 9	24	3 0 11	36	9 15 20	0 5 10
Secret	...	...	1	10 3 12	1	10 3 12	...
St. Albans	...	...	45	56 4 0	45	56 4 0	1 5 0
St. Albans South	...	...	105	90 16 0	105	90 16 0	0 17 7
Star of the West	16	2 11 0	61	245 6 0	77	247 17 0	3 4 9
Splendour	...	...	36	70 0 0	36	70 0 0	1 18 14
Three Star	66	293 11 0	41	275 9 16	107	569 0 16	5 6 20
Venus	140	1,360 0 0	29	130 0 0	169	1,490 0 0	8 16 7
Vicquery Piedmont	...	...	2,016	1,123 1 0	2,016	1,123 1 0	0 11 3
Viking	...	...	21	25 11 12	21	25 11 12	1 4 15
Victoria...	...	...	22	10 1 0	22	10 1 0	0 9 3
Wah Wah	104	160 19 12	65	70 12 0	169	231 11 12	1 7 9
Waratah	...	...	112	60 1 12	112	60 1 12	0 10 16
Waringee	...	...	25	14 5 0	25	14 5 0	0 11 9
Welcome	...	...	330	354 19 0	330	354 19 0	1 1 12
Welcome News	...	...	31	6 17 0	31	6 17 0	0 4 10
Wellington	..	...	18	28 2 0	18	28 2 0	1 11 5
Wheel of Fortune North	90	140 0 0	189	786 8 0	279	926 8 0	3 6 9
Wheel of Fortune South Block	...	...	82	243 7 12	82	243 7 12	2 19 17
White Rose No. 1 North	...	...	51	5 13 0	51	5 13 0	0 2 5
Windsor Castle	...	...	5	13 17 0	5	13 17 0	2 18 22
Wrayfield	55	74 13 0	60	58 7 0	115	133 0 0	1 3 4
Yuletide North	121	69 16 0	103	87 9 12	224	157 5 12	0 14 0
Public Crushings	...	...	91	94 17 18	91	94 17 18	1 0 19
Other Leases	1,739	2,514 15 12	...	...	1,739	2,514 15 12	1 8 22
Total for Mount Magnet District ...	38,201	44,887 18 17	22,842	17,329 10 23	61,043	62,217 9 16	1 0 9
GRAND TOTAL MURCHISON GOLDFIELD.							
CUE DISTRICT	43,152	43,896 1 12	32,483	23,728 8 17	75,635	67,624 10 5	0 17 21
NANNINE DISTRICT	36,864	35,098 3 4	25,375	23,221 15 10	62,239	58,319 18 14	0 18 17
DAY DAWN DISTRICT	64,591	74,052 12 15	11,556	13,857 10 8	76,147	87,910 2 23	1 3 2
MOUNT MAGNET DISTRICT	38,201	44,887 18 17	22,842	17,329 10 23	61,043	62,217 9 16	1 0 9
Total for Murchison Goldfield ...	182,808	197,934 16 0	92,256	78,137 5 10	275,064	276,072 1 10	1 0 2

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	PREVIOUS TO 1898.		DURING 1898.		TOTALS.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
				YALGOO GOLDFIELD.			
Emerald Reward	2,294	6,932 3 0	60	53 17 12	2,354	6,986 0 12	2 19 8
Field's Find	...	...	500	390 0 0	500	390 0 0	0 15 14
Woodley's Reward	...	...	600	198 11 3	600	198 11 3	0 6 14
Golden Standard	...	...	5	4 4 12	5	4 4 12	0 16 21
Golden Stream	...	...	10	3 12 0	10	3 12 0	0 7 4
Gullewa Gold Mines	1,275	1,883 9 0	1,912	1,813 19 0	3,187	3,697 8 0	1 3 5
Gullewa Queen	120	80 3 0	240	88 9 0	360	168 12 0	0 9 8
May Queen	68	29 0 0	230	48 5 0	298	77 5 0	0 5 4
Monarch Syndicate	...	...	12	9 12 0	12	9 12 0	0 16 0
Mystery	141	129 6 0	33	14 8 0	174	143 14 0	0 16 15
Protection Area	...	...	18	26 6 0	18	26 6 0	1 9 5
Quartz Claim 24	...	...	20	15 10 0	20	15 10 0	0 15 12
Royal Standard	100	102 4 0	228	192 11 12	328	294 15 12	0 17 23
Shannandor	...	...	60	90 14 0	60	90 14 0	1 10 5
Yalgo Proprietary (Victorian United)	...	...	310	221 2 0	310	221 2 0	0 14 6
Yalgoo Proprietary	25	5 0 0	132	108 3 6	157	113 3 6	0 14 9
Small parcels crushed at Victorian United	...	...	55	19 14 0	55	19 14 0	0 7 3
Other Leases	2,132	1,521 10 21	...	...	2,132	1,521 10 21	0 14 6
Total for Yalgoo Goldfield	6,155	10,682 15 21	4,425	3,298 18 21	10,580	13,981 14 18	1 6 10
				MOUNT MARGARET GOLDFIELD.			
MOUNT MALCOLM DISTRICT.							
Arrow Brown Hill	319	294 0 0	541	323 16 0	860	617 16 0	0 14 9
Australian United	363	1,199 0 0	2,605	5,577 0 23	2,968	6,776 0 23	2 5 15
Bendigo New Chum	...	...	26	37 0 0	26	37 0 0	1 8 11
Blue Gown	...	...	211	133 18 0	211	133 18 0	0 12 16
Blue Jacket	...	...	74	159 3 0	74	159 3 0	2 3 7
Bung Eye	5	16 3 0	8	14 1 12	13	30 4 12	2 6 12
Calcutta	...	...	25	23 17 0	25	23 17 0	0 19 1
Chicago East	14	45 13 0	4	5 13 0	18	51 6 0	2 17 0
Clarence	...	...	13	9 6 0	13	9 6 0	0 14 14
Comet	...	...	32	57 9 19	32	57 9 19	1 15 9
Deerah	...	...	40	172 12 0	40	172 12 0	4 6 7
Diorite King	325	950 5 16	289	831 9 1	614	1,781 14 17	2 18 0
Dover Castle	40	49 3 10	119	159 14 12	159	208 17 22	1 6 7
East Lynne	10	63 6 4	50	205 9 6	60	268 15 10	4 9 14
English and Scottish	...	...	32	74 11 0	32	74 11 0	2 6 14
Flying Pig	41	243 4 5	90	152 6 17	131	395 10 22	3 0 9
Forest	20	284 1 0	210	586 10 12	230	870 11 12	3 15 17
Glen Lion	15	40 17 0	22	52 12 12	37	93 9 12	2 10 12
Golden King	...	...	5	8 10 20	5	8 10 20	1 15 14
Golden Prince	180	111 14 15	124	43 2 4	304	154 16 19	0 10 5
Golden Prize	...	...	17	21 19 8	17	21 19 8	1 5 20
Golden Sunset	...	...	186	332 14 10	186	332 14 10	1 15 22
Great Barrington	...	...	19	8 13 0	19	8 13 0	0 9 2
Great Surprise	10	16 6 0	20	31 3 5	30	47 9 5	1 11 15
Gwalia Bach	30	50 2 0	10	9 5 22	40	59 7 22	1 9 16
Imperial Extended	...	...	9	3 15 0	9	3 15 0	0 8 8
Imperial Reward	...	...	256	831 2 0	256	831 2 0	3 4 22
King of the Hills	¼	56 17 12	1	116 11 0	1¼	173 8 12	...
Lady Ivy	...	...	199	662 5 0	199	662 5 0	3 6 13
Lady Lena	...	...	24	37 8 0	24	37 8 0	1 11 4
Leonora Gold Blocks	154	847 0 0	569	2,116 18 13	723	2,963 18 13	4 1 23
Luckenough	...	...	6	12 10 0	6	12 10 0	2 1 16
Malcolm Belle	...	...	54	52 4 0	54	52 4 0	0 19 8
Malcolm Mohr	...	...	374	262 18 6	374	262 18 6	0 14 2
Middlesex	15	26 0 0	178	196 4 0	193	222 4 0	1 4 1
Moynalty	...	...	475	277 0 0	475	277 0 0	0 11 16
Mt. Malcolm Proprietary	1,012	1,241 1 0	6,863	6,713 15 5	7,875	7,954 16 5	1 0 5
Mt. Stirling	10	43 0 0	82	261 0 0	92	304 0 0	3 6 2
Myall King	...	...	12	17 2 5	12	17 2 5	1 8 12
North Star	3,436	3,494 2 12	1,144	1,197 0 18	4,580	4,691 3 6	1 0 11
Northern Champion	...	...	5	7 13 0	5	7 13 0	1 10 14
Oakdale	...	...	5	5 0 0	5	5 0 0	1 0 0
Oaklands	...	...	18	10 16 0	18	10 16 0	0 12 0
Pig and Whistle	...	...	36	43 2 0	36	43 2 0	1 3 22
Possible	75	259 15 6	26	185 9 23	101	445 5 5	4 8 4
Princess Alix No. 2s	...	...	440	455 4 0	440	455 4 0	1 0 17
Primrose Day	...	...	13	31 11 0	13	31 11 0	2 8 13
Queen Mary	7	14 0 0	24	31 18 6	31	45 18 6	1 9 15
Quartz Claim	...	...	25	27 12 7	25	27 12 7	1 2 2

Part VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.		During 1898.		Totals.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
MOUNT MARGARET GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
Mount Malcolm District—*continued.*							
Protection Area	...	...	12	24 17 13	12	24 17 13	2 1 11
Do. do.	...	...	15	7 0 0	15	7 0 0	0 9 8
Do. do.	...	...	7	9 10 0	7	9 10 0	1 7 3
Rajah	6	23 17 9	13	13 1 19	19	36 19 4	2 0 0
Randwick	...	...	91	114 5 0	91	114 5 0	1 5 3
Regent	...	...	28	37 10 0	28	37 10 0	1 6 18
Richmond Gem	...	...	1,079	1,284 5 7	1,079	1,284 5 7	1 2 8
Sons of Australia	...	...	43	82 3 0	43	82 3 0	1 17 18
Sons of Gwalia	4,692	6,891 14 0	14,495	15,816 13 19	19,187	22,708 7 19	1 3 16
South Star	...	...	74	69 10 0	74	69 10 0	0 18 19
Thelwa	...	...	17	31 16 17	17	31 16 17	1 17 10
Trump	8	1,056 2 23	473	748 6 12	481	1,804 9 11	3 15 0
Umpire	...	...	13	65 0 0	13	65 0 0	5 0 0
Victorian	31	90 6 0	60	223 0 0	91	313 6 0	3 8 20
Vice Regent	...	...	72	101 19 7	72	101 19 7	1 8 7
Waimata	...	...	15	7 9 11	15	7 9 11	0 9 23
Webster's South	131	47 18 0	1,015	561 10 10	1,146	609 8 10	0 10 15
Whispering Hope	...	...	21	16 18 10	21	16 18 10	0 16 3
White Chief	...	...	32	30 10 0	32	30 10 0	0 19 1
Young Australian	13	29 15 1	26	31 10 0	39	61 5 1	1 11 11
Other Leases	1,104	5,671 1 8	...	...	1,104	5,671 1 8	...
Total for Mount Malcolm District	12,066	23,156 7 1	33,211	41,864 17 7	45,277	65,021 4 8	1 8 17
Mount Margaret District.							
Aeltunga	4	4 16 0	5	4 16 14	9	9 12 14	1 1 9
Ajax	...	...	52	44 6 0	52	44 6 0	0 17 0
Alicia	9	12 16 16	25	33 13 0	34	46 9 16	1 7 18
Augusta	50	183 6 0	391	1,168 4 6	441	1,351 10 6	3 1 5
Baneygo North	...	...	14	14 0 0	14	14 0 0	1 0 0
Big Phœnix	...	...	60	127 12 0	60	127 12 0	2 2 12
British Flag	15	83 6 0	63	172 11 0	78	255 17 0	3 5 14
Childe Harold	...	...	4	2 4 0	4	2 4 0	0 10 8
Corono Broken Hill	13	33 6 12	30	49 0 0	43	82 6 12	1 18 6
Craggiemore	10	14 5 2	205	187 12 0	215	201 17 2	0 18 18
Earlston North-West	...	...	71	149 2 0	71	149 2 0	2 2 0
Earlstone Proprietary	...	...	80	92 4 0	80	92 4 0	1 3 1
Edinboro' Castle	72	180 0 0	110	263 18 0	182	443 18 0	2 8 18
Enniskillen	...	...	16	9 0 0	16	9 0 0	0 11 6
Euro	...	...	143	280 1 0	143	280 1 0	1 19 4
Everleigh	...	...	1	36 16 0	1	36 16 0	...
Gladys	4	9 0 0	38	69 13 0	42	78 13 0	1 17 5
Golden Boulder	...	...	23	61 0 18	23	61 0 18	2 13 1
Golden Gordon	...	...	10	28 10 0	10	28 10 0	2 17 0
Golden Pinacle	...	...	12	6 0 0	12	6 0 0	0 10 0
Golden King	...	...	68	617 10 0	68	617 10 0	9 1 14
Great Britain	...	...	10	10 2 0	10	10 2 0	1 0 4
Idaho	...	...	32	59 15 6	32	59 15 6	1 17 8
King of the Erlistoun	...	...	14	20 0 0	14	20 0 0	1 8 13
Kiora	...	...	50	52 6 0	50	52 6 0	1 0 22
Korong	10	63 16 6	29	57 11 0	39	121 7 6	3 2 5
Leap Year	100	100 6 0	131	150 5 0	231	250 11 0	1 1 16
Little Doris	...	...	60	153 15 10	60	153 15 10	2 11 6
Mt. Margaret Reward	678	538 7 12	328	215 8 0	1,006	753 15 12	0 14 23
Mt. Barnacoat	18	36 0 0	50	41 13 0	68	77 13 0	1 2 20
Mt. Weld	...	...	49	27 0 0	49	27 0 0	0 11 0
Pride of Mt. Margaret	...	...	90	54 8 8	90	54 8 8	0 12 2
Protection Area 14T	...	...	10	7 0 0	10	7 0 0	0 14 0
Do. do. 15T	...	...	20	18 15 9	20	18 15 9	0 18 18
Do. do. 17T	...	...	10	7 10 0	10	7 10 0	0 15 0
Do. do. 25T	...	...	23	25 10 0	23	25 10 0	1 2 4
Quartz Claim 6T	...	...	10	5 0 0	10	5 0 0	0 10 0
Quartz Hill	...	...	118	171 3 0	118	171 3 0	1 9 0
Queen of North Extended	40	94 0 0	20	58 10 0	60	152 10 0	2 10 20
Sailor Prince	...	...	67	145 10 0	67	145 10 0	2 3 10
Sydney Mint	...	...	13	34 0 0	13	34 0 0	2 12 7
Terlinga	28	52 5 0	15	17 0 0	43	69 5 0	1 12 5
Westralia Mt. Morgan	4	6 0 0	1,726	2,040 3 13	1,730	2,046 3 13	1 3 15
Other Leases	309	109 4 0	...	...	309	109 4 0	0 7 2
Total for Mount Margaret District	1,364	1,520 15 0	4,296	6,789 19 12	5,660	8,310 14 12	1 9 8
Grand Total, Mt. Margaret Goldfield	13,430	24,677 2 1	37,507	48,654 16 19	50,837	73,331 18 20	1 4 22

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.				During 1898.				Totals.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt	grs.	oz.	dwt.	grs.
NORTH COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.															
Menzies District.															
Africander	...	...			20	41	15	0	20	41	15	0	2	1	18
Ancient Briton Extended	...	...			26	24	3	6	26	24	3	6	0	18	14
Athelstane	...	...			362	204	16	12	362	204	16	12	0	11	7
Barunga	5	9	4	18	18	13	1	15	23	22	6	9	0	19	9
Beehive	...	...			8	3	3	18	8	3	3	18	0	7	23
Black Jack	...	...			50	110	3	12	50	110	3	12	2	4	1
Cicero	...	...			145	36	1	6	145	36	1	6	0	4	23
Crown Cross	11	11	4	0	223	203	6	12	234	214	10	12	0	18	8
Daisy Belle	49	56	5	0	23	24	17	0	72	81	2	0	1	2	12
Federal	...	...			44	59	15	0	44	59	15	0	1	7	3
Florence	300	706	0	0	185	504	5	0	485	1,210	5	0	2	9	21
Four-Mile Blow	...	...			100	36	12	0	100	36	12	0	0	7	7
Gem Extended	52	28	0	0	52	24	10	0	104	52	10	0	0	10	2
Goodenough	125	124	11	0	168	345	4	0	293	469	15	0	1	12	2
Golden Shoe	...	...			44	59	13	23	44	59	13	23	1	7	3
Goongarrie	1,900	1,018	0	0	1,695	863	14	0	3,595	1,881	14	0	0	10	11
Kensington Vindicator	...	...			26	53	0	0	26	53	0	0	2	0	18
Jingellie	...	...			42	33	9	0	42	33	9	0	0	15	22
Just in Time	...	...			24	13	19	20	24	13	19	20	0	11	15
Lady Isabel	...	...			74	70	18	0	74	70	18	0	0	19	3
Lady Montefiore	10	600	0	0	131	88	0	12	141	688	0	12	4	17	14
Lady Shenton	6,581	24,240	12	3	7,328	23,065	19	21	13,909	47,306	12	0	3	8	0
London and Coolgardie Explorers	...	...			110	238	8	0	110	238	8	0	2	3	8
McClay's Welcome	65	43	0	7	17	14	16	6	82	57	16	13	0	14	2
Menzies Alpha	480	1,745	2	15	263	1,685	6	14	743	3,430	9	5	4	12	8
Menzies Consolidated	6,525	6,119	9	16	6,969	6.292	8	0	13,494	12,411	17	16	0	18	9
Menzies Crusoe	7,743	13,254	13	17	2,287	4,351	16	4	9,730	17,606	9	21	1	16	4
Menzies Gift	...	...			50	14	16	6	50	14	16	6	0	5	22
Menzies Gold Estates	400	156	13	13	31	22	5	13	431	178	19	2	0	8	7
Menzies Gold Reefs Proprietary	4,803	7,019	2	6	501	4,111	13	12	5,304	11,130	15	18	2	1	23
Menzies Kensington	466	488	5	18	327	255	1	11	793	743	7	5	0	18	18
Menzies Kensington East	...	...			10	6	1	0	10	6	1	0	0	12	2
Menzies United	...	...			12	3	10	0	12	3	10	0	0	5	20
Menzies Lady Sherry	299	576	17	0	449	445	8	0	748	1,022	5	0	1	7	7
Menzies Mining and Exploring Corporation	1,252	1,110	13	10	1,320	1,583	13	7	2,572	2,694	6	17	1	0	23
Menzies Pioneers	613	823	2	1	...	32	4	0	613	855	6	1	1	7	21
Mimosa	...	...			220	43	7	0	220	43	7	0	0	3	22
Ninety-Mile Proprietary	2,772	1,695	8	12	122	73	11	8	2,894	1,768	19	20	0	12	5
Ninety-Mile Goongarrie Consolidated	5	5	0	0	334	72	0	0	339	77	0	0	0	4	13
Ourine	...	...			30	26	10	14	30	26	10	14	0	17	16
Picton Valley	...	...			10	25	0	3	10	25	0	3	2	10	0
Queensland Menzies	4,072	16,138	13	0	2,429	8,249	14	0	6,501	24,388	7	0	3	11	0
Resurrection	5	6	3	12	42	20	15	0	47	26	18	12	0	11	13
Shirkin	...	...			69	223	0	0	69	223	0	0	3	4	15
St. Albans	...	...			16	75	14	21	16	75	14	21	4	14	16
Three Brothers	...	...			57	46	12	0	57	46	12	0	0	16	8
Union Jack	...	...			80	129	19	0	80	129	19	0	1	12	11
Warrior Menzies	...	...			200	234	9	0	200	234	9	0	1	3	10
Sundry crushings from various mills	...	...			119	159	11	9	119	159	11	9	1	6	20
Other leases	2,427	3,717	2	16	...	...			2,427	3,717	2	16	1	10	15
Total for Menzies District	40,660	79,693	4	20	26,862	54,318	1	21	67,522	134,011	6	17	1	19	16
Ularring District.															
Anastasia	...	...			19	46	18	8	19	46	18	8	2	9	9
Big Buck	...	...			8	24	11	0	8	24	11	0	3	5	11
Boudie's Nest	...	...			8	17	15	0	8	17	15	0	2	4	9
British Lion	7	9	5	0	10	47	0	0	17	56	5	0	3	6	23
Buninyong	...	...			119	243	18	0	119	243	18	0	2	0	23
Chamberlain	...	...			19	19	19	0	19	19	19	0	1	1	0
Cuba	...	...			4	14	11	0	4	14	11	0	3	12	18
Fairy Queen	...	...			8	12	6	0	8	12	6	0	1	10	18
Golden Lode	...	...			2	12	0	4	2	12	0	4	6	0	2
Golden Wonder	75	152	19	10	50	66	10	0	125	219	9	10	1	14	23
Lady Gladys	...	...			18	33	14	12	18	33	14	12	1	17	10
Lady Kate	18	196	6	2	54	34	0	0	72	230	6	2	3	4	5
Malwarie	...	...			743	2,207	12	12	743	2,207	12	12	2	19	9
Mt. Higgins Property	73	121	1	12	71	246	4	0	144	367	5	12	2	11	0
Oakley	10	44	9	0	50	141	5	0	60	185	14	0	3	1	21
Off Chance	...	...			51	233	12	23	51	233	12	23	4	10	17
Quartz Claim	...	...			8	10	1	0	8	10	1	0	1	5	3
Do.	...	...			5	12	13	5	5	12	13	5	2	16	6

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	PREVIOUS TO 1898.		DURING 1898.		TOTALS.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
NORTH COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
ULARRING DISTRICT—*continued.*							
Redleap	...	...	25	84 18 0	25	84 18 0	3 7 12
Riverina No. 1 North...	...	...	6	9 12 0	6	9 12 0	1 14 21
Riverina South...	...	...	15	7 10 0	15	7 10 0	0 10 0
Roseleaf...	...	...	16	50 10 0	16	50 10 0	3 2 3
Rose and Shamrock	...	...	5	5 19 0	5	5 19 0	1 3 19
Shamrock	...	...	40	76 14 6	40	76 14 6	1 18 14
Flora	...	...	74	156 3 0	74	156 3 0	2 2 11
Gentle Lizzie	...	...	17	48 7 0	17	48 7 0	2 15 13
Other Leases	84	177 8 15	...	...	84	177 8 15	2 2 3
Total for Ularring District	267	701 9 15	1,445	3,864 4 22	1,712	4,565 14 13	2 13 8
NIAGARA DISTRICT.							
Ballarat...	12	12 4 0	105	89 11 0	117	101 15 0	0 17 10
Barrington	...	..	158	218 7 12	158	218 7 12	1 7 15
Batavia	...	...	67	54 11 0	67	54 11 0	0 16 6
Battler's Hope...	...	...	86	180 14 18	86	180 14 18	2 2 0
Belbedear	...	...	98	68 3 12	98	68 3 12	0 13 21
Birmingham	...	...	25	10 4 6	25	10 4 6	0 8 4
Blue Bell	...	...	308	335 7 10	308	335 7 10	1 1 18
Blevin's Find	130	131 0 0	1,400	664 9 20	1,530	795 9 20	0 10 9
Britannia	...	...	5,069	4,512 3 0	5,069	4,512 3 0	0 17 19
Champion	...	...	132	292 5 0	132	292 5 0	2 4 6
Commonwealth	18	27 0 0	34	30 1 13	52	57 1 13	1 1 22
Cosmopolitan Proprietary	...	...	218	187 8 0	218	187 8 0	0 17 4
Day Dawn	...	...	4	7 13 0	4	7 13 0	1 14 0
Desdemona	7	6 0 0	84	118 8 12	91	124 8 12	1 7 8
Desdemona Extended...	...	...	16	47 7 10	16	47 7 10	2 19 5
Diamontina	...	...	33	79 10 6	33	79 10 6	2 8 4
Dolly Darling	...	...	5	12 10 0	5	12 10 0	2 12 15
Eureka	...	...	14	14 0 0	14	14 0 0	1 0 0
Gladstone	12	20 17 0	93	88 19 12	105	109 16 12	1 0 20
Golden Hope	...	...	10	21 7 7	10	21 7 7	2 2 17
Homeward Bound	...	...	62	455 0 0	62	455 0 0	7 6 18
John Bull	...	...	11	36 8 0	11	36 8 0	3 5 0
Jubilee	...	...	40	52 3 0	40	52 3 0	1 6 1
Kitchener	...	...	50	18 6 0	50	18 6 0	0 7 7
Last Chance	...	...	40	29 11 12	40	29 11 12	0 14 23
Lily	...	...	5	27 18 0	5	27 18 0	5 17 11
Liverpool	...	...	172	48 10 0	172	48 10 0	0 5 15
London	5	13 5 0	173	143 16 0	178	157 1 0	0 17 15
Mikado	...	...	10	31 0 0	10	31 0 0	3 2 0
O'Shea	...	...	5	29 12 6	5	29 12 6	5 18 10
P.A. No. 1G	...	...	32	33 3 6	32	33 3 6	1 0 17
Pactolus	...	...	51	62 2 6	51	62 2 6	1 4 6
Pine Lodge	12	15 8 6	140	186 17 12	152	202 5 18	1 6 13
Fortuna...	...	...	53	69 13 0	53	69 13 0	1 6 6
Golden Treasure	97	185 14 3	46	87 9 12	143	273 3 15	1 18 0
Princess Melita	...	...	131	76 15 3	131	76 15 3	0 11 16
Puzzle	...	...	5	9 12 0	5	9 12 0	1 18 9
Quartz Claim No. 1G	...	...	100	75 0 0	100	75 0 0	0 15 0
Do. do. 5G	...	...	25	19 5 0	25	19 5 0	0 15 9
Do. do. 10G	...	...	20	58 16 2	20	58 16 2	2 18 19
Do. do. 11G	...	...	9	25 11 0	9	25 11 0	2 14 1
Do. do. 15	...	...	21	29 7 6	21	29 7 6	1 7 23
Do. do. 38G	...	...	5	6 11 0	5	6 11 0	1 6 4
Do. do. 44G	...	...	8	9 3 0	8	9 3 0	1 2 21
Do. do. 47G	...	...	4	4 19 0	4	4 19 0	1 3 7
Scotland Yet	...	...	63	25 15 0	63	25 15 0	0 8 4
Sovereign	...	...	86	94 15 0	86	94 15 0	1 2 0
Standard	...	...	302	223 19 7	302	223 19 7	0 14 19
St. Lawrence	...	...	25	26 2 0	25	26 2 0	1 0 21
Surprise	...	...	40	58 9 0	40	58 9 0	1 9 5
Ulster	...	...	176	189 15 11	176	189 15 11	1 1 15
Victoria...	...	...	11	30 19 0	11	30 19 0	2 15 0
White Cliffs	...	...	16	13 10 0	16	13 10 0	0 16 14
Wairan	...	...	78	105 4 17	78	105 4 17	1 7 3
Western Extended	...	...	32	12 0 15	32	12 0 15	0 7 12
Unreported Crushings	...	...	56	58 1 8	56	58 1 8	1 0 17
Ryan's Quartz Claim	...	...	5	5 1 12	5	5 1 12	1 0 7
Quartz Claim 27G	...	...	25	39 8 0	25	39 8 0	1 11 12
Friday's Battery	...	...	9	17 3 0	9	17 3 0	1 18 2
Other Leases	2,698	330 8 23	...	...	2,698	330 8 23	0 2 11
Total for Niagara District	2,991	741 17 8	10,101	9,559 16 9	13,092	10,301 13 17	0 15 17

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	PREVIOUS TO 1898.		DURING 1898.		TOTALS.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
NORTH COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
YERILLA DISTRICT.							
Black Gin	16	15 11 0	21	13 17 0	37	29 8 0	0 15 21
Burgess' Luck	...	...	27	60 0 0	27	60 0 0	2 4 10
Caledonian	...	...	25	27 15 0	25	27 15 0	1 2 14
Crown Lands	...	...	10	6 10 0	10	6 10 0	0 13 0
Crushed Tragedian and True Blue... ...	19	23 7 0	19	28 2 0	38	51 9 0	1 7 1
Eucalyptus Reward	...	...	54	51 0 0	54	51 0 0	0 18 21
George Washington	10	27 12 12	73	173 8 0	83	201 0 12	2 8 14
Golden Ridge	...	...	10	6 19 0	10	6 19 0	0 13 21
Great Carbine	...	...	36	42 14 0	36	42 14 0	1 3 17
Greenhill	...	...	40	185 10 0	40	185 10 0	4 12 18
Kangaroo	...	...	18	9 5 0	18	9 5 0	0 10 6
Keep it Dark	...	...	24	85 0 0	24	85 0 0	3 10 20
Lady Edith	...	...	69	243 12 0	69	243 12 0	3 10 14
Lady Ethel	...	...	252	293 11 0	252	293 11 0	1 3 7
Lady Gertrude	58	138 16 0	20	22 7 0	78	161 3 0	2 1 6
Lake View and Boulder East	522	810 15 0	61	34 4 0	583	844 19 0	1 8 23
Mt. Catherine	...	...	321	26 0 0	321	26 0 0	0 1 14
Mountain Maid	...	...	3	4 2 0	3	4 2 0	1 3 10
Neta	...	...	584	751 10 0	584	751 10 0	1 5 17
Nine of Hearts...	...	...	520	718 17 12	520	718 17 12	1 7 15
Ovens	...	...	86	114 15 0	86	114 15 0	1 6 16
Portsea	...	...	76	51 10 12	76	51 10 12	0 13 13
P.A. R. 2 Kingfisher	...	...	35	78 3 0	35	78 3 0	2 4 15
Prospecting P.A. 10R	...	...	52	62 7 0	52	62 7 0	1 3 23
Do. 17R	...	...	50	48 16 0	50	48 16 0	0 19 12
Te Anau	...	...	17	16 0 0	17	16 0 0	0 18 19
Traveller's Joy	...	...	37	46 11 0	37	46 11 0	1 5 3
Triumph Leases	1,747	1,648 0 0	515	565 6 0	2,262	2,213 6 0	0 19 3
Unity	...	...	20	15 0 0	20	15 0 0	0 15 0
Westward Ho	96	81 11 6	465	293 0 0	561	374 11 6	0 13 8
Wimmera	22	56 12 0	85	136 16 0	107	193 8 0	1 16 3
Other Leases	699	699 19 2	...	...	699	699 19 2	1 0 0
Total for Yerilla District	3,189	3,502 3 20	3,625	4,212 8 0	6,814	7,714 11 20	1 2 15
GRAND TOTAL NORTH COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.							
MENZIES DISTRICT	40,660	79,693 4 20	26,862	54,318 1 21	67,522	134,011 6 17	1 19 16
ULARRING DISTRICT	267	701 9 15	1,445	3,864 4 22	1,712	4,565 14 13	2 13 8
NIAGARA DISTRICT	2,991	741 17 8	10,101	9,559 16 9	13,092	10,301 13 17	0 15 17
YERILLA DISTRICT	3,189	3,502 3 20	3,625	4,212 8 0	6,814	7,714 11 20	1 2 15
Total for North Coolgardie Goldfield	47,107	84,638 15 15	42,033	71,954 10 8	89,140	156,593 6 19	1 15 3
BROAD ARROW GOLDFIELD.							
Arrow Brown Hill	...	...	55	95 4 20	55	95 4 20	1 14 15
Australia Extended	...	...	80	22 5 18	80	22 5 18	0 5 19
Auraria Q.C.	...	...	50	44 16 2	50	44 16 2	0 17 22
Bardoc	...	...	163	93 10 12	163	93 10 12	0 12 2
Barrier	216	253 10 0	45	62 0 0	261	315 14 0	1 4 4
Black Flag Junction	50	21 14 22	8	9 8 0	58	31 2 22	0 10 20
Blue Bell	...	...	30	15 11 14	30	15 11 14	0 10 9
Blue Peter	...	...	59	105 4 20	59	105 4 20	1 15 23
Bulimba	...	...	31	10 1 0	31	10 1 0	0 6 11
Crown United	890	380 0 21	974	374 11 12	1,864	754 12 9	0 8 2
Devon	...	...	8	3 0 0	8	3 0 0	0 7 12
Diamond Jubilee	37	108 0 0	5	16 7 0	42	124 7 0	2 18 14
Excelsior	157	266 9 0	275	264 7 5	432	530 16 5	1 4 13
Eureka	7	5 17 6	43	82 8 22	50	88 6 4	1 14 23
Federation	...	...	39	37 10 0	39	37 10 0	0 19 11
Golden Arrow	648	514 19 12	928	566 0 12	1,576	1,081 0 0	0 13 17
Golden Buckle	35	20 4 0	5	1 3 0	40	21 7 0	0 10 16
Golden Crown	260	332 19 12	66	79 11 9	326	412 10 21	1 5 6
Golden Gem Q.C.	...	...	31	19 3 0	31	19 3 0	0 12 8
Goldsborough	...	...	20	25 5 0	20	25 5 0	1 5 6
Half-Mile Reefs	1,412	1,138 6 0	614	276 6 7	2,026	1,414 12 7	0 13 23
Hill End	1,735	8,432 8 0	7,087	10,206 11 12	8,822	18,638 19 12	2 2 6
Hill End, West	18	258 3 9	52	124 2 12	70	382 5 21	5 9 14
Hope Mine	...	...	5	1 15 6	5	1 15 6	0 7 1
Kent	5	5 5 0	33	10 5 0	38	15 10 0	0 8 2
King of the West	...	...	850	60 0 0	850	60 0 0	0 1 9

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.		During 1898.		Totals.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	ozs. dwt. grs.
BROAD ARROW GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
Klondyke	...	...	6	18 4 6	6	18 4 6	3 0 17
Lady Bountiful	2,187	2,557 12 9	561	1,900 10 21	2,748	4,458 3 6	1 12 0
Lady Florence	...	...	15	6 7 18	15	6 7 18	0 8 12
Lady Rose	...	...	14	8 4 0	14	8 4 0	0 11 3
Light of the Swan	...	...	60	33 14 0	60	33 14 0	0 11 5
Minnie Palmer, South	...	...	30	10 12 0	30	10 12 0	0 7 1
Mona	...	...	110	124 4 0	110	124 4 0	1 2 13
Mt. Carlic	24	29 0 0	1,187	724 13 13	1,211	753 13 13	0 12 10
Mt. Pleasant	...	...	10	31 4 0	10	31 4 0	3 2 9
Paddington Consols	...	...	15,990	8,106 12 0	15,990	8,106 12 0	0 10 3
Pootilla	10	20 18 6	57	47 12 13	67	68 10 19	1 0 11
Quartz Claim (Hunter)	...	...	22	11 11 0	22	11 11 0	0 10 12
Queen of Beauty	10	10 15 0	41	36 3 0	51	46 18 0	0 18 9
Queen Victoria	...	...	56	17 14 0	56	17 14 0	0 6 7
Reform	...	...	46	51 15 12	46	51 15 12	1 2 12
Royal Standard	324	110 10 0	289	111 3 12	613	221 13 12	0 7 5
Rose and Swan	...	...	55	44 1 0	55	44 1 0	0 16 13
Do. South	...	...	20	27 18 0	20	27 18 0	1 7 21
Roseberry	...	...	11	5 12 3	11	5 12 3	0 10 4
Rose, Extended	...	...	35	41 6 0	35	41 6 0	1 3 18
Star of W.A.	133	1,001 4 0	1,100	869 4 0	1,233	1,870 8 0	1 10 8
South Star	125	577 12 0	269	587 5 0	394	1,164 17 0	2 19 4
Struck Oil	51	74 0 0	38	17 1 0	89	91 1 0	1 0 12
Surprise Q.C.	...	...	11	3 2 0	11	3 2 0	0 5 15
Tapio	...	...	4	10 4 6	4	10 4 6	2 11 1
Walhalla	100	185 6 0	95	239 11 6	195	424 17 6	2 3 12
Victory	...	...	10	22 3 0	10	22 3 0	2 4 7
Volunteer	...	...	20	10 1 0	20	10 1 0	0 9 22
W.A Gold Concessions	28	36 5 12	157	161 19 10	185	198 4 22	1 1 10
W.A. Money Market	...	...	13	4 15 0	13	4 15 0	0 7 7
Wanderer Q.C.	...	...	7	4 0 0	7	4 0 0	0 11 10
Wait-a-Bit	...	...	12	1 5 0	12	1 5 0	0 2 1
Wycheproof	...	...	36	42 3 0	36	42 3 0	1 3 10
Windermere North	...	...	5	3 3 18	5	3 3 18	0 12 18
Public Crushings from other Mines	...	...	20	10 11 12	20	10 11 12	0 10 13
Sundry Parcels treated at Hannan's Reward	...	...	20	8 5 12	20	8 5 12	0 8 6
Do. do Half-Mile Reef	...	...	16	11 16 0	16	11 16 0	0 14 18
Other Leases	12,711	6,975 11 5	...	...	12,711	6,975 11 5	0 10 23
Total for Broad Arrow Goldfield	21,173	23,316 11 18	32,004	25,972 8 9	53,177	49,289 0 3	0 18 7
NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.							
Kanowna District.							
Ballarat and Prince Oscar	...	..	242	135 8 19	242	135 8 19	0 11 4
Bonnie Charlie	24	62 10 0	97	64 16 12	121	127 6 12	1 1 3
Bulletin	...	...	50	11 7 2	50	11 7 2	0 4 13
Camelia	...	...	165	292 3 0	165	292 3 0	1 15 9
Commonwealth	...	...	20	2 0 0	20	2 0 0	0 2 0
Cosmopolite	...	...	42	25 12 17	42	25 12 17	0 12 4
Diamond Jubilee	4	8 1 0	174	320 11 0	178	328 12 0	1 16 19
Do. Extended	...	...	22	13 0 0	22	13 0 0	0 11 13
Fitzroy Cement	92	618 2 0	136	703 6 6	228	1,321 8 6	5 15 18
Fitzroy G.M. Co.	...	...	28	88 0 0	28	88 0 0	3 2 20
Golden Cement Claims	918	597 18 0	3,229	1,515 6 12	4,147	2,113 4 12	0 10 4
Golden Feather	49	118 0 0	126	183 17 18	175	301 17 18	1 14 12
Golden Puzzle	...	...	26	8 3 18	26	8 3 18	0 6 7
Golden Valley	1,240	315 0 0	1,412	563 7 7	2,652	878 7 7	0 7 0
Homeward Bound	10	22 0 0	144	123 16 0	154	145 16 0	0 18 23
Kanowna Carbine	512	294 15 16	189	365 14 9	701	660 10 1	0 18 20
Do. Champion	...	...	12	1 3 0	12	1 3 0	0 1 22
Kincener and Party	...	...	8	9 19 0	8	9 19 0	1 3 9
Koh-i-Noor	...	...	35	18 6 0	35	18 6 0	0 10 11
Last Chance	349	72 16 8	537	625 6 14	886	698 2 22	0 15 18
Laurel	...	...	46	29 1 0	46	29 1 0	0 12 15
Mt. Elba	...	...	94	40 5 0	94	40 5 0	0 8 14
New Chum	21	43 2 0	47	50 0 0	68	93 2 0	1 7 4
North White Feather Consolidated	...	...	465	332 3 21	465	332 3 21	0 14 6
Onawe	...	...	39	18 5 0	39	18 5 0	0 9 8
Primrose	...	...	124	135 17 14	124	135 17 14	1 1 21
Rising Sun	50	25 0 0	50	17 17 0	100	42 17 0	8 13 0
Robinson's G.M. Co.	6,252	9,034 17 12	2,548	1,156 8 4	8,800	10,191 5 16	1 3 3
Rose's Find	...	...	10	2 13 0	10	2 13 0	0 5 7

Part VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.		During 1898.		Totals.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	oz. dwt. grs.
NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
Kanowna District—*continued.*							
South Gippsland	...	...	1,269	1,258 14 18	1,269	1,258 14 18	0 19 20
Springbank	...	...	50	36 0 0	50	36 0 0	0 14 9
Sunbeam	209	401 13 6	384	779 6 12	593	1,180 19 18	1 19 19
Turn of the Tide	...	...	10	11 2 0	10	11 2 0	1 2 4
Vanity	5	5 3 9	12	14 10 0	17	19 13 9	1 2 11
Vanity North	2	8 10 0	25	23 11 0	27	32 1 0	1 3 17
Walden's Find	540	656 4 6	306	187 11 18	846	843 16 0	0 19 22
White Feather Extended	108	80 14 12	38	48 7 6	146	129 1 18	0 17 16
White Feather Main Reefs	2,825	2,199 7 18	10,212	9,822 16 7	13,037	12,022 4 1	0 18 10
White Feather Reward	9,763	10,119 0 4	2,269	1,344 10 21	12,032	11,463 11 1	0 19 1
Whitehead's Find	...	...	51	128 2 12	51	128 2 12	2 10 17
Sundry parcels—Quartz crushed at local batteries	52	69 0 0	115	383 9 0	167	452 9 0	2 14 3
Cement from alluvial claims	...	...	45,983	68,183 10 22	45,983	68,183 10 22	1 9 16
Other Leases	4,341	3,491 19 16	...	...	4,341	3,491 19 16	0 16 2
Total for Kanowna District	27,366	28,243 15 11	70,841	89,075 9 1	98,207	117,319 4 12	1 3 21
Bulong District.							
Black Hill	...	...	52	54 13 0	52	54 13 0	1 1 5
Bulong Mining, Tramway, and Ore Reduction Co.	...	...	40	7 0 0	40	7 0 0	0 3 12
Green Lode	...	...	190	118 12 0	190	118 12 0	0 12 11
Melbourne United	196	220 15 12	40	9 19 0	236	230 14 12	0 19 12
Ninety-eight	...	...	34	81 15 4	34	81 15 4	2 7 9
Providence	...	...	5	2 2 12	5	2 2 12	0 8 12
Princess Margaret	...	...	632	1,097 15 0	632	1,097 15 0	1 14 17
Queen Margaret	4,538	7,002 11 2	6,970	8,839 8 19	11,508	15,841 19 21	1 7 12
Queen Margaret South	41	584 4 6	28	148 8 0	69	732 12 6	...
Queen Margaret South Extended	...	...	151	69 18 14	151	69 18 14	0 9 6
White Horse	150	417 0 0	165	90 10 0	315	507 10 0	1 12 5
Other Leases	1,744	866 9 4	...	...	1,744	866 9 4	0 9 22
Total for Bulong District	6,669	9,091 0 0	8,307	10,520 2 1	14,976	19,611 2 1	1 6 4
Kurnalpi District.							
Bravo	...	...	$\frac{1}{20}$	0 13 4	$\frac{1}{20}$	0 13 4	...
Brophy's Kurnalpi Consols	...	...	25	8 17 0	25	8 17 0	0 13 4
Federal	...	...	56	90 2 0	56	90 2 0	1 12 4
Jubilee Gift South	...	...	208	229 10 6	208	229 10 6	1 2 1
Kurnalpi G.M. Co.	25	10 0 0	37	20 0 0	62	30 0 0	0 9 16
Leviathan	...	...	209	55 4 0	209	55 4 0	0 5 6
Lord Salisbury...	...	...	4	28 0 0	4	28 0 0	7 0 0
Mountain Maid and Iron Prince	...	...	90	121 19 0	90	121 19 0	1 7 2
Mt. Simon Mines	56	33 2 0	50	15 5 12	106	48 7 12	0 9 3
Pride of the East	...	...	8	3 4 0	8	3 4 0	0 8 0
Scottish Lass	...	...	50	11 18 0	50	11 18 0	0 4 18
Success	55	10 0 0	211	76 4 0	266	86 4 0	0 6 11
Other Leases	58	107 0 0	...	...	58	107 0 0	1 16 21
Total for Kurnalpi District ...	194	160 2 0	948	660 16 22	1,142	820 18 22	0 14 9
Grand Total from North-East Coolgardie Goldfield.							
Kanowna District	27,366	28,243 15 11	70,841	89,075 9 1	98,207	117,319 4 12	1 3 21
Bulong District	6,669	9,091 0 0	8,307	10,520 2 1	14,976	19,611 2 1	1 6 4
Kurnalpi District	194	160 2 0	948	660 16 22	1,142	820 18 22	0 14 9
Total for North-East Coolgardie Goldfield	34,229	37,494 17 11	80,096	100,256 8 0	114,325	137,751 5 11	1 4 2
EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.							
African Gold Recovery Co.	...	...	342	219 12 15	342	219 12 15	0 12 19
Associated Gold Mines of W.A.	7,894	10,914 0 0	24,325	24,590 0 0	32,219	35,504 0 0	1 2 1
Do. *	9,512	19,208 14 0	3,379	17,318 11 0	12,891	36,527 5 0	2 16 16
Brisbane	...	...	9	3 14 0	9	3 14 0	0 8 16
Brookman Bros. Boulder Co.	600	217 19 0	2,135	1,523 2 0	2,735	1,741 1 0	0 12 17
Central Boulder	490	456 7 0	1,035	980 0 0	1,525	1,436 7 0	0 18 14
Complin, J. W., Binduli	...	...	25	25 19 0	25	25 19 0	1 0 18

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* Smelted Ore.

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	PREVIOUS TO 1898.				DURING 1898.				TOTALS.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.
EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—*continued.*															
Golden Horseshoe	1,597	6,389	7	12	10,779	33,972	10	0	12,376	40,361	17	12	3	5	5
Golden Ridge Proprietary	128	244	16	12	139	288	11	5	267	533	7	17	2	0	0
Great Boulder Associated	54	21	15	1	8	16	19	5	62	38	14	6	0	12	14
Great Boulder Main Reef	3,799	10,534	7	21	8,185	14,365	3	15	11,984	24,899	11	12	2	1	13
Great Boulder Perseverance	13,843	28,078	3	9	15,177	18,279	9	12	29,020	46,357	12	21	1	11	22
Great Boulder Proprietary	50,483	165,906	17	0	41,043	84,402	8	7	91,526	250,309	5	7	2	14	16
Hannan's Block 45	28	119	6	0	136	224	10	0	164	343	16	0	2	1	22
Hannan's Brown Hill	5,040	30,300	17	21	24,032	50,894	4	2	29,072	81,195	1	23	2	15	20
Hannan's Crœsus	442	1,531	5	0	1,120	1,082	18	4	1,562	2,614	3	4	1	13	11
Hannan's Excelsior	...	...			17	20	18	17	17	20	18	17	1	4	15
Hannan's North	85	190	0	0	205	242	14	0	290	432	14	0	1	9	20
Hannan's Oroya	2,466	1,239	15	6	15,412	6,453	10	4	17,878	7,693	5	10	0	8	14
Hannan's Reward	2,321	1,547	9	11	2,760	2,162	18	18	5,081	3,710	8	5	0	14	14
Hannan's Reward N.	...	...			17	32	2	0	17	32	2	0	1	17	18
Ivanhoe Gold Corporation	20,187	43,127	14	3	27,120	50,659	19	0	47,307	93,787	13	3	1	19	15
Ivanhoe Venture	...	...			44	91	12	0	44	91	12	0	2	1	15
Kalgurli	1,054	4,879	9	10	245	2,102	0	0	1,299	6,981	9	10	5	7	11
Kalgoorlie Bank of England	157	1,087	1	0	183	425	17	9	339	1,512	18	9	4	9	0
Kingston	12	12	8	0	23	15	9	0	35	27	17	0	0	15	15
Kalgoorlie Mint and Iron King	1,773	4,383	2	0	545	486	9	18	2,318	4,869	11	18	2	2	0
Lake View Consols	34,866	95,644	10	19	67,356	98,110	9	0	102,222	193,754	19	19	1	18	21
Lake View Extended	...	...			710	152	5	0	710	152	5	0	0	4	6
Lake View South	...	...			4,334	1,420	16	6	4,334	1,420	16	6	0	6	13
Livingston	...	...			8	8	10	6	8	8	10	6	1	1	6
Maritana	207	144	10	0	87	67	15	14	294	212	5	14	0	14	9
Michael Angelo Lode	...	...			115	45	7	8	115	45	7	8	0	7	21
Mt. Charlotte	215	130	12	0	2,720	982	14	18	2,935	1,113	6	18	0	7	14
North Boulder	6,326	12,431	5	12	10,150	9,826	4	12	16,476	22,257	10	0	1	7	0
Reefer's Eureka	...	...			109	101	3	0	109	101	3	0	0	18	13
Rosina	...	...			10	3	0	0	10	3	0	0	0	5	17
Trafalgar	...	...			38	5	3	0	38	5	3	0	0	2	7
Claims on the Ivanhoe Venture Lease—															
Bray and party	...	...			68	198	1	0	68	198	1	0	2	18	6
Burke and party	...	...			83	304	15	0	83	304	15	0	3	13	6
Powlette and party	...	...			97	136	9	0	97	136	9	0	1	8	1
Other Leases	1,013	1,304	19	13	...	...			1,013	1,304	19	13	1	5	18
Total for East Coolgardie Goldfield	164,592	440,046	13	6	264,325	422,243	17	3	428,917	862,290	10	9	2	0	4
COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.															
COOLGARDIE DISTRICT.															
Admiral Sampson	...	...			44	18	0	15	44	18	0	15	0	8	15
Aurum	...	...			61	49	19	0	61	49	19	0	0	16	9
Australian Junction	74	27	7	15	15	7	3	0	89	34	10	15	0	7	18
Australasian U.G.M.	...	...			43	21	17	0	43	21	17	0	0	10	2
Bayley's Consols	852	455	18	0	3,125	1,932	7	18	3,977	2,388	5	18	0	12	0
Bayley's United	14,709	38,820	0	5	3,962	14,429	9	4	18,670	53,249	9	9	2	17	0
Bendigo and Coolgardie Proprietary	263	296	7	0	719	853	9	3	982	1,149	16	3	1	3	10
Big Blow	419	195	15	0	2,674	665	8	0	3,093	861	3	0	0	5	13
Blue Peter	...	...			118	77	10	0	118	77	10	0	0	13	3
Boomer	...	...			10	63	9	0	10	63	9	0	6	6	21
Brilliant	...	...			102	101	0	0	102	101	0	0	0	19	19
Burbank's Consols	...	...			18	14	9	0	18	14	9	0	0	16	1
Burbank's Birthday Gift	8,012	20,589	18	18	11,414	16,970	3	5	19,426	37,560	1	23	1	18	16
Burbank's Grand Junction	462	1,643	0	0	416	567	5	0	878	2,210	5	0	2	10	9
Burbank's Horseshoe	...	...			11	67	14	22	11	67	14	22	6	3	4
Burbank's Ivanhoe	...	...			88	52	2	0	88	52	2	0	0	11	20
Burbank's Main Lode	...	...			90	88	0	0	90	88	0	0	0	19	13
Cheapside	60	69	10	4	264	240	19	0	324	310	9	4	1	7	18
Clyde	102	91	0	0	740	231	3	0	842	322	3	0	0	7	15
Condenser King	...	...			210	184	11	21	210	184	11	21	0	17	14
Coonong	...	...			39	10	14	0	39	10	14	0	0	5	11
Cosgrove's Bayley's Reward	262	179	5	0	944	732	19	0	1,206	912	4	0	0	15	3
De Beer's West	...	...			10	3	1	0	10	3	1	0	0	6	2
Elvira	...	...			74	15	0	0	74	15	0	0	0	4	1
Empress of Coolgardie	472	101	19	0	911	415	19	7	1,383	517	18	7	0	7	11
Enterprise	1,120	691	1	18	306	153	6	12	1,426	844	8	6	0	11	20
Forrest King of Coolgardie	697	472	0	0	160	110	0	12	857	582	0	12	0	13	13
Garfield	...	...			40	65	6	0	40	65	6	0	1	12	15
Gem	360	336	10	0	2,656	1,492	19	22	3,016	1,829	2	22	0	12	3
Gem of the Vale	...	...			24	9	7	9	24	9	7	9	0	7	18
Gleeson's Success	143	177	3	0	295	374	11	0	438	551	14	0	1	5	4

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	PREVIOUS TO 1898.				DURING 1898.				TOTALS.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.
COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—*continued.*															
COOLGARDIE DISTRICT—*continued.*															
Glenloth South	329	468	4	0	43	47	0	0	372	515	4	0	1	7	16
Golden Bar	2,055	1,211	17	0	3,453	1,754	2	0	5,508	2,965	19	0	0	10	18
Golden Drop	284	269	4	0	899	540	16	5	1,183	810	0	5	0	13	16
Golden Junction Q.C.	...	...			38	45	10	0	38	45	10	0	1	3	18
Golden Queen	5	16	10	0	288	146	19	21	293	163	9	21	0	11	3
Great Hanover	...	...			110	44	1	0	110	44	1	0	0	8	0
Great Western	...	...			24	16	19	0	24	16	19	0	0	14	3
Herbert Gold	399	390	7	0	245	255	6	0	644	645	7	6	1	0	1
Herbert North	9	16	1	12	79	83	7	3	88	99	8	15	1	2	11
Herbert South	...	...			31	23	5	11	31	23	5	11	0	15	0
Hidden Treasure Q.C....	...	...			17	47	9	0	17	47	9	0	2	15	19
Home Rule	...	...			171	120	18	10	171	120	18	10	0	14	3
Hotspur South	...	...			26	24	16	0	26	24	16	0	0	19	1
Ida May	...	...			10	18	18	0	10	18	18	0	1	17	19
Just in Time	53	37	5	0	182	64	10	0	235	101	15	0	0	8	15
Kerry	...	...			37	5	9	0	37	5	9	0	0	2	22
King's Cross	52	50	16	0	33	39	16	4	85	90	12	4	1	1	7
King's Lynn	10	14	17	0	35	32	9	0	45	47	6	0	1	1	0
King Solomon's	593	1,130	0	4	407	454	4	6	1,000	1,584	4	10	1	11	16
King Solomon South	...	...			5	1	3	0	5	1	3	0	0	4	14
Lady Bell	...	...			50	21	12	0	50	21	12	0	0	8	15
Lady Loch	1,697	5,260	0	0	505	355	9	9	2,202	5,615	9	9	2	11	0
Lady Jeannie	...	...			130	64	5	0	130	64	5	0	0	9	21
Lady Mary	50	15	6	0	31	19	7	0	81	34	13	0	0	8	14
Lady Robinson...	94	49	14	4	86	49	14	4	180	104	17	4	0	11	15
Lily	...	...			260	197	3	12	260	197	3	12	0	15	4
Lindsay Gordon	61	58	18	3	63	26	18	0	124	85	16	3	0	13	20
Lindsay's Consolidated	2,842	1,668	6	17	1,328	930	16	7	4,170	2,599	3	0	0	12	11
Londonderry South Block	1,494	3,623	13	0	3,563	4,094	13	0	5,057	7,718	6	0	1	10	12
Mammoth	...	...			20	13	8	0	20	13	8	0	0	13	9
McPherson's Reward...	697	864	18	4	927	494	8	0	1,624	1,359	6	4	0	16	17
Moon's Coolgardie	...	...			92	32	13	3	92	32	13	3	0	7	2
Mount Annetta	...	...			141	25	6	12	141	25	6	12	0	3	14
Mount Burgess	5,931	5,784	3	13	560	371	18	18	6,491	6,156	2	7	0	18	23
New Australasian	2,791	7,157	4	2	195	1,427	5	12	2,986	8,584	9	14	2	17	11
New Victoria South	1,312	1,268	10	18	987	788	11	14	2,299	2,057	2	8	0	17	21
North Burgess...	203	778	12	0	783	1,984	13	0	986	2,763	5	0	2	16	1
Orchin	...	...			478	129	0	0	478	129	0	0	0	5	9
Pilgrim	...	...			10	10	9	0	10	10	9	0	1	0	21
Princess Midas	...	...			19	14	19	0	19	14	19	0	0	15	5
Queen's Reign...	...	...			2	0	17	0	2	0	17	0	0	8	12
Queen of Sheba	...	...			25	5	4	20	25	5	4	20	0	4	4
Red Hill	...	...			542	1,620	18	22	542	1,620	18	22	2	19	19
Rising Sun	...	...			⅕	15	0	0	⅕	15	0	0			
Richmond Consolidated	...	...			219	270	3	8	219	270	3	8	1	4	17
Rome Consolidated	...	...			30	10	4	12	30	10	4	12	0	6	19
Rose Hill United	...	...			364	185	1	20	364	185	1	20	0	10	4
Royal Tar	50	2	11	15	72	36	13	3	122	39	4	18	0	6	10
Sam's Wealth of Nations	47	10	0	0	26	10	0	0	73	20	0	0	0	5	11
Sherlaw Gold Mines	2,111	1,162	10	12	2,641	1,853	8	0	4,752	3,015	18	12	0	12	16
Smith's Find	...	...			21	80	8	0	21	80	8	0	3	16	13
St. George	...	...			61	89	10	0	61	89	10	0	1	9	8
Steadman's Choice	...	...			10	1	13	0	10	1	13	0	0	3	7
Telluride King	...	...			25	30	17	20	25	30	17	20	1	4	17
Tindal's Coolgardie	550	246	19	0	3,002	836	17	10	3,552	1,083	16	10	0	6	2
Tindal's Central	20	11	8	0	156	65	13	10	176	77	1	10	0	8	18
Tindal's Consols	...	...			172	42	17	0	172	42	17	0	0	4	23
United Brothers	...	...			56	32	1	0	56	32	1	0	0	11	10
Union Jack	300	340	15	0	178	181	14	18	478	522	9	18	1	1	21
Vale of Coolgardie	2,642	3,506	3	22	2,165	1,527	14	6	4,807	5,033	18	4	1	0	22
Valentine	...	...			18	2	12	0	18	2	12	0	0	2	20
Victoria Cross	...	...			11	2	6	0	11	2	6	0	0	4	4
Westralia and East Extension	7,787	8,289	15	12	22,615	13,813	3	23	30,402	22,102	19	11	0	14	12
Webster's Success	...	...			12	4	7	0	12	4	7	0	0	7	6
Other Leases	6,271	4,772	1	1	...	...			6,271	4,772	1	1	0	15	5
Total for Coolgardie District	68,746	112,623	8	7	78,367	75,557	16	23	147,113	188,181	5	6	1	5	4
KUNANALLING DISTRICT.															
Admiral Dewey	...	...			26	36	9	0	26	36	9	0	1	8	0
Bantam	...	...			30	33	8	6	30	33	8	6	1	1	21
Big Blow	...	...			188	152	11	4	188	152	11	4	0	16	6

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.		During 1898.		Totals.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	ozs. dwt. grs.
COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—*continued.*							
Kunanalling District—*continued.*							
Blackett's Gold Mines	334	318 5 13	479	255 19 0	813	574 4 13	0 14 0
Brevier	70	33 0 0	34	17 5 12	104	50 5 12	0 9 14
British Lion	...	...	34	57 18 0	34	57 18 0	1 14 1
Broncho...	...	...	40	17 13 4	40	17 13 4	0 8 19
Castle Hill	...	...	101	143 12 0	101	143 12 0	1 8 10
Castle View East	...	...	153	73 16 16	153	73 16 16	0 9 16
Central Wealth of Nations	...	...	229	193 16 20	229	193 16 20	0 16 22
City of London	406	486 17 0	313	186 0 11	719	672 17 11	0 18 17
Corneuba	...	...	12	6 0 0	12	6 0 0	0 10 0
Daddy	...	...	50	33 15 0	50	33 15 0	0 13 12
Daisy Bell	...	...	100	79 14 0	100	79 14 0	0 15 20
Dark Horse and Holland's Reward... ...	1	186 6 0	4	123 1 19	5	309 7 19	
Daybreak	28	42 10 0	25	50 7 0	53	92 17 0	1 14 17
Emu	...	...	102	146 16 9	102	146 16 9	1 8 18
Empress of the Jourdies	...	...	44	15 4 0	44	15 4 0	0 6 23
Victor	8	112 0 0	74	279 2 12	82	391 2 12	4 15 5
Fair Adelaide	10	16 0 0	8	7 9 0	18	23 9 0	1 6 1
Fitzroy	...	...	58	17 11 21	58	17 11 21	0 6 0
Fremantle Consolidated	40	243 10 0	94	137 0 0	134	380 10 0	2 16 19
Glenmore	...	...	99	169 17 0	99	169 17 0	1 14 11
Golden Crest	10	5 0 0	568	127 8 15	578	132 8 15	0 4 14
Goulburn Extended	...	...	47	27 11 5	47	27 11 5	0 11 15
Great Dyke and Orizaba Cement Claims ...	3,532	1,110 6 0	5	15 0 0	3,537	1,125 6 0	0 6 8
Great Junction	...	...	114	134 10 0	114	134 10 0	1 3 14
Great Matrix	...	...	62	112 2 20	62	112 2 20	1 16 3
Hands Across the Sea	335	237 18 0	980	765 1 3	1,315	1,002 19 3	0 15 6
Isa Muriel	...	...	287	203 18 0	287	203 18 0	0 14 5
Harp of Erin	...	...	16	7 8 10	16	7 8 10	0 9 6
John Bull	...	...	101	136 16 18	101	136 16 18	1 6 23
John Bull East	...	...	45	95 14 0	45	95 14 0	2 2 12
Kieora	20	134 7 0	8	31 8 0	28	165 15 0	5 16 7
Kinrose	...	...	24	24 9 0	24	24 9 0	1 0 9
Lady Elizabeth	...	...	10	9 5 0	10	9 5 0	0 18 23
Lady Evelyn	10	50 0 0	619	693 4 20	629	743 4 20	1 3 15
Life Boat	...	...	33	13 2 0	33	13 2 0	0 7 22
Lone Hand	80	94 2 12	33	20 8 0	113	114 10 12	1 0 6
Louis D'or Quartz Claim	...	...	11	6 2 0	11	6 2 0	0 11 2
Matrix North	...	...	122	116 0 15	122	116 0 15	0 19 0
Mexico	731	1,542 0 0	780	1,527 15 0	1,511	3,069 15 0	2 0 15
Mexico Extended	...	...	66	37 18 0	66	37 18 0	0 11 11
Mystery...	...	...	33	38 10 23	33	38 10 23	1 3 8
Nil Desperandum	...	...	10	5 0 0	10	5 0 0	0 10 0
Nordenfeldt	231	374 15 0	408	411 18 15	639	786 13 15	1 10 20
Nordenfeldt South	50	92 3 0	123	255 14 0	173	347 17 0	2 0 5
Ora Banda	120	165 15 19	81	69 0 0	201	234 15 19	1 3 7
Ora Banda Extended...	...	...	65	72 0 0	65	72 0 0	1 2 3
Ormuz	36	8 10 0	2,682	2,353 12 0	2,718	2,362 2 0	0 17 9
Palmer	...	...	94	66 13 0	94	66 13 0	0 14 6
Pantomime	...	...	121	128 17 0	121	128 17 0	1 1 7
Perry's Gold Reef	...	...	120	228 10 0	120	228 10 0	1 17 22
Pole	50	89 16 0	390	380 11 3	440	470 7 3	1 1 9
Premier...	7,499	11,209 8 18	9,085	5,863 7 19	16,584	17,072 16 13	1 0 14
Premier South...	69	126 2 0	813	268 19 16	882	395 1 16	0 8 23
Quartz Claim 168	...	...	4	29 0 0	4	29 0 0	8 13 3
Royal Sovereign	2	30 0 0	90	196 7 12	92	226 7 12	2 9 5
Rising Star	...	...	13	13 0 15	13	13 0 15	1 0 1
Sugar Loaf, 25 Mile Cement Leases ...	146	746 12 0	154	385 4 16	300	1,131 16 16	2 18 19
Vincent...	75	44 15 0	21	9 10 0	96	54 5 0	0 11 8
Waverley	20	30 7 0	196	375 19 12	216	406 6 12	1 17 11
W. A. Proprietary Cement Leases	2,362	6,836 0 0	474	300 2 1	2,836	7,136 2 1	2 10 7
Wealth of Nations	...	...	7,715	4,545 18 18	7,715	4,545 18 18	3 15 0
Westralian Premier	...	...	18	126 8 12	18	126 8 12	6 16 16
Zulieka	...	...	318	408 5 0	318	408 5 0	1 5 16
Other Leases	2,582	1,746 13 0	...	...	2,582	1,746 13 0	0 13 12
Total for Kunanalling District ...	18,857	26,112 19 14	29,256	22,903 6 9	48,113	49.016 5 23	1 0 9
GRAND TOTAL FROM COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELDS.							
Coolgardie District	68,746	112,623 8 7	78,366	75,557 16 23	147,112	188,181 5 6	1 5 4
Kunanalling District	18,857	26,112 19 14	29,256	22,903 6 9	48,113	49,016 5 23	1 0 9
Total for Coolgardie Goldfield ...	87,603	138,736 7 21	107,622	98,461 3 8	195,225	237,197 11 5	1 4 6

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from Ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.				During 1898.				Totals.						
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.			Average.		
	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	tons.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.	ozs.	dwt.	grs.
YILGARN GOLDFIELD.															
Central	41,366	21,165	11	9	895	601	11	0	42,261	21,767	2	9	0	10	7
Fraser's	78,675	45,894	3	12	22,900	9,072	6	12	101,575	54,966	10	0	0	10	19
Fraser's South Extended	...	...			120	273	12	0	120	273	12	0	2	5	14
Golden Key Extended	...	...			20	12	11	0	20	12	11	0	0	12	13
Hope's Hill	29,028	10,157	0	0	431	309	11	7	29,459	10,466	11	7	0	7	2
Just-in-Time	...	...			15	23	13	0	15	23	13	0	1	11	12
Mount Jackson Gold Mines	1,875	1,241	2	0	1,255	869	16	18	3,130	2,110	18	18	0	13	11
Mount Rankin	...	...			56	26	13	0	56	26	13	0	0	9	12
Southern Cross-Boulder	...	...			50	10	15	0	50	10	15	0	0	4	7
Tarcoola North	...	...			50	22	13	0	50	22	13	0	0	9	1
Water Trust and Public Crushing Co. of Western Australia	1,044	323	3	0	2,015	546	5	12	3,059	869	8	12	0	5	16
Other Leases	58,925	31,748	5	0	...	...			58,925	31,748	5	0			
Total for Yilgarn Goldfield	210,913	110,529	4	21	27,807	11,769	8	1	238,720	122,298	12	22	0	10	5
DUNDAS GOLDFIELD.															
Ajax, North	...	...			11	11	19	12	11	11	19	12	1	1	18
Albemarle	241	713	2	0	129	128	4	0	370	841	6	0	2	5	11
Albion	$\frac{1}{5}$	23	3	0	12	4	16	0	12	27	19	0	2	5	19
Birthday Gift	55	71	15	0	32	30	16	12	87	102	11	12	1	3	15
Block 14, Proprietary	...	...			17	31	10	10	17	31	10	10	1	17	1
Break-o'-Day	368	1,123	2	0	876	2,109	13	0	1,244	3,232	15	0	2	11	23
Break-o'-Day, South	63	112	5	7	56	139	1	0	119	251	6	7	2	2	5
Buldania Bells	94	196	5	12	50	41	9	13	144	237	15	1	1	12	21
Buldania Proprietary	...	...			18	7	2	9	18	7	2	9	0	7	21
Charlotte Simons	...	...			12	3	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	5	0
Cumberland	361	373	11	15	420	1,520	10	0	781	1,894	1	15	2	8	11
Day Dawn, North	...	...			21	8	15	0	21	8	15	0	0	8	8
Desirable Proprietary	3,716	3,460	11	10	857	163	10	6	4,573	3,624	1	16	0	15	20
Edwards	208	282	4	0	625	995	12	1	833	1,277	16	1	1	10	16
Edinburgh Castle	10	6	13	3	35	11	6	19	45	17	19	22	0	8	1
Empire	15	3	2	0	31	6	0	13	46	9	2	13	0	3	23
Federal	...	...			40	6	0	0	40	6	0	0	0	3	0
Four Jolly Smiths	...	...			37	13	4	12	37	13	4	12	0	7	3
Gift	...	...			196	81	13	12	196	81	13	12	0	8	8
Golden Allie	...	...			6	2	3	0	6	2	3	0	0	6	21
Iona	...	...			45	9	10	0	45	9	10	0	0	4	6
Jessie Margaret	...	...			24	4	0	0	24	4	0	0	0	3	8
John Bull	...	...			314	315	3	0	314	315	3	0	1	0	1
Just-in-Time	...	...			30	2	0	0	30	2	0	0	0	1	8
Central Wealth Consolidated Goldfields ...	...	...			735	927	7	0	735	927	7	0	1	5	5
Kirkpatrick, Mt. Benson	...	...			200	297	5	20	200	297	5	20	1	9	17
Klondyke	...	...			15	11	5	0	15	11	5	0	0	15	0
Kyneton	...	...			12	5	8	0	12	5	8	0	0	9	0
Lady Mary	...	...			3,800	4,918	5	0	3,800	4,918	5	0	1	5	21
Lady Mary, South	...	...			80	96	6	0	80	96	6	0	1	4	1
Lady Helen	...	...			6	3	14	12	6	3	14	12	0	12	10
Lily	...	...			278	123	10	0	278	123	10	0	0	8	21
Lucky Hit	...	...			63	26	8	0	63	26	8	0	0	8	9
Magill	25	26	0	0	50	25	3	14	75	51	3	14	0	13	15
Mararoa	...	...			279	179	15	0	279	179	15	0	0	12	20
Mawson's Reward	1,568	1,198	15	16	118	63	10	20	1,686	1,262	6	12	0	14	23
Middleton	...	...			23	3	15	0	23	3	15	0	0	3	6
Little Wonder	316	358	5	3	...	17	12	0	316	375	17	3	1	3	18
Mt. Benson	30	16	10	0	70	33	11	0	100	50	1	0	0	10	0
Mt. Barker Reward	...	...			20	9	0	0	20	9	0	0	0	9	5
Mt. Benson Extended	612	546	3	12	1,867	1,459	6	0	2,479	2,005	9	12	0	16	4
Mt. Barker, No. 2 North	...	...			58	10	16	0	58	10	16	0	0	3	17
No. 1 North Norseman	501	509	1	0	1,182	539	0	0	1,683	1,048	1	0	0	12	10
New Ophir	...	...			38	24	16	0	38	24	16	0	0	13	1
Norseman Gold Mines	2,499	2,854	13	14	9,584	10,148	5	14	12,083	13,002	19	4	1	1	12
Norseman G.M. Co.	328	130	14	0	128	40	0	17	456	170	14	17	0	7	11
Princess of the West	33	25	1	14	64	57	9	20	97	82	11	0	0	17	2
Princess Royal	2,094	5,229	1	0	6,136	10,490	6	23	8,230	15,719	7	23	1	18	4
Queen of the West	...	...			119	255	7	12	119	255	7	12	2	2	22
Royal Dane	78	26	6	0	250	45	19	0	328	72	5	0	0	4	9
Scotia	...	...			70	31	10	16	70	31	10	16	0	9	0
St. Agnes Gold Reefs	430	329	13	0	1,080	593	16	0	1,510	923	9	0	0	12	4
St. Agnes No. 2 North	61	55	1	0	48	37	8	0	109	92	9	0	0	17	0
St. Patrick	...	...			136	68	9	14	136	68	9	14	0	10	1
Southern Cross	...	...			40	6	5	0	40	6	5	0	0	3	3

No. 12.—*Particulars of the Gold Production from ore of those Mines, etc.*—continued.

	Previous to 1898.		During 1898.		Totals.		
	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Ore Treated.	Gold Yield.	Average.
	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons	ozs. dwt. grs.	tons.	ozs. dwt. grs.	ozs. dwt. grs.
			DUNDAS GOLDFIELD—*continued.*				
Three Colonies	240	169 17 0	32	13 0 0	272	182 17 0	0 13 10
Three Kingdoms	63	11 3 0	30	13 3 0	93	24 6 0	0 5 5
Two in the Bush	...	...	69	35 12 16	69	35 12 16	0 10 7
Union	289	207 9 0	196	50 7 0	485	257 16 0	0 10 15
Waratah	16	5 0 0	90	79 6 6	106	84 6 6	0 15 21
Waverley	1	2 10 0	25	3 0 0	26	5 10 0	0 4 5
Small parcels crushed at Bevilaqua's Battery	152	63 15 0	...	356 10 3	152	420 5 3	2 15 2
Quartz Claim	...	...	15	8 4 17	15	8 4 17	0 5 8
Do.	...	...	8	3 18 21	8	3 18 21	0 9 20
Do.	...	...	1	18 4 12	1	18 4 12	...
Agnes Roberts Quartz Claim	...	...	7	7 9 12	7	7 9 12	1 1 8
Tiara Quartz Claim	...	...	6	5 0 8	6	5 0 8	0 16 17
Wilgena Quartz Claim	...	...	6	1 6 0	6	1 6 0	0 4 8
Other Leases	4,436	5,055 4 0	...	...	4,436	5,055 4 0	1 2 19
Total for Dundas Goldfield ...	19,903	23,185 18 10	30,928	36,792 17 14	50,832	59,978 16 0	1 3 14
			* DONNYBROOK.				
Bullington	...	...	8	5 3 0	8	5 3 0	0 12 21
Hunter and Party	...	...	10	9 10 0	10	9 10 0	0 19 0
Total for Donnybrook	...	...	18	14 13 0	18	14 13 0	0 16 6

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* Not a proclaimed goldfield.

No. 13.—*Amount of Gold produced from Specimens, and by Dollying, from those Mines which yielded Gold during 1898.*

	ozs.	dwts.	grs.
PILBARRA GOLDFIELD.			
Pillindinni	82	0	0
Not known (Smith)	20	0	0
Total	102	0	0
ASHBURTON GOLDFIELD.			
Reward Claim No. 2	20	0	0
„ No. 14	46	0	0
Total	66	0	0
GASCOYNE GOLDFIELD.			
From Brown Hill District	13	10	0
PEAK HILL GOLDFIELD.			
Brilliant Central	41	10	0
„ Extended	20	15	0
Glenrowan	2	11	0
Peak Hill Goldfields Limited, ore	200	0	0
Found on Crown Lands by Rodgers and party	104	0	0
Total	368	16	0
EAST MURCHISON GOLDFIELD.			
Ironclad	148	6	6
King of the Hills	3	0	0
Lass o' Gowrie	2	10	0
Lawless	497	18	0
Miner's Right	43	7	0
Pascoe Pride	15	0	0
Rise and Shine	70	0	0
St. George	299	9	0
Sundry parcels from various claims	35	15	0
Total	1115	5	6
MURCHISON GOLDFIELD.			
CUE DISTRICT.			
New Eldorado	18	0	0
From various sources	266	0	0
NANNINE DISTRICT.			
Douglass Boulder	233	12	0
Lady Eva	19	18	0
Manchester	13	12	10
DAY DAWN DISTRICT.			
Groper	35	11	13
New Caledonia	6	3	0
Smith's United	4	0	0
Von Moltke	2	18	7
MOUNT MAGNET DISTRICT.			
Christmas Gift	57	10	0
Federation	51	1	0
Havela	85	8	20
Johnston's Treasure	11	8	0
Klondyke	29	13	0
Lady Maud	5	0	0
Quartz Claim No. 12, M	5	10	0
Sampey's Hidden Secret	2	17	0
Secret	23	1	8
Star of the West	17	0	0
Surprise	38	7	0
Welcome	190	10	0
Windsor Castle	2	1	0
Total	1119	2	10
MOUNT MARGARET GOLDFIELD.			
MOUNT MALCOLM DISTRICT.			
East Lynne	1	0	4
King of the Hills	278	0	0
Wonder	58	10	12
MOUNT MARGARET DISTRICT.			
Crescent	50	3	0
Total	387	13	16
NORTH COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.			
ULLARING DISTRICT.			
Big Buck	3	6	2
Golden Vale	12	12	0
Lady Gladys	186	0	0
„ „ Junction	2	4	18
Lady Kate	46	7	12
NIAGARA DISTRICT.			
Ballarat	8	0	0
Princess Melita	8	2	0
Redbank	6	0	0
YERILLA DISTRICT.			
Burgess' Luck	460	0	0
Keep it Dark	119	10	0
Lady Ethel	5	0	0
La Tosca	9	0	0
Queen of the Earth	58	4	0
Total	924	6	8
BROAD ARROW GOLDFIELD.			
Devon Consols	8	10	6
Mount Pleasant	31	9	6
Ophir	40	0	0
Reform	26	6	0
Star of W.A.	136	12	0
Tapio	27	11	0
Sundry parcels treated at Hannan's Reward	109	15	0
„ „ „ Lake View South	563	4	5
„ „ „ Seabrook	810	12	12
Total	1754	0	5
NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.			
KANOWNA DISTRICT.			
Rose's Find	6	10	0
Whitehead's Find	22	0	0
BULONG DISTRICT.			
White Horse	801	1	0
Ninety Eight	70	0	0
Sundry Claims	64	19	0
KURNALPI DISTRICT.			
Hayden's Hope	44	12	0
Mountain Maid and Iron Prince	106	9	12
Total	1115	11	12
EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.			
Maritana South	148	0	0
COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD.			
COOLGARDIE DISTRICT.			
Condenser King	2	9	10
King's Cross	8	10	0
Red Hill Syndicate	757	1	5
Valentine	16	0	0
KUNANALLING DISTRICT.			
Central Wealth of Nations	119	18	12
Dark Horse and Holland's Reward	154	0	0
Fremantle Consolidated	7	0	0
Quartz Claim 16S	94	0	0
Total	1158	19	3
DUNDAS GOLDFIELD.			
Quartz Claim	5	12	0
Grand Total for 1898	8278	16	12

MINERALS OTHER THAN GOLD.

No. 14.—*Number and Area of Mineral Leases in force at the end of 1898, and the Quantity and Value of Ore or Minerals exported.*

Nature of Ore or Mineral raised.	Mining District.	1898.				Previous to 1898.	
		No. of Leases.	Area of Leases.	Quantity of Mineral Exported.	Value.	Quantity of Mineral Exported.	Value.
			acres.	tons.	£	tons.	£
Diamonds	Pilbarra	8	1,120				
Copper	North Coolgardie... ...	1	12	‡355	4,266	‡10,330	162,578
Do.	Broad Arrow	1	20				
Do.	West Pilbarra	14	420				
Do.	Mt. Margaret	2	60				
Do.	Yalgoo	2	80				
Do.	Northampton	1	40				
Iron	West Pilbarra	3	60				
Do.	Yilgarn	1	160				
Coal	Coolgardie...	1	22				
Do.	Collie	68	21,213	1	1		
Quicksilver	East Coolgardie ...	2	128				
Asbestos	East Coolgardie	2	120				
Do.	Broad Arrow	3	60				
Do.	Gascoyne	1	10				
Do.	Murchison...	1	15				
Mica	Coolgardie	3	32	...	...	...	241
Slate	Do.	1	10				
Stone	Do.	8	44				
Do.	East Coolgardie	9	98				
Do.	North-East Coolgardie ...	3	27				
Do.	Murchison	1	6				
Lime	Coolgardie	1	20				
Do.	East Coolgardie	5	40				
Do.	Broad Arrow	1	24				
Do.	West Pilbarra	1	25				
Do.	Dundas	1	6				
Do.	East Murchison	1	1				
Lead	West Pilbarra	1	15				
Do.	Northampton	34	510	‡5	33	*‡33,594	364,380
Do.	Yandinooka	2	40				
Copper, Lead and Silver ...	Northampton	4	118				
Various Minerals	Coolgardie	6	110				
Do. do.	East Coolgardie	5	80				
Tin	Greenbushes†	2	40	‡68	2,760	‡1,670	73,465
Clay for Brickmaking... ...	Coolgardie	3	64				
Do. do.	East Coolgardie	17	164				
Do. do.	Broad Arrow	1	6				
Do. do.	North-East Coolgardie ...	2	9				
Do. do.	Murchison	1	5				
Do. do.	East Murchison	2	3				
	Total ...	226	25,037				

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* Also 606½ tons of Pig Lead, value £12,229. † In addition, there are a large number of "Claims" (4 chains by 4 chains) taken up under the "Mineral Lands Act." ‡ Tons of ore.

Part VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 15.—*Production of the Copper, Tin, Lead, and Coal Mines for the Year 1898.*

Electorate.	Leases from which Returns were received.		Average number of men employed on the Mines, 1898.	Quantity of Mineral raised.	Estimated value of machinery.
	No.	Acres.		Tons. cwts. qrs. lbs.	£ s. d.
COPPER ORE.					
DeGrey	2	340	58	6,085 0 0 0	
Murchison	2	506	63	59 10 0 0	
Irwin	1	20	5	20 0 0 0	
Total	5	866	126	6,164 10 0 0	
TIN ORE.					
Nelson	10	...	33	82 18 2 12	233 0 0
LEAD ORE.					
Murchison	1	5	8	15 0 0 0	
COAL.					
Wellington	3	12,520	99	3,250 0 0 0	4,100 0 0

No. 16.—*Weekly Wages paid in connection with Mining and Extraction of Gold and other Minerals during the Year 1898.*

Occupations.	W. Pilbarra.	Murchison.	E. Murchison.	Yalgoo.	Peak Hill.	Mt. Margaret.	N. Coolgardie.	Broad Arrow.	N.-E. Coolgardie.	E. Coolgardie.	Coolgardie.	Yilgarn.	Dundas.	Donnybrook.	Collie Coalfields.	Northampton.
Assayers and Metallurgists—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Highest	5 0 0	10 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0	9 12 3	6 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	..	6 0 0
Lowest	...	6 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	...	3 16 11	4 10 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...
Average	5 0 0	8 0 0	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	6 14 7	...	6 0 0	7 10 0	7 10 0	...	4 0 0	...	...	...
Accountants—																
Highest	3 10 0	8 0 0	9 4 6	6 0 0	8 0 0	...	9 12 3	6 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 5 0	...	4 0 0
Lowest	...	4 0 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	...	3 16 11	5 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...
Average	3 10 0	5 0 0	...	5 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	5 15 4	5 0 0	5 10 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	4 10 0	...	...	...
Clerks and Office Assistants—																
Highest	3 10 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	3 16 11	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	...	...
Lowest	...	3 0 0	4 10 0	3 0 0	...	...	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 10 0	...	...
Average	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	3 10 0	4 0 0	6 0 0	3 7 3	3 10 0	3 15 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	2 15 0	3 6 0	...	...
Men in charge of Batteries—																
Highest	4 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	6 18 4	6 0 0	7 0 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	...	...
Lowest	...	6 0 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	...	5 0 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...
Average	4 0 0	6 5 0	...	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 7 0	5 11 6	4 10 0	5 10 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	...	4 0 0	...	...	...
Working Miners—																
Highest	3 10 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 13 4	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	...	3 0 0
Lowest	...	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 15 0	2 8 0	...	2 10 0
Average	3 10 0	4 0 0	...	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 10 0	3 15 0	...	...	...	3 15 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 15 0
Timber-men—																
Highest	4 0 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	5 5 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	...	3 0 0
Lowest	...	3 10 0	4 10 0	3 0 0	...	4 18 0	...	...	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 10 0
Average	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	3 10 0	4 10 0	...	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 15 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	...	2 14 0	2 15 0
Battery Feeders—																
Highest	3 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	4 13 4	3 7 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	...	2 8 0	...	...
Lowest	...	3 0 0	...	2 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 3 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	...
Average	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 7 0	...	3 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engine-drivers—																
Highest	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	5 5 0	4 5 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	...	3 10 0
Lowest	...	4 0 0	...	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	4 5 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	2 10 0
Average	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	...	4 5 0	4 0 0	4 7 6	...	...	...	4 0 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0
Blacksmiths—																
Highest	4 0 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 5 0	4 16 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	4 10 0	3 12 0	...	3 10 0
Lowest	...	4 0 0	...	4 0 0	4 10 0	...	...	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 6 0	...	...	..	...
Average	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 15 0	...	...	...	4 5 0	...	...	...	4 10 0	...	2 14 0	3 10 0
Carpenters—																
Highest	4 0 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	4 0 0	3 0 0	...	3 10 0
Lowest	...	4 0 0	...	3 10 0	...	...	4 5 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...
Average	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	3 15 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 6	...	4 5 0	...	...	3 12 0	4 0 0	...	3 6 0	3 10 0
Firemen—																
Highest	4 0 0	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	4 1 8	3 10 9	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...
Lowest	...	...	...	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	3 3 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 2 0	...
Average	4 0 0	...	3 10 0	3 5 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 6 6	...	...	3 6 0	3 10 0	...	...	...
Carters—																
Highest	3 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 9	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	2 8 0	...	2 10 0
Lowest	...	3 0 0	...	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	...
Average	3 0 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	4 0 0	...	...	3 10 0	3 15 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	...	...	2 10 0
General Labourers—																
Highest	3 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 7 3	3 10 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 8 0	...	2 8 0
Lowest	...	3 0 0	...	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	3 3 0	..	...	...	...	2 2 0	...	...
Average	3 0 0	3 5 0	3 10 0	3 5 0	3 10 0	...	...	3 10 0	3 6 6	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 14 0	2 8 0
Truckers and Wheelers—																
Highest	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 14 0	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0
Lowest	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	...	...	2 2 0	...
Average	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0
Boys—																
Average	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 13 10	...	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	...	...

No. 17.—*Mining Revenue for 1898.*

GOLDFIELD OR DISTRICT.	Lease Rental under Mineral Lands Act.	Other Sources under Mineral Lands Act.	Lease Rental under Goldfields Act.	Other Sources under Goldfields Act.	Survey Fees.	Examination Fees.	Exemption Fees.	Receipts from other Sources.	Receipts from Public Batteries.	TOTAL.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kimberley	...	...	13 0 0	58 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	71 1 0
Pilbarra	70 0 0	5 5 0	982 18 0	571 9 6	541 10 0	29 0 0	253 9 0	2 9 0	...	2,456 0 6
West Pilbarra	110 6 3	27 0 0	93 8 0	155 2 0	109 8 0	7 10 0	127 7 0	2 18 0	...	632 19 3
Ashburton	...	...	27 14 0	35 10 0	2 0 0	...	4 4 0	0 2 0	...	69 10 0
Gascoyne	...	...	50 16 0	49 9 6	21 10 0	...	10 9 0	0 2 0	...	132 6 6
Peak Hill	...	1 0 0	921 15 0	446 7 0	369 0 0	8 10 0	67 4 0	1 11 0	...	1,815 7 0
East Murchison	0 15 0	2 5 0	1,338 6 0	599 8 6	346 18 0	39 0 0	283 18 0	2 14 0	...	2,613 4 6
Murchison	3 2 6	11 0 0	3,413 16 0	1,761 7 6	708 15 8	130 2 6	779 3 0	11 4 6	...	6,818 11 8
Yalgoo	22 10 0	16 10 0	615 16 0	214 2 6	131 7 6	20 10 0	241 10 0	0 8 0	...	1,262 14 0
Mount Margaret	...	...	3,852 12 0	1,189 2 0	1,499 0 0	46 0 0	466 8 0	2 7 0	...	7,055 9 0
North Coolgardie	6 15 0	8 0 0	4,336 16 6	1,590 9 3	1,372 17 6	58 0 0	705 9 0	10 11 0	...	8,088 18 3
Broad Arrow	5 0 0	2 0 0	2,032 3 0	844 2 0	357 0 0	71 10 0	577 18 0	1 3 0	...	3,890 16 0
North-East Coolgardie	2 7 6	4 0 0	2,861 18 0	3,447 17 1	807 0 0	...	834 8 0	16 4 0	...	7,973 14 7
East Coolgardie	31 13 9	13 0 0	6,201 3 0	3,334 16 0	579 15 0	376 0 0	2,088 10 0	21 4 0	...	12,646 1 9
Coolgardie	19 1 3	8 0 0	4,093 3 0	1,738 10 0	985 10 0	225 18 5	1,122 5 0	38 18 0	...	8,231 5 8
Yilgarn	...	7 10 0	345 7 0	164 8 6	67 0 0	...	137 19 0	6 18 6	...	729 3 0
Dundas	1 2 6	2 5 0	1,466 10 0	731 8 6	370 16 0	49 10 0	318 13 0	0 19 0	303 10 3	3,244 14 3
Collie Coalfield	206 13 6	75 2 6	...	...	95 18 0	4 10 0	146 18 0	0 10 0	...	529 12 0
Northampton	141 3 9	89 10 6	...	...	50 10 0	...	131 18 0	1 10 0	...	414 12 3
Greenbushes Tinfield, Head Office, and other places outside Goldfields and Mining Districts	185 10 0	163 4 0	8,043 1 6	1,874 14 8	172 15 0	...	128 17 0	48 4 6	...	10,616 6 8
Total	806 1 0	435 12 0	40,690 3 0	18,806 5 6	8,588 10 8	1,066 0 11	8,426 7 0	169 17 6	303 10 3	79,292 7 10

No. 18.—*Dividends (from Gold won) paid by Western Australian Gold Mines up to 31st December, 1898.*

Goldfield.	Mining Company.	When Registered.	Par Value of Shares.	Paid up to.	Nominal Capital.	Shares Issued.	Dividends.									
							1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Total.
					£											
Murchison	Morning Star G.M. Co.	18-9-94	20s.	13s. 10d.	45,000	45,000	...	...	...	...	...	5,625	937	7,499	...	14,061
Do.	Murchison Proprietary G.M. Co. ...	18-9-94	...	...	...	640	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	672	160	832
Do.	Day Dawn G.M. Co.	5-7-99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,750	...	2,750
Do.	Victory, United G.M. Co.	14-8-94	10s.	7s. 6d.	40,000	80,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	...	2,000	4,000
Do.	Star of the East G.M. Co.	11-1-99	20s.	...	80,000	80,000	...	...	...	...	10,000	2,000	...	...	...	12,000
East Murchison ...	East Murchison United	27-3-96	20s.	20s.	150,000	150,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,500	15,000	22,500
Peak Hill	Peak Hill Goldfields Co.	8-9-98	20s.	20s.	250,000	250,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30,666	30,666
Mount Margaret ...	Australia United G.M. Co.	18-11-96	20s.	20s.	100,000	90,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,500	4,500
North Coolgardie ...	Lady Shenton G.M. Co.	5-1-95	20s.	20s.	160,000	160,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,000	40,000	64,000
Do.	Queensland Menzies G.M. Co. ...	25-10-95	5s.	4s. 6d.	33,000	132,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,400	9,900	36,300
Do.	Menzies Gold Reef Co.	23-9-95	20s.	20s.	175,000	173,811	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,381	...	17,381
North-East Coolgardie	White Feather Main Reefs Co. ...	15-7-98	20s.	20s.	160,000	140,557	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,523	10,523
Do.	Robinson Gold Mines	1-5-95	20s.	20s.	80,000	79,164	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,905	...	7,905
East Coolgardie ...	Associated G.M. of W.A.	14-5-95	20s.	17s. 6d.	500,000	450,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90,000	90,000
Do.	Great Boulder Main Reef G.M. Co.	18-4-96	10s.	10s.	130,000	260,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,000	12,000
Do.	Do. Perseverance G.M. Co.	14-7-96	20s.	20s.	175,000	175,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35,000	...	35,000
Do.	Do. Proprietary G.M. Co.	18-2-95	2s.	2s.	175,000	1,750,000	...	...	...	...	...	48,000	144,000	160,000	200,000	552,000
Do.	Hannan's Brown Hill G.M. Co. ...	12-1-95	20s.	20s.	140,000	140,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42,500	31,875	74,375
Do.	Ivanhoe Corporation	7-12-97	£5	£5	1,000,000	200,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,250	12,500	50,000	68,750
Do.	Lake View Consols G.M. Co. ...	8-7-96	20s.	20s.	250,000	250,000	...	...	...	...	...	5,000	...	125,000	125,000	255,000
Do.	North Boulder G.M. Co.	4-3-97	10s.	10s.	110,000	220,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,500	...	7,500
Coolgardie	Burbanks Birthday Gift G.M. Co. ...	7-12-95	20s.	20s.	150,000	150,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,750	7,500	22,250
Do.	Premier G.M. Co.	20-2-94	20s.	12s. 9d.	50,000	50,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,000	5,375	...	10,375
Do.	Bayley's Reward G.M. Co.	2-5-94	20s.	20s.	480,000	480,000	...	...	...	30,600	96,000	...	...	...	...	126,600
Do.	Mount Burgess G.M. Co.	10-12-96	20s.	19s.	80,000	45,147	...	...	...	...	...	2,667	...	...	...	2,667
Yilgarn	Fraser's G.M. Co.	16-5-89	25s.	22s. 2d.	78,125	62,500	1,250	1,875	1,875	1,250	2,916	1,667	8,125	6,250	...	25,208
Do.	Fraser's South G.M. Co.	30-5-95	20s.	18s. 3d.	100,000	100,000	...	...	...	2,500	1,250	3,750	...	...	...	7,500
Do.	Central G.M. Co.	14-8-88	20s.	20s.	100,000	100,000	...	3,451	...	...	476	5,474	1,904	...	...	11,305
Dundas	Princess Royal G.M. Co.	13-5-96	10s.	*	40,000	80,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,000	16,000	20,000
Do.	Lady Mary G.M.	18-2-96	10s.	9s.	30,000	60,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,000	6,000
Total ...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,250	5,326	1,875	34,350	110,642	74,183	216,216	506,982	601,124	1,553,948

* 45,000 Shares up to 6s. 6d. and 35,000 up to 10s.

No. 19.—*Gold Production of the World, compiled mainly from Official Returns, from 1889 to 1898 inclusive.* (*See Diagrams Nos. 3 and 4.*)

	1889.		1890.		1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.	
	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£
Western Australia ...	15,493	58,871	22,806	86,664	30,310	115,183	59,549	226,284	110,892	421,385	207,130	787,099
Victoria	614,839	2,459,356	588,561	2,354,244	576,400	2,305,600	654,456	2,617,828	671,126	2,684,504	716,954	2,694,720
Queensland	739,103	2,586,860	610,587	2,137,054	576,439	2,017,336	615,558	2,154,453	616,940	2,159,290	679,511	2,378,289
New South Wales ...	119,759	434,070	127,760	460,285	153,336	558,306	156,870	569,178	179,288	651,286	324,787	1,156,717
New Zealand	197,492	785,490	187,641	751,360	251,161	1,007,172	237,393	951,963	227,502	915,921	221,614	887,839
South Australia ...	24,081	84,644	28,419	101,332	35,533	125,529	38,277	135,325	34,538	120,671	40,448	142,793
Tasmania	32,333	119,702	23,451	87,114	39,203	149,816	45,110	174,070	37,230	145,875	58,059	225,485
New Guinea	3,850	14,387	3,470	12,440	2,426	8,371	1,235	4,322	592	2,236	1,128	3,906
South African Republic	421,032	1,490,568	534,610	1,869,645	833,632	2,924,305	1,325,394	4,541,071	1,610,335	5,480,498	2,239,865	7,667,152
Gold Coast	28,667	103,201	25,460	91,657	24,475	88,112	27,446	98,806	21,972	79,099	21,332	76,796
Natal	350	1,362	276	1,074	124	483	59	230	48	187	66	257
Rhodesia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cape Colony	450	1,755	450	1,755	1,055	4,115	661	2,578	509	1,985	286	1,115
Madagascar	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...
United States ...	1,587,000	6,742,035	1,588,880	6,751,049	1,604,840	6,819,116	1,596,375	6,783,145	1,739,323	7,390,545	1,910,813	8,119,219
Canada	62,658	266,494	55,625	236,579	45,022	191,484	43,908	186,749	42,247	200,947	54,605	232,240
Mexico	43,444	184,507	44,487	188,936	58,437	248,182	68,207	289,675	80,601	342,312	78,996	335,496
Central America ...	*d* 7,266	30,868	*d* 7,266	30,868	*d* 7,909	33,590	*d* 7,909	33,590	*d* 7,909	33,590	*d* 22,762	96,670
Argentina	*d* 1,511	6,417	*d* 3,954	16,793	*d* 3,954	16,793	*d* 3,954	16,793	*d* 6,783	28,807	*d* 4,597	19,533
Brazil	*d* 21,540	91,480	*d* 21,540	91,480	*d* 21,187	89,981	*d* 21,187	89,981	*d* 42,052	178,595	*d* 107,349	455,911
Bolivia	*d* 3,119	13,246	*d* 3,119	13,246	*d* 3,247	13,790	*d* 3,247	13,790	*d* 3,247	13,790	*d* 3,241	13,764
Chili	*a* 20,000	84,940	*b* 21,386	90,826	*b* 19,290	81,926	*b* 30,687	130,327	*b* 24,221	92,866	*b* 47,434	201,452
Columbia	*d* 165,926	704,688	*d* 174,124	739,505	*d* 167,952	713,505	*d* 167,952	713,505	*d* 139,949	594,363	*d* 139,949	594,363
Ecuador	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*d* 2,540	10,833	*d* 3,311	14,250
Guiana, British ...	29,021	103,024	61,205	217,278	101,974	362,008	131,426	466,562	142,636	506,358	130,792	464,312
Do. Dutch ...	20,738	73,640	26,182	92,972	18,802	66,764	26,382	93,684	27,895	99,056	24,969	88,666
Do. French ...	48,119	173,955	43,152	156,073	48,590	177,072	47,659	174,881	47,919	176,291	155,477	570,376
Peru	*d* 4,694	19,935	*d* 4,694	19,935	*d* 3,633	15,429	5,755	24,441	*d* 3,536	15,017	*d* 3,601	15,293
Uruguay	4,469	11,757	6,655	18,497	6,816	19,307	3,890	11,412	3,279	9,676	1,093	3,264
Venezuela	88,834	232,117	97,095	352,017	49,050	188,352	46,560	170,469	47,950	185,217	57,380	211,163
Austria-Hungary ...	71,636	249,373	69,207	249,994	47,988	176,645	52,095	188,496	55,723	236,707	89,623	382,626
Germany	55,212	234,502	73,197	310,868	78,027	331,381	81,968	348,118	81,880	347,744	102,851	436,808
Italy	6,945	29,495	6,623	28,128	9,131	38,779	10,610	45,061	11,638	47,651	11,220	49,427
Norway	599	1,817	726	2,384	354	1,322	520	2,010	335	1,211	56	193
Russia *e*	1,065,167	4,523,764	1,135,263	4,821,461	1,118,845	4,751,734	1,220,578	5,183,796	1,275,862	5,418,586	1,218,063	5,173,116
Sweden	2,366	10,048	2,818	11,968	3,523	14,962	2,817	11,964	3,002	12,750	3,010	12,783
United Kingdom ...	3,890	13,227	206	675	4,007	13,700	2,835	10,511	2,309	8,691	4,235	14,811
China	*c* 435,375	1,849,037	*c* 257,843	1,095,059	*c* 214,376	910,455	*c*375,962	1,596,710	345,772	1,468,491	480,929	2,042,509
India	80,026	311,462	105,899	412,159	131,773	512,859	160,527	624,771	203,144	790,637	204,916	797,533
Japan	24,709	103,721	23,632	99,155	22,548	94,697	21,540	90,070	24,150	102,140	25,553	103,576
Korea	...	...	*c* 36,265	154,017	*c* 36,265	154,017	*c* 36,265	154,017	*c* 28,420	120,700	29,659	93,409
Dutch East Indies ...	3,794	16,113	1,993	8,464	3,022	12,834	3,151	13,382	4,372	18,568	3,601	15,294
Straits Settlement ...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	*f*	...	13,471	44,004
Total	6,055,507	24,221,928	6,026,527	24,165,010	6,354,656	25,355,012	7,335,974	28,944,018	7,909,666	31,115,076	9,444,736	36,624,229

a. Estimated. *b*. Gold bullion exported, *vide* "The Mineral Industry." *c*. From "The Mineral Industry." *d*. From United States Mint Reports. *e*. The figures for Russia here given are taken from official sources up to the year 1896 inclusive. Those in the diagram, which were previously compiled, are from other sources. *f*. No Reports for these years.

No. 19.—*Gold Production of the World from 1889 to 1898 inclusive*—continued.

	1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.		Total for ten years.	
	ounces.	£	ounces.	£	ounces.	£	ounces.	£	Total ounces.	Total value in £ sterling.
Western Australia	231,513	879,748	281,265	1,068,808	674,994	2,564,977	1,050,183	3,990,697	2,684,135	10,199,716
Victoria	740,086	2,960,344	805,087	3,220,348	812,766	3,251,064	837,258	3,349,032	7,017,533	27,897,040
Queensland	631,682	2,210,887	640,385	2,241,347	729,469	2,553,141	920,048	2,750,349	6,759,722	23,189,006
New South Wales	360,165	1,315,929	296,072	1,073,360	292,217	1,088,413	340,494	1,244,330	2,350,748	8,551,874
New Zealand	293,493	1,162,181	263,694	1,041,428	251,644	980,204	280,175	1,080,691	2,411,809	9,564,249
South Australia	37,054	128,792	27,008	95,528	33,899	120,147	31,935	95,053	331,192	1,149,814
Tasmania	54,964	212,329	62,591	237,547	77,131	289,241	74,233	291,496	504,305	1,932,675
New Guinea	728	2,565	1,373	4,735	7,148	25,018	6,830	23,905	28,780	101,885
South African Republic ...	2,494,487	8,569,555	2,497,946	8,603,821	3,289,720	11,653,725	4,555,016	16,240,630	19,802,037	69,040,970
Gold Coast	25,416	91,497	23,941	86,186	23,555	84,798	17,733	63,838	239,997	863,990
Natal	139	541	42	163	40	156	17	66	1,161	4,519
Rhodesia	...	...	...	...	...	...	*g* 17,447	63,248	17,447	63,248
Cape Colony	150	585	136	530	79	308	116	452	3,892	15,178
Madagascar	*f*	...	1,057	4,488	3,896	16,545	*a* 3,896	16,545	8,849	37,578
United States	2,254,760	9,580,678	2,568,132	10,912,230	2,774,935	11,790,956	3,118,398	13,250,360	20,743,456	88,139,333
Canada	100,806	428,739	133,274	587,402	291,582	1,240,127	662,796	2,814,894	1,492,523	6,385,655
Mexico	301,138	1,278,933	386,217	1,640,264	435,475	1,849,462	481,368	2,044,370	1,978,370	8,402,137
Central America	*c* 23,222	98,624	*c* 24.127	101,467	*c* 25,399	107,870	*c* 25,399	107,870	159,168	675,007
Argentina	*d* 15,238	64,716	*d* 15,207	64,584	*d* 15,235	64,703	*c* 15,235	64,703	85,668	363,842
Brazil	*c* 107,992	458,642	*d* 58,031	246,458	*c* 70,736	300,416	*c* 122,481	520,176	594,095	2,523,120
Bolivia	*d* 3,151	13,382	*d* 36,256	154,017	*c* 16,076	68,275	*c* 16,076	68,275	90,779	385,575
Chili	*b* 38,081	161,730	34,111	144,869	36,394	154,565	*a* 37,000	157,139	308,604	1,300,640
Columbia	*d* 154,000	654,038	*c* 174,165	739,679	*c* 188,679	801,320	*c* 179,003	760,226	1,651,699	7,015,192
Ecuador	*d* 3,794	15,709	*d* 6,430	27,308	*c* 6,430	27,308	*c* 6,405	27,202	28,910	122,610
Guiana, British	122,936	436,423	125,670	446,128	122,740	435,727	113,500	402,925	1,081,900	3,840,745
Do. Dutch	24,066	85,458	27,212	96,626	29,036	103,107	27,810	98,753	253,092	898,726
Do. French	91,391	332,121	102,831	367,729	73,902	263,849	74,639	266,229	733,679	2,658,576
Peru	*c* 5,658	24,029	*c* 5,639	23,939	*c* 5,788	24,582	*c* 9,958	42,291	52,956	224,891
Uruguay	1,962	5,753	1,768	5,320	2,797	8,193	*a* 2,800	8,204	35,529	101,383
Venezuela	47,599	156,712	60,668	192,255	43,500	128,906	*a* 43,500	128,906	582,136	1,946,114
Austria-Hungary	104,878	415,268	105,415	446,341	100,812	426,668	91,582	385,952	788,959	3,158,070
Germany	114,038	484,319	79,947	339,535	89,410	379,724	91,532	388,737	848,062	3,601,736
Italy	9,002	38,231	8,842	37,552	*c* 10,160	43,150	*c* 10,160	43,150	94,331	400,624
Norway	106	441	458	1,927	*a* 500	2,123	*a* 500	2,123	4,154	15,551
Russia *e*	1,170,732	4,972,097	1,048,275	4,452,025	1,225,847	5,206,172	*a* 1,216,100	5,164,776	11,694,732	49,667,527
Sweden	2,742	11,645	3,682	15,637	3,643	15,472	*a* 3,643	15,472	31,246	132,701
United Kingdom	6,600	18,520	1,352	5,035	2,032	7,185	395	1,299	27,861	93,654
China	255,074	1,083,300	298,800	1,269,000	298,537	1,267,888	261,700	1,111,440	3,224,368	13,693.889
India	245,767	956,525	323,565	1,259,316	382,506	1,488,714	410,678	1,598,359	2,248,801	8,752,335
Japan	29,101	120,351	30,981	127,703	24,746	103,490	*a* 24,746	103,490	251,706	1,048,393
Korea	42,949	146,567	44,140	150,627	61,638	205,526	69,009	240,165	384,610	1,419,045
Dutch East Indies	3,569	15,158	3,086	13,108	3,151	13,382	*a* 3,200	13,590	32,939	139,893
Straits Settlement	15,111	47,883	21,217	77,270	27,340	104,893	*a* 27,340	104,893	104,479	378,943
Total	10,165,340	39,640,945	10,630,095	41,623,640	12,565,584	49,261,490	15,282,344	59,146,301	91,770,419	360,097,649

a. Estimated. *b*. Gold bullion exported, *vide* "The Mineral Industry." *c*. From "The Mineral Industry." *d*. From United States Mint Reports. *e*. The figures here given for Russia are taken from official sources up to the year 1896 inclusive. Those in the diagram, which were previously compiled, are from other sources. *f*. No reports for these years. *g*. Including production from 1890 to 1898.

II.—WATER CONSERVATION.

(Information supplied by Public Works Department.)

No. 1.—*Works Constructed, or in course of Construction, for the Water Supply of Towns, 31st December, 1898.*

(*Compiled from Official Records in the General Water Supply Branch.*)

Name of Town Supplied.	Site and Source of Supply.	Storage Capacity.	Nature of Supply.	Pipe Mains.	Estimated Cost.	Expenditure to 31st Dec., 1898.	Approximate Population.	Remarks.
		Gallons.			£	£		
Albany	Soakage wells in Frederick Street and Brunswick Road	8,000	Gravitation ...	1 mile	3,000	‡ 3,000	3,000	This supplies jetty only.
Do.	Brunswick Road Well, cleaned out and repaired, tank supplied	2,500	Gravitation ...	... ...	...	315		Work completed.
Broome	Well and tank near jetty	15,000	Pumping Plant (Windmill)	2 miles (including reticulation)	2,176 (Contract amount)	2,060	* 360	Work nearly completed.
Carnarvon	Well and tank 3 miles from town	4,600	Pumping Plant (Windmill)	3½ miles (including reticulation)	1,200	1,170	200	Work completed.
Chidlow's Well ...	Well and tank in township ...	1,500	Pumping Plant (Windmill)	... ...	350	330	...	Work completed.
Derby	Mayhall's Well	5,200	Pumping Plant (Windmill)	... ...	1,050	1,000	80	Work completed.
Do.	Stanley Square Well, cleaned out and repaired	1,800	Pumping Plant (Windmill)	... ...	...	300		Work completed.
Esperance	Well and tank ¾ mile from jetty ...	8,000	Pumping Plant (Windmill)	¾ mile of 3in. main	683	1,620	1,000	Supplies jetty only; work completed.
Fremantle and Suburbs ...	Three wells in prison yard (sunk through limestone rock, with 2,400ft. of drives), water from which is pumped into reservoirs in prison yard and reservoir on Monument Hill	1,390,000	Steam Pumping Plant, triple expansion condensing engines	21 miles of pipes, diameters from 3in. to 14in.	30,000 (Approximate only)	‡ 30,000	15,000	Further extension of reticulation now in progress.
Perth	Mundy's Brook, Darling Ranges, concrete dam	170,000,000	Gravitation ...	17 miles 12in. } Canning 15¼ miles 21in. } Main 46 miles reticulation pipes, 12in. to 3in.; 5½ miles tubing, 2in. to ½in.	...	§ 377,546	† 28,317	
Babbage Island ...	Babbage Island Lighthouse, Roof of caretaker's quarters	2,550	Hand Pump ...	... ...	30	34	3	Work completed.
Wyndham	Well behind police quarters ...	...	Windlass, Bucket and Rope	... ...	30	30	...	Work completed.
1898—Total for 12 constructions		171,439,150	...	61 miles (and 52 miles reticulation, etc.)	...	417,405	47,960	
1897—Total for 10 constructions		171,436,600	...	49 miles (and 52 miles reticulation, etc.)	...	397,341	45,957	
1896—Total for 4 constructions		170,363,200	...	27 miles (and 37 miles reticulation, etc.)	...	252,175	44,417	

* Exclusive of 800 pearlers during part of the year. † City of Perth. ‡ Estimated. § To 30th of June, 1898.

No. 2.—*Boring Works carried out by the General Water Supply Branch, to the 31st December, 1898.*

Name of Bore.	Site of Bore.	Description of Plant.	Depth bored.	Diameter of casing.	Height of top of Bore above sea level.	Hydro-static head.	Daily yield at ground level.	Cost of construction, 31-12-98.	Date of commencement.	Date of completion.	Estimated population of town to be Supplied.	Remarks.
			ft. in.	inches.	feet.	ft. in.	gallons.	£				
Bunbury No. 1	10 chains East side of Railway Station	Calyx ...	30 0	...	about 2	...	...	218	28-12-96	13-3-97	...	Abandoned on Basalt.
Bunbury No. 2	Government Grant on Estuary	Hand ...	104 0	3	do.	...	70000	62	1-4-97	21-4-97	...	Trial bore, abandoned.
* Bunbury No. 3 ...	Reserve ⩚ 2030, Stirling Street	Calyx ...	426 0	8, 7, 6, and 5	do.	...	100000	872	15-4-97	10-11-97	1500	The water is all coming from the 86ft. 6in. level.
Geraldton No. 1 ...	Railway Station Yard ...	Do. ...	420 3	...	about 5	...	...	603	18-12-96	1-5-97	...	Abandoned in Granite.
Geraldton No. 2 ...	Geraldton Racecourse ...	Do. ...	1531 0	8, 6, 5, and 4	about 84	...	...	2173	5-6-97	23-12-98	2500	This bore was commenced from the bottom of well, 80ft. deep.
Onslow	Government Reserve ⩚ 1011	Do. ...	1237 4½	6, 5, and 4	...	...	about 20	2299	18-1-97	In progress	40	Water struck at 1015ft., and slightly trickling over surface.
Wyndham	200 links East of Blocks 157 and 158	Diamond	690 0	5	...	...	*Nil.*	1337	25-2-97	16-10-97	160	This bore was commenced at bottom of well, 96ft. deep; abandoned.
* Perth	W.A. Cricket Association Ground	Hand & Calyx	948 0	10, 8, and 7	12·89	49 0	281000	708	2-7-97	1-2-98	...	Hand plant was used to a depth of 420ft.
* Lockeridge Estate ...	Guildford, Estate H. Hamersley, Esq.	Hand ...	798 0	6 and 5	14·29	7 0	123000	798	1-7-96	20-8-97		
* Water Hall Estate ...	Guildford, Estate J. Morrison, Esq.	Do. ...	691 0	8	35·02	11 0	200000	492	27-10-96	29-5-97		
* Guildford	Municipal Reserve, ⩚ 144, near Helena Street	Calyx ...	1202 0	10 and 8	11·38	53 2	112000	1283	15-9-97	7-1-98	1200	
Subiaco	N.W. corner of Reserve ⩚ 137	Do. ...	876 0	8 and 6	117·15	...	...	760	15-9-97	15-1-98	3400	This bore was commenced at bottom of well, 103ft. deep.
* Bebo Moro	Guildford, Estate H. E. B. Gull, Esq.	Hand ...	408 0	3	19·46	17 0	80000 (3ft. above ground)	265	19-2-96	30-6-96		
* Woodbridge Estate ...	Guildford, Estate C. Harper, Esq.	Do. ..	236 0	10 and 8	...	...	150000	236	25-11-95	1-1-96		
* Perth Station Bore ...	Perth Station Yard ...	Calyx ...	820 0	10, 8, 6, and 5	37·9	40 0	500000	543	3-1-96	20-10-96	28317†	
* Midland Junction ...	Railway Workshops, Midland Junction	Hand ...	500 0	4 and 3	13	20 3	266000	500	Sept., '94	Jan., '95	1400	
* Leederville Bore ...	Recreation Ground ...	Calyx ...	1113 3	...	58·10	11 0	288000	1273	28-3-98	12-12-98	2000	
* Perth Racecourse ...	Racecourse	Do. ...	1099 7	...	40	18 8	536000	1561	13-10-97	8-3-98		
South Perth	South Perth Bore	Do. ...	1380 0	...	...	...	...	905	...	In progress		
* Melville Water Park Estate Bore	Melville Park	Do. ...	1487 0	...	9·6	39·56	140000	1868	20-2-97	30-7-97		
Dongara Bore	Dongara	Do. ...	1190 6	...	...	...	...	1147	13-4-97	In progress		
Dardanup No. 1 ...	Estate of Hon. H. W. Venn, Esq.	Do. ...	453 0	...	...	...	...	103	...	...	...	Abandoned.
Dardanup No. 2 ...	Estate of Hon. H. W. Venn, Esq.	Do. ...	412 0	...	...	...	...	120	...	In progress		

1898—Total for * 13 Bores: Daily yield at ground level, in gallons ... ... 3854000; Cost of Construction £20126
1897—Total for 7 Bores: Do. do. do. ... ... 1319400; Do. do. £3888
1896—Total for 4 Bores: Do. do. do. ... ... 636400; Do. do. £2058

* Bores included in Total, the others being unfinished or abandoned, or the information being incomplete. † City of Perth.

No. 3.—*Tanks Constructed, in course of Construction, or Authorised, for Water Supply on the Eastern Goldfields, 31st December, 1898.*

(Information supplied by the Engineer for Goldfields Water Supply.)

Name of town or district supplied.	Reservoir or source of supply.		Watershed area.	Date of completion.	Approximate capital value.	Service.
	Where situated.	Storage Capacity.				
		Gallons.	Acres.		£	
1. 42-Mile	Coolgardie-Menzies Road, 40 miles	3121700	1811	September, 1896	3165	Pumps and Troughs
2. Parker's Range	35 miles South-East of Southern Cross	4963000	1148	May, 1897	4975	Do. do.
3. Kalgoorlie	About 1 mile East of Town	1634000	187	July, 1897	8461	Do. do.
4. Goongarrie	2½ miles North of New Town	1048300	765	January, 1897	10459	Do. do.
5. Niagara	2½ miles South-West of Town	38750000	792	April, 1898	61594	Not fixed upon.
6. Bardoc	1 mile South-East of Town	2045400	1492	September, 1897	14424	Pump and Trough
7. Siberia	Near Township	1575500	768	September, 1897	7636	Do. do.
8. Menzies	1½ mile South-East of Town	3049400	603	January, 1898	19511	Do. do.
9. Londonderry	2½ miles South of Town	3098200	6833	August, 1897	7370	Do. do.
10. Bulong	1¼ mile East of Town	3027200	911	January, 1898	18334	Do. do.
11. Black Flag	2 miles North of Town	3244400	13880	September, 1897	7809	Do. do.
12. Mulline	About 1½ mile East of Town	1502700	3352	August, 1897	4549	Do. do.
13. 50-Mile Rock (Wingarnie)	Norseman-Coolgardie, 50 miles	3025100	138	June, 1898	17550	Do. do.
14. Kanowna	2 miles South-East of Town	3691800	1220	November, 1897	9110	Do. do.
15. Speakman's	½-mile South of Town	1008500	486	July, 1897	4102	Do. do.
16. Widgiemooltha	¾-mile South-East Lefroy Town	3026200	1673	May, 1898	14414	Do. do.
17. Broad Arrow	¾-mile South-West of Town	10060800	5858	May, 1898	15430	Not decided.
1898.—Total for 17 completed tanks		87872200	41917	...	228893	
1897.—Total for 11 completed tanks		30933500	31405	...	79641	
1896.—One completed tank		3121700	1811	...	3165	

No. 4.—*Wells in the Goldfields Water Supply Districts, 31st December, 1898.*

(*Information supplied by the Engineer for Goldfields Water Supply.*)

PILBARRA GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of water.	Date of completion.	Total cost completed.	Depth of well in feet.		Depth of water level.		Approximate supply of gallons per hour.
					£	ft.	in.	ft.	in.	
1	Marble Bar No. 1 ...	...	Fresh ...	No record ...	700	43	0	30	0	1,900
2	Marble Bar No. 2 ...	...	Fresh ...	No record ...	170	57	0	37	0	400
3	Just in Time ...	9 miles South-West of Marble Bar ...	Fresh ...	22nd November, 1895 ...	200	27	0	16	0	400
4	Big Schist ...	4 miles South-East do. ...	Fresh ...	No record ...	200	41	0	31	0	400
5	Wyman's ...	12 miles South do. ...	Fresh ...	30th April, 1897 ...	500	68	0	63	0	1¼
6	Sandy Creek ...	South-East of Marble Bar ...	Fresh ...	28th October, 1895 ...	91	21	0	18	6	500
*7	Norton's Plains ...	Nullagine Road ...	*Nil* ...	31st January, 1897 ...	...	Abandoned				
8	Carbena Soak ...	Do. ...	Fresh ...	November, 1896 ...	50	18	0	9	0	500
9	Carbena Well ...	Do. ...	Fresh ...	28th November, 1895 ...	530	58	0	50	0	50
10	Spinnaways ...	10 miles from Carbena ...	Fresh ...	No record ...	250	52	0	42	0	300
11	Nullagine No. 2 ...	...	Fresh ...	June, 1895 ...	250	41	0	30	0	400
12	Nullagine No. 1 ...	...	Fresh ...	14th January, 1898 ...	327	41	0	24	0	60
13	Claypan ...	3 miles South-East of Nullagine ...	Fresh ...	About 18th May, 1894 ...	350	73	0	65	0	400
14	Butcher's Camp ...	40 miles East of Nullagine ...	Fresh ...	About 16th October, 1894	320	89	0	...		100
*15	Table Top Hill ...	South-East of Eley's ...	Fresh ...	No record.						
16	Eley's ...	12 miles South-West of Black Range ...	Fresh ...	September, 1895 ...	60	55	0	51	0	500
17	Black Range ...	37 miles South-West of Marble Bar ...	Brackish ...	30th November, 1897 ...	450	41	0	38	6	50
18	El Dorado ...	(North Shaw) ...	Fresh ...	31st March, 1896 ...	214	61	0	53	6	150
19	Western Shaw ...	...	Fresh ...	No record ...	190	37	0	26	0	400
20	Tambourah ...	6 miles from Western Shaw ...	Fresh ...	22nd January, 1896 ...	500	97	0	91	0	100
21	Woodstock Well ...	10 miles South-East of Woodstock ...	Fresh ...	14th July, 1897 ...	238	38	0	20	0	10
22	Dead Bullock ...	12 miles North-East do. ...	Fresh ...	1895...	190	35	0	23	0	290
23	Looks Pool Soak ...	10 miles West do. ...	Fresh ...	May, 1897 ...	30	7	0	2	0	500
24	Wodgina Well ...	10 miles South-East of Wodgina Pool ...	Fresh ...	1895...	120	24	0	19	0	200
25	Kangaroo Flat ...	8 miles South-East of Egina ...	Fresh ...	September, 1896 ...	195	70	0	50	0	150
26	Pilbarra Well ...	In townsite ...	Fresh ...	20th January, 1897 ...	120	50	0	25	0	200
27	Pilbarra Top Camp Well...	...	Fresh ...	No record ...	300	54	0	46	0	300
28	Hong Kong ...	6 miles from Egina ...	Fresh ...	17th March, 1896...	245	48	6	40	0	300
29	Annie's Gap ...	3 miles from Pilbarra ...	Fresh ...	7th September, 1897 ...	296	60	0	53	6	250
30	Egina Well...	(New Well) ...	Fresh ...	June, 1897 ...	494	140	0	114	0	10
31	Egina ...	9 miles from Millindinna ...	Fresh ...	13th October, 1897 ...	660	149	0	142	0	40
32	Millindinna Well ...	...	Fresh ...	No record ...	250	50	0	40	0	200
33	Mallina Well ...	...	Fresh ...	August, 1895 ...	55	44	0	37	0	100
34	Towranna Well ...	...	Fresh ...	26th November, 1896 ...	361	110	0	101	6	200
35	Bamford's ...	3 miles West Port Hedland-Marble Bar Road	Brackish ...	20th August, 1896 ...	148	32	0	24	0	30
36	Salt Well No. 1 ...	5 miles West of Ridley River ...	Brackish ...	No record ...	120	...		...		150
37	Salt Well No. 2 ...	9 miles South-West of Ridley River ...	Brackish ...	10th July, 1896 ...	120	36	0	30	0	300
38	Condon Well No. 1 ...	...	Fresh ...	November, 1894 ...	153	20	0	13	0	500
39	Condon Well No. 2 ...	...	Fresh ...	January, 1895 ...	80	20	0	12	0	300
40	Condon Road 12 miles ...	...	Fresh ...	December, 1894 ...	220	47	0	32	0	300
41	Condon Road 24 miles ...	...	Fresh ...	No record ...	250	61	0	51	0	300
*42	Ellerene Old Well...	Condon Road ...	Brackish ...	Abandoned ...	...	46	0			
43	Ellerene Well ...	Do. ...	Brackish ...	No record ...	...	47	0	42	0	350
44	DeGrey Soak ...	Do. ...	Fresh ...	26th August, 1895 ...	80	10	0	5	0	600
45	Anderson's Paddock ...	6 miles South-East Mulyee ...	Fresh ...	30th May, 1896 ...	137	40	6	35	6	500
46	Pierre Creek Well...	...	Fresh ...	May, 1895 ...	300	63	0	50	0	400

* Not included in total.

No. 4.—*Wells in the Goldfields Districts, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

PILBARRA GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT—*continued.*

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of water.	Date of completion.	Total cost completed.	Depth of well in feet.		Depth of water level.		Approximate supply of gallons per hour.
					£	ft.	in.	ft.	in.	
47	Robinson's 12 mile	...	Fresh	29th August, 1895	250	48	0	28	0	600
48	Trig. Hill	12 miles North-West Marble Bar	Fresh	December, 1893	180	32	6	19	6	500
49	Talga Talga	North-East of Marble Bar	Fresh	9th July, 1897	300	72	0	62	6	150
50	Talga Talga Soak	East-North-East of Marble Bar	Fresh	14th December, 1895	20	7	0	3	0	300
51	Duffer Creek	3 miles East of Marble Bar	Fresh	1st August, 1895	70	29	0	20	0	250
52	3-Mile	3 miles North-East of Marble Bar	Fresh	No record	120	41	0	28	6	300
53	Racecourse	5 miles from Bamboo Creek	Fresh	28th March, 1896	105	24	0	22	0	300
54	Mt. Prophecy	1 mile East of Bamboo Creek	Fresh	24th April, 1896	85	29	0	9	6	300
55	Bulletin	3 miles do.	Fresh	24th November, 1896	220	49	0	43	0	150
56	Bamboo Creek No. 2	...	Fresh	No record	100	43	0	31	0	100
57	Syndicate	At Bamboo Creek	Fresh	August, 1896	200	49	0	23	0	300
58	Enterprise	On Eastern edge Bamboo Townsite	Brackish	No record	320	76	0	44	0	200
59	Coppin's Gap	North-West of Bamboo Townsite	Fresh	...	60	40	0	30	0	200
60	Kitty's Gap	Do. do.	Fresh	...	50	12	0	7	0	300
61	Coppin's Old Station Well	...	Fresh	No record	50	43	0	33	0	150
62	Yandicoogina Well No. 1	About 40 miles South-West of Bamboo	Fresh	27th November, 1896	320	75	0	45	0	2
63	Yandicoogina Well No. 2	Do do.	Fresh	27th November, 1896	183	43	0	39	0	300
64	Well No. 1	Port Hedland-Marble Bar Road	Fresh	27th December, 1896	130	54	0	47	0	400
65	George Creek Well	Do.	Brackish	30th January, 1897	102	24	6	20	6	200
66	Pindan	Do.	Fresh	14th April, 1897	140	44	0	39	0	300
67	Pinka Burra Soak	Do.	Fresh	8th February, 1897	30	10	0	6	0	500
68	Carlinde	Do.	Fresh	17th May, 1897	102	29	0	26	0	200
69	Strelley	Do.	Fresh	23rd March, 1897	120	26	0	21	0	400
70	Petersen's	Do.	Fresh	17th May, 1897	150	41	6	33	6	300
71	Poondan	Do.	Fresh	17th May, 1897	30	15	0	10	0	300
72	Cossack Well No. 1	...	Fresh	2nd March, 1897	120	26	0	21	0	100
73	Cossack Well No. 2	...	Fresh	28th February, 1896	85	11	0	9	0	50
74	Croydon	...	...	September, 1898	97	62	4	58	4	150
75	Top Camp	3 miles from Croydon	Fresh	25th January, 1898	94	42	0	39	0	30
76	Hales' Grave	7 miles South Spinnaway	Fresh	21st September, 1897	155	39	0	24	6	500
77	Dewhurst's	4 miles North of Nullagine	Fresh	28th December, 1897	169	53	6	33	0	50
78	Pippingarra	Port Hedland-Marble Road	Fresh	6th August, 1897	220	52	0	34	0	150
79	Town	At 1-mile peg Port Hedland	Brackish	16th October, 1897	85	21	6	15	6	150
80	Marsh	At 4-mile peg Port Hedland	Fresh	10th November, 1897	72	14	0	9	0	200
81	Lyon's	8 miles South of Bamboo	Fresh	14th October, 1897	178	40	6	34	0	150
82	Sand Well	At Cadjeput	...	...	30	6	0	...		50
83	Wattle Creek	Between Mallina and Millindina	Fresh	28th January, 1898	164	30	0	Abandoned		Abandoned
84	Mundine	Between Woodstock and Tambourah	Fresh	8th January, 1898	427	66	0	62	6	15
85	Jones	9 miles North of Yandicoogina	Fresh	19th February, 1898	247	46	6	41	0	150
86	Balla Balla	Townsite	Fresh	31st March, 1898	96	19	6	16	6	500
87	North Pole	35 miles North-West from Marble Bar	Fresh	2nd March, 1898	183	79	6	76	0	5
88	Middle Creek	11 miles North-East from Nullagine	Fresh	31st October, 1898	174	105	0	98	0	12
89	Mosquito Creek	25 do. do.	Fresh	12th December, 1898	249	99	6	88	0	6
90	Cooke's Creek	33 do. do.	Fresh	30th November, 1898	275	100	6	93	0	2½
91	Salgash	18 miles South-East from Marble Bar	Fresh	10th September, 1898	359	93	6	...		230
*92	Jetty or Stockyard	Port Hedland	Brackish	1898	...	16	0	13	0	
93	Homestead, Brockman's	South from Marble Bar	Fresh	Purchased 1898	30	42	0	...		50
			1898—Total for 89 Wells		17,460	...		...		22,644
			1897—Total for 79 Wells		13,549	...		...		20,628
			1896—Total for 57 Wells		4,505	...		...		15,798

* Not included in total.

PILBARRA ROADS BOARD WELLS (not under Department of Public Works).

No.	Name.	Locality.
1	Dalton's	About 9 miles from Roebourne, on Roebourne-Condon Road.
2	Mt. Fisher	Do. 24 do. do. do.
3	Mt. Brown	On Roebourne-Condon Road.
4	Well	North of Mt. Brown, on Stock Route.
5	Peeawah	On Stock Route.
6	Croydon	At Townsite.
7	Well	About 10 miles South-West of Port Boodarie, on Roebourne-Condon Road.
8	Wedges	On Turner River, near Port Boodarie.
9	Petermarer	About 30 miles South-East by East of Port Hedland.

ASHBURTON AND GASCOYNE GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of water.	Date of completion.	Total cost completed.	Depth of well in feet.	Depth of water level.	Approximate supply of gallons per hour.
					£	ft. in.	ft. in.	
		(ASHBURTON)						
1	Goldfields Well No. 1	Dead Finish Diggings	Salt	5th August, 1897	295	131 4	...	
2	Do. No. 2	Top Camp Diggings	Good ...	... ...	130	55 0	...	
3	Do. No. 3	Near Warden's Camp	Salt	5th November, 1897 ...	98	34 0	...	
		(GASCOYNE)						
1	Main Camp	Bangemall	Good ...	... ...	136	42 0	...	Good.
2	Gifford Creek	On Lyons River; 17 miles below Main Camp	Good ...	... ...	97	36 0	...	Moderate.
3	12-Mile Creek	3 miles South of Lyons River; 12 miles below Main Camp	...	... ...	...	26 0	...	
4	Well	12 miles from Bangemall	...	... ...	...	42 0	...	Fair.

MURCHISON GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of water.	Date of completion.	Total cost completed.	Depth of well in feet.	Depth of water level.	Approximate supply of gallons per hour.
1	Horseshoe	25 miles North of Peak Hill	Brackish ...	22nd June, 1896	467	150 0	107 6	10
2	Peak Hill	Peak Hill	Fresh ...	30th September, 1896 ...	1087	238 0	184 0	45
3	Murphy's	15 miles South-West from Peak Hill	Fresh ...	15th January, 1898 ...	399	96 6	73 0	100
*4	Mount Fraser†	Between Nannine and Peak Hill	Fresh ...					
5	Murchison	Do.	Fresh ...	October, 1898	...	34 0	17 0	80
6	Mindaroo†	Do.	Fresh ...	... ...	...	12 0	9 0	30
7	Ord†	Do.	Fresh ...	... ...	...	10 0	8 0	45
8	Abbott's	Do.	Brackish ...	1st May, 1896	370	158 0	151 0	50
9	Do. (new)	Do.	Fresh ...	December, 1896	438	206 0	187 0	30
10	Red Well‡	Do.	Fresh ...	December, 1894	...	81 6	56 6	20
11	Brearabubba	Between Gap and Garden Gully	Fresh ...	21st February, 1896 ...	209	98 6	62 0	70
12	Meekatharra	North-East of Nannine	Fresh ...	20th May, 1897	584	150 0	110 0	70
13	Well	Between Meekatharra and Nannine	Fresh ...	17th May, 1897	198	61 0	56 0	70
*14	Mulgara†	North-West of Nannine						
15	The Gap‡	North of Nannine	Fresh ...	... ...	...	9 0	7 0	20
16	Nannine (old)	(Warden's)	Fresh ...	30th December, 1895 ...	96	50 0	(Very little	water).

* Not included in Total. † Station Wells used by Public. ‡ Private, but used by Public.

No. 4.—*Wells in the Goldfields Districts, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

MURCHISON GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT—*continued.*

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of water.	Date of completion.	Total cost completed.	Depth of well in feet.		Depth of water level.		Approximate supply of gallons per hour.
					£	ft.	in.	ft.	in.	
17	Nannine (new)	...	Fresh	November, 1896	136	56	0	47	0	40
18	Porlelle	8 miles East of Nannine	Fresh	17th May, 1897	63	12	0	7	0	70
19	At Star of the East ‡	...	Fresh	...	...	70	0	...		35
20	Quinn's, or Nowthanna	...	Fresh	April, 1895	138	53	3	49	0	30
21	Bitter Well †	North-East of Cue	Brackish	...	...	6	0	4	0	50
22	Stake or Mummarra	...	Fresh	...	...	65	0	46	0	70
23	Townsend	Between Mummarra and Deep	Fresh	25th May, 1896	234	89	0	76	0	30
24	Tuckanarra	Cue-Nannine Road	Fresh	21st July, 1896	97	58	6	46	0	65
25	Nallan, or Jack's Well	Do.	Fresh	...	...	12	0	9	0	40
26	Cue Reserve Well	¾-mile South-West	Fresh	19th November, 1896	1795	194	0	155	0	1000
*27	Cue Town Well	...	...	...	...	130	0	Dry.		
28	Callie	Between Coodardie and Woolgerong	Fresh	26th February, 1896	157	41	6	34	0	50
29	Killaloo	36 miles from Cue-Lake Way Road	Brackish	January, 1897	29	14	0	8	0	70
30	Peregrine	50 miles from Cue-Lake Way Road	Fresh	January, 1897	144	73	0	69	0	100
31	Deep Well†	About 15 miles North from Cue	Fresh	...	...	18	6	14	0	20
32	Day Dawn	Town Well	Fresh	February, 1897	422	73	6	68	6	60
33	Do. No. 2	Near Railway Station	Fresh	February, 1897	430	98	3	75	0	50
34	Garden Granites	10 miles from Cue, on Lawler's Road	Fresh	28th August, 1896	150	73	0	70	0	60
35	Well	26 miles do. do.	...	17th September, 1896	97	56	0	...		No water.
36	Yarraquin	30 miles do. do.	Fresh	31st October, 1896	179	74	0	62	0	80
37	Woodley's Soak, No. 1 Well	On Cue-Lawler's Road	Fresh	February, 1895	242	36	0	31	0	45
38	Mainland Well	Lake Austin	Brackish	20th April, 1897	...	65	0	...		35
*39	Soda Well‡	Do.								
40	Holt's Well (or Ned's)‡	South of Lake Austin	Brackish	...	...	66	0	2	0	25
41	Slate Well	Between Holt's and the Caves	Brackish	29th December, 1894	...	84	6	48	6	80
42	Collins, or Granite	16 miles South of the Island	Fresh	30th March, 1896	105	48	9	43	8	50
43	Caves	16 miles North of Magnet	Fresh	12th February, 1896	104	66	0	55	0	50
44	Cuddingwarra	2 miles North-West by West of Cuddingwarra	Fresh	20th July, 1896	68	37	6	34	6	50
45	Black Hill	2 miles North-West of Cuddingwarra	Fresh	20th March, 1896	106	39	0	32	0	43
*46	Garden‡	Cue-Yalgoo Road	Fresh							
*47	Wild's‡	Do.	Fresh	...	...	13	0	11	8	
48	Governor's‡	Do.	Brackish	...	...	12	0	9	0	45
49	Wintharra†	Do.	Fresh	...	...	14	0	10	0	50
50	Woolgerong †	Do.	Fresh	...	...	6	0	...		Small supply.
51	Wheelara †	Do.	Fresh	...	...	22	0	16	0	80
52	Jupp's †	Do.	Fresh	...	...	64	0	30	0	125
53	Yowalie	Do.	Fresh	April, 1895	140	66	0	30	0	60
54	Mount Magnet	Railway Well	Fresh	16th January, 1896	300	60	0	54	0	240
55	Do. (stock)	...	Fresh	January, 1897	274	98	6	42	0	170
56	Do. (town)	...	Fresh	...	...	65	6	34	6	125
57	Casuarina	Cue-Yalgoo North Road	Brackish	...	.	8	6	6	0	35
58	Chimerly	Do.	Brackish	...	...	6	0	3	8	45
59	Square	Do.	Fresh	...	...	11	0	8	0	80
60	Yaramie	Do.	Fresh	...	...	15	0	13	0	35
61	Pindathuna	Do.	Fresh	...	...	16	0	11	0	45
62	Melville	Do.	Fresh	December, 1896	131	59	0	47	0	100
63	Karliminda	Do.	Fresh	7th March, 1896	280	104	0	100	0	100
64	Yalgoo No. 2 (stock)	1 mile East	Fresh	25th July, 1896	33	25	0	19	0	370

65	Yalgoo (at railway)	...	Fresh	4th January, 1896	72	22	6	19	0	105
66	Carlisle Cumberland	11 miles North-East of Yalgoo	Fresh	19th March, 1897	367	138	0	100	0	100
67	Wadgingarra	8½ miles North-East of Yalgoo	Fresh	14th December, 1895	273	98	0	90	0	50
68	Chain Pump ‡	North-East from Mullewa	Fresh	...	...	30	0	20	0	80
69	Snake Well ‡	North-East of Mullewa	Fresh	...	...	17	0	15	0	12
*70	Mooloo ‡	South-East of Yalgoo	Fresh	Rock Hole.						
*71	Bilbaroo ‡	South of Yalgoo								
72	Pickatabookata Wallah †	South-East of Yalgoo	Fresh	...		30	0	19	0	60
73	Bilberatha	12 miles South-East of Yalgoo	Fresh	30th April, 1896	210	103	0	93	0	50
74	Fitz *or* Windy †	South of Bilberatha	Fresh	...	...	30	0	25	0	60
*75	McCarthy's ‡	...	Fresh							
76	Cagacaroon	65 miles South-West of Yalgoo	Brackish	7th October, 1896	65	24	0	21	0	100
77	Jones'	At Gullewa	Fresh	22nd April, 1897	197	82	0	72	0	50
78	Meruh	On Gullewa-Yalgoo Road	Fresh	...	...	61	0	15	0	80
79	Ederga ‡	Do.	Fresh	...	...	10	0	8	0	60
80	Mullewa	...	Fresh	April, 1896	177	60	0	30	0	40
81	Pindar Railway	...	Fresh	20th March, 1896	220	41	6	26	6	120
82	Wuraraga Railway	...	Fresh	25th May, 1896	466	90	0	75	0	100
*83	Wolla Wolla Railway	...	Brackish							
84	Dindera	Mullewa-Yalgoo Road	Fresh	8th December, 1895	20	20	0	10	0	30
85	Dog Hole	Do.	Fresh	...	...	8	0	4	0	16
86	Karla	Do.	Fresh	...	...	11	6	6	0	45
87	Bumberra	Do.	Fresh	...	...	10	0	8	0	60
88	Goarra	Do.	Fresh	...	...	17	0	14	0	45
89	Beardie	Do.	Fresh	...	...	6	0	4	0	30
90	Muddida	Do.	Fresh	...	...	16	6	11	0	30
91	Bunnin	Do.	Fresh	...	...	6	6	4	6	45
* 92	Breakaway Soak	Mingenew-Yalgoo road.								
93	Nanakine	Do.	Fresh	...	...	11	0	8	0	20
94	Moorewa	Between Yalgoo and Magnet	Fresh	1894	...	76	0	65	0	120
95	Nannowtharra Railway	...	Brackish	22nd February, 1896	160	45	0	35	6	150
96	Pindar	Between Yalgoo and Magnet	Fresh	...	...	11	6	10	0	25
97	Murrum Railway	Do.	Brackish	29th February, 1896	70	19	0	11	6	150
98	Murrum (new)	Do.	S. Brackish	14th March, 1896	70	23	0	13	6	100
*99	Munbinia †	Do.	Brackish							
100	Mickies ‡	Do.	Brackish	...	...	6	0	5	0	7
101	Yoweragablie	Do.	Brackish	December, 1896	21	11	0	7	0	100
102	Yoweragablie Railway	Do.	Fresh	29th February, 1896	20	13	0	7	6	63
103	Waddutharra	...	Fresh	November, 1896	157	75	6	44	6	100
104	Boogardie (stock)	5 miles West of Magnet	Fresh	October, 1896	229	83	6	70	0	80
105	Lennonville	Near Magnet	Fresh	30th April, 1897	475	196	3	171	0	50
106	8-Mile	North-West of Magnet	Brackish	30th March, 1897	...	205	0	...		4
107	Moolatah	9 miles East of Magnet on Lawler's Road	Fresh	December, 1896	206	103	0	91	0	100
108	Buckabardoo	28 miles East of Magnet do.	Fresh	4th March, 1897	240	84	3	59	6	95
109	Pindamurra	50 miles East do. do.	Fresh	15th January, 1897	154	56	0	32	0	80
110	Breakaway	60 miles East do. do.	Fresh	27th February, 1897	111	63	0	57	0	70
*111	Millee†	Near Magnet	Brackish							
*112	Challar†	South-East of Magnet	Fresh							
113	Pinyalling	...	Fresh	24th February, 1896	357	98	0	82	0	45
114	Thundelarra†	Between Yalgoo and Pinyalling	Fresh	...	...	22	0	12	0	60
115	Meleya	Do.	Brackish	Natural	...	12	0	7	0	60
116	Field's Find No. 5	Pinyalling District	Fresh	14th October, 1898	190	51	8	45	0	200
117	No. 4 Cement Creek	Between Field's and Woodley's	Fresh	May, 1896	79	29	6	26	0	150
*118	Nangajetty	Pinyalling District	Brackish							
*119	E-Jolong†	Do.	Salt	...	...	10	0	8	0	

*Not included in Total. † Station Wells used by the Public. ‡ Private, but used by Public.

No. 4.—*Wells in the Goldfields Districts, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

MURCHISON GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT—*continued.*

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of Water.	Date of Completion.	Total cost completed.	Depth of well in feet.		Depth of water level.		Approximate supply of gallons per hour.
					£	ft	in.	ft.	in.	
*120	Meemering†	Pinyalling District	Salt	... ...	...	11	0	7	6	
*121	Welba†	Do.	Brackish	... ...	...	18	0	14	0	
122	King's Find or Delaney's	Do.	Fresh	17th August, 1896	78	28	6	24	6	60
*123	Yidby	Do.	Fresh	... ...	...	60	0	57	0	
*124	Underginnie†	Do.	Salt	... ...	...	6	0	4	0	
*125	Beergoona	West of Underginnie	Fresh	Natural	...	5	0	1	0	
*126	Euanty Soak	Mingenew-Magnet Road								
127	Nungatoo Tank	Do.	Fresh	Tank	...	...		...		100,000 storage
128	Mick Heelans	Do.	Fresh	... ...	...	8	0	6	0	20
129	Warraminnie	Do.	Fresh	... ...	...	15	6	11	0	35
130	Mingenew Spring	Do.	Fresh	22nd February, 1897	...	5	0	4	0	500
*131	Youngarloo	Mingenew-Rothsay Road								
*132	Pinderooka	Do.	Fresh							
*133	Karragabby	Do.	Fresh							
*134	Wogi	Do.	Fresh							
135	Rothsay or Woodley's	Do.	Fresh	11th December, 1897	500	119	0	113	0	200
136	No. 1 Well	Carnamah-Rothsay Road	Salt	17th August, 1896	96	35	3	33	0	20
137	White Well	Nooimyauna-Rothsay Road	Brackish	... ...	...	27	4	19	4	25
138	Well	Between White Well and Damperuah	Brackish	September, 1896	136	51	0	47	0	40
*139	Damperuah	Carnamah-Rothsay Road	Fresh	... ...	...	31	0	30	0	
140	Barrel Soak	Between White Well and Carnamah	Salt	17th August, 1896	96	55	0	37	0	20
141	17-Mile Well	Carnamah-Rothsay Road	...	17th August, 1896	46	18	6	dry.		
142	Nannine Stock	... ...	Brackish	December, 1896	99	36	6	25	6	60
143	The Caves Rockhole	About 16 miles North of Magnet	Fresh	August, 1895	33	...		...		Storage only.
144	Millie	9 miles North of Cue	Fresh	Purchased	...	9	0	8	0	50
*145	Nyounda†	2 miles West of Delaney's	Brackish	... ...	...	7	0	4	0	
146	Boorgardie (Town)	5 miles West of Magnet	Fresh	27th July, 1897	668	128	0	74	6	70
147	Wormald's	1 mile North of Nannine	Fresh	22nd July, 1897	148	43	0	29	0	80
148	Horseshoe No. 2	About 2 miles from Horseshoe	Brackish	26th June, 1897	293	101	0	90	0	Small
149	Stink	About 2½ miles from Horseshoe	Fresh	December, 1897	146	117	6	92	0	100
150	Quinn's No. 2	Near Nowthanna	Fresh	7th October, 1897	236	64	6	33	6	10
151	Mt. Magnet	On Hospital Reserve	Slightly Brackish	9th October, 1897	271	73	6	61	0	75
152	Gullewa	At Townsite Allotment No. 71	Fresh	3rd November, 1897	497	84	6	75	6	105
153	Gnow's	23 miles from Yalgoo, Pinyalling Road	Fresh	20th December, 1897	155	60	0	52	0	65
154	Worthington's	Between Ord and Murchison Rivers	Fresh	25th May, 1897	254	70	0	50	0	80
155	Lloyd's	26 miles North of Cue, Nannine Road	Fresh	Purchased, 1897	216	61	0	47	0	35
156	Nallan, or Jack's No. 2	Cue-Nannine Road	Fresh	14th May, 1897	110	16	6	10	6	70
157	Cue (new)	At Cue	Fresh	13th April, 1897	500	121	5	91	5	190
158	Well	2 miles North-East of Mainland	Fresh	May, 1897	217	60	0	31	6	40
159	Star of the East	1¼ miles East of Star of the East	Fresh	16th February, 1898	270	48	6	41	0	60
160	Bokoatta	37 miles from Yalgoo, on Pinyalling Road	Brackish	3rd February, 1898	299	83	6	74	0	85
161	Nine-Mile Camp or York Gum	Carnamah-Rothsay Road	Fresh	30th March, 1898	60	17	0	13	6	30
162	Five Gums	Carnamah-Rothsay Road	Fresh	8th July, 1898	304	51	0	33	4	15
163	Gullewa (Jones)	At Gullewa	Fresh	22nd April, 1997	195	82	0	72	0	50
			1898—Total for 135 wells		20,231	...		...		110,030
			1897—Total for 127 wells		16,581	...		...		108,470
			1896—Total for 100 wells		9,867	...		...		106,431

EAST MURCHISON.

1	Junction Well or No. 2	On Cue-Lawlers Road	Fresh	April, 1895	603	72	0	58	0	65
2	No. 3 Well	Do.	Fresh	July, 1895	738	93	0	68	0	45
3	No. 4 Well	Do.	Fresh	August, 1895	314	85	0	60	0	90
4	No. 4A Well	Do. 5 miles West of Rocky Creek	Fresh	July, 1895	182	68	9	58	0	400
5	No. 5 (2 soaks)	Do.	Fresh	January, 1894	...	12	0	9	0	20
6	No. 6	On Cue-Lawlers Road	Fresh	August, 1895	170	59	0	50	0	170
7	Mount Holmes or Wallaby Nob	Do. 5 miles from Wallaby Nob	Fresh	June, 1896	63	13	0	8	0	800
8	Lawler's Town	...	Fresh	1897	524	66	0	51	0	400
9	Lawler's Stock	...	Fresh	January, 1897	75	31	0	29	0	250
10	McCaffrey	Lawlers-Mount Sir Samuel Road	Fresh	February, 1897	258	73	6	60	0	40
11	Ogilvie	Do.	Fresh	31st January, 1896	275	67	0	62	0	70
12	Well	Half-way between Lawlers and Mt. Sir Samuel	Fresh	10th May, 1897	451	117	6	87	3	45
13	Herberton or Mt. Sir Samuel Stock	...	Fresh	13th June, 1897	243	49	0	44	0	180
14	Well, 19 miles East of Lawlers	Between Lawlers and Darlôt	Fresh	November, 1896	509	116	6	112	9	60
15	Well No. 8	Near Poison Creek, Lake Carey Road	Fresh	30th September, 1898	132	34	0	25	6	500
*16	Scotty's Soak †	...	Fresh							
17	Shean's	Between Poison Creek and Doyle's	Fresh	June, 1896	149	52	0	43	0	80
18	Darlôt Workings "Woodarra"	...	Fresh	14th April, 1897	483	129	3	80	0	62
19	Costello's	Between Darlôt and Wilson's Creek	Fresh	29th June, 1897	465	125	0	100	0	90
20	Barney's	Between Darlôt and Mistake Creek	Fresh	11th January, 1898	94	53	0	29	6	95
21	258-Mile Well	At Wilson's Creek, Lake Carey Road	Fresh	23rd November, 1895	330	104	0	75	0	63
22	No. 9 Well	At Terraces between 258-Mile and No. 10	Fresh	29th February, 1896	300	104	0	92	0	60
23	No. 10 do.	Chain of water holes	Fresh	18th January, 1896	260	86	0	56	0	50
24	Nanadie	71 miles from Cue on Lake Way Road	Fresh	October, 1886	22	10	0	7	0	150
25	Bubba-angundi	15 miles East of Nanadie	Brackish	September, 1896	56	27	0	15	0	120
26	Walgagunya	94 miles from Cue-Lake Way Road	Fresh	September, 1896	19	6	6	4	0	20
27	Mt. Townsend	114 miles do. do.	Fresh	August, 1896	313	133	0	108	0	70
28	Granites	134 miles do. do.	Fresh	October, 1896	173	59	6	42	0	30
29	Diorites	16 miles from Lake Way do.	Fresh	December, 1896	383	114	0	109	0	60
30	Wiluna	North from Lake Way	Fresh	December, 1896	372	102	6	70	0	20
31	Well at the Jones'	Lawlers-Lake Way Road	Fresh	30th October, 1896	168	67	0	61	0	300
32	No. 1 Cork Tree Flat	Do.	Fresh	15th December, 1896	200	100	0	No water.		
33	No. 2 do.	46 miles North-West of Mt. Sir Samuel	Fresh	7th October, 1896	87	32	6	26	0	250
34	Abercromby	60 miles do. do.	Fresh	8th October, 1896	45	10	0	7	6	500
35	Fallon's	19½ miles North of Lawlers	Fresh	9th July, 1897	176	52	0	17	0	4
36	34-Mile	Lawler's-Darlôt Road	Fresh	4th June, 1897	111	33	3	15	0	110
37	Well	Half-way Darlôt-Wilson's Patch	Fresh	1st July, 1897	465	125	0	100	0	90
38	Cody's	Half-way Lawlers-Wilson's Patch	Fresh	5th September, 1897	148	68	10	30	0	200
39	Wiluna	At Wiluna	Fresh	13th November, 1897	492	150	0	57	0	70
40	Ruby	On Stock Route Peak Hill-Lake Way	Fresh	9th December, 1807	108	25	0	18	0	600
41	Moolyagool	Do. do. do. do.	Fresh	12th January, 1898	154	33	0	21	0	800
42	Diamond	Do. do. do. do.	Fresh	12th February, 1898	172	26	0	14	0	500
43	Herberton or Mt. Sir Samuel Town	...	Fresh	13th June, 1897	...	51	0	47	4	250
44	Joyces'	Darlôt Old Workings	Fresh	30th July, 1898	678	139	6	80	0	50
*45	Lime Stone	Cue-Weeloona Road	In Progress							
*46	Cons	Do. do.	In Progress							
				1898—Total for 43 wells	11,959	...		...		7,829
				1697—Total for 38 wells	9,344	...		...		4,695
				1896—Total for 28 wells	6,574	...		...		3,179

* Not included in total. † Station Wells used by the Public. ‡ Private but used by the Public.

Table No. 4.—*Wells in the Goldfields Water Supply Districts, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Depth of well in feet.		Water Level on completion.		Approximate number of gallons per hour.	Quality of water.	Approximate cost completed.
			ft.	in.	ft.	in.			£
1	Coolgardie No. 3, Town	Opposite "Denver City Hotel," Bayley Street	181	3	162	0	80	slightly brackish	739
2	Kalgoorlie No. 4	1½ mile South-West Kalgoorlie, on Reserve No. 3398	175	0	81	0	145	4 oz.	736
3	Kalgoorlie No. 3	2½ miles East from Kalgoorlie	200	0	112	0	125	5·6 oz.	629
4	Ballagundi	2 miles North-North-West of Ballagundi Townsite	172	0	132	0	70	salt	446
5	Feysville	50 chains from block 50, Hampton Plains	60	0	41	0	17	,,	180
6	Mulgarrie	25 chains South-East Mulgarrie Township	117	0	72	0	170	4 oz.	399
7	Bardoc No. 2	1½ mile North-North-West of Bardoc	250	0	212	0	125	2 per cent.	944
8	Jessup's	4 miles South-West of Niagara	133	2	107	0	200	fresh	602
9	15-Mile, Swan Lagoon Road	On deviation—Gibson's Soak to 58-Mile	21	0	13	0	200	salt	63
10	Norseman	On flat below Norseman Township	47	0	10	0	600	,,	120
11	Wangine, No. 3 Well	On Allan's Road, traverse to Mulline	70	0	45	0	104	fresh	122
12	Swan Lagoon	Swan Lagoon	81	0	60	0	250	salt	247
13	15-Mile, Norseman-Coolgardie Road	Near Lake Cowan	51	0	40	0	200	very salt	155
14	Mount Ida—22 miles South	22 miles South of Township of Mount Ida	85	0	30	0	200	fresh	250
15	Mount Ida—15 miles South	15 miles South of Township of Mount Ida	116	0	...		20	,,	375
16	Dingo Creek	14 miles North of Niagara	131	0	102	0	100	,,	335
17	Sandy Creek	10 miles North-West of Niagara	44	0	32	0	40	,,	130
18	Mulline	3 miles East-North-East of Town	151	0	...		50	salt	490
19	Gum Creek	45 miles North-North-West of Sandy Creek	100	0	...		200	fresh	370
20	78-Mile	On Esperance-Dundas Road	100	0	...		100	salt	220
21	Coolgardie No. 2, Town	Near the "Grand Hotel"	183	0	174	0	100	slightly brackish	816
22	64-Mile Peg, Niagara-Margaret Road	18 miles North-East of Dingo Creek	34	0	...		not bailable	fresh	130
23	Bulong	On Water Reserve No. 70, Bulong Townsite	200	0	177	0	120	brackish	523
24	Wanaway	On Coolgardie-Norseman Road, about 60 miles from Coolgardie	112	0	90	0	60	,,	405
25	Cane Grass Swamp	Near Londonderry, Coolgardie-Norseman Road	58	0	44	0	100	salt	152
26	42-Mile	On Coolgardie to Goongarrie Road	155	0	135	0	30	2·2 per cent.	750
27	Flat Rocks	On Coolgardie to Menzies Telegraph Line	87	0	52	0	3150	0·75 per cent.	350
28	Bardoc (No. 1 Shaft)	90 chains East Bardoc Townsite	200	0	175	0	110	2 per cent.	994
29	Kunanalling	6 chains North-East of Government Tank	120	0	96	0	150	2·5 per cent.	300
30	Broad Arrow	70 chains South-West of Broad Arrow	200	0	170	0	140	2·4 per cent.	855
31	Burra Rocks	On Coolgardie-Dundas Road, 37 miles from Coolgardie	24	0	15	6	300	fresh	68
32	Coolgardie No. 1, Town	Near Municipal Chambers, Bayley Street	160	0	157	0	80	,,	1090
33	No. 1 Bore Coolgardie	South-West of Township	165	0	156	0	200	brackish	2514
34	Menzies	About half a mile South-East of Townsite	150	0	130	0	17	stock	1086
35	Speakman's	About 1½ mile North of Callion Townsite	136	0	105	0	13	,,	402
36	Wingarnie (50-Mile Rock)	On Coolgardie-Norseman Road	80	0	...		150	fresh	157
37	Ularring	About 45 chains South-West of Rock	54	0	...		20	,,	517
38	Coolgardie No. 2 Bore	2½ miles South-West of Town, at Diamond Drill Reserve 3448	139	0	...		250	good stock	425
39	Kalgoorlie No. 1	2 miles East-North-East of Townsite, on Reserve 3093	193	0	...		200	salt	1618
40	Kalgoorlie No 2	1½ mile South-West of Townsite, on Reserve 3398	198	0	...		250	,,	4491
41	Limekiln	About 4 miles South-West of Kalgoorlie, on Reserve 3341	* 200	0	...		200	,,	517
42	Rogers' Well	Near Cattle Swamp about 12 miles North of Coolgardie	60	0	...		30	,,	

43	Siberia	About 20 chains North-West of Townsite	107	0	91	0	40	stock	461
44	Kanowna	About 1½ mile South-South-East of Townsite	157	0	86	0	40	salt	460
45	Wiladdi	On Bardoc-Yerilla Road	180	0	168	0	36	stock	223
46	Slate Well	About 1 mile East of Block 48, Hampton Plains	* 160	0	...		70	fresh	
47	Conglomerate Ridge	1 mile South of Deviation Rocks	* 150	0	120	0	60	good stock	
48	Trough Well	On Southern Cross-Mount Jackson Road (old road)	shallow		...		20	fresh	
49	Gnarlbine (2 wells)	About 18 miles South-West of Coolgardie	,,		...		40	,,	418
50	Do. (2 wells)	Do. do. do.	deep		...		70	,,	498
51	Gilvalley	On the Kurnalpi-Ejudina Road	shallow		...		110	salt	
52	Hunt's Well	On Southern Cross-Coolgardie Road	* 80	0	...		50	fresh	1246
53	Sand Plain Well	Do. do. 5½ miles west of Boorabbin	* 110	0	...		40	brackish	1019
54	88-Mile	Do. do.	* 130	0	...		500	salt	
55	Wangine No. 1	On Southern Cross-Goongarrie Road	70	0	60	0	100	fresh	280
56	Wangine No. 2	Do. do.	68	0	51	0	40	brackish	272
57	Menangina Rocks (3 wells)	On Bardoc-Mount Margaret Road	shallow		...		20	fresh	
58	Upper Box Creek (2 wells)	Do. do.	,,		...		30	,,	
59	Goongarrie	50 chains West from Tanksite	45	0	30	0	120	salt	125
60	Hospital Rocks	30 miles West from Mulline	27	0	12	0	80	fresh	50
61	Black Flag	In Tank Reserve	67	6	51	0	125	salt	107
62	The Yates	9 miles from Gibson's Soak	40	0	26	0	100	stock	116
63	Kurnalpi	1¼ mile West from Kurnalpi	198	0	148	0	60	salt	526
64	Wongi	6 miles East from Wongi	72	0	...		...	...	270
65	Emu Rocks	3 miles North of Rocks on Coolgardie-Widgiemooltha Road	91	0	...		20	...	215
66	Paddington	On Reserve ⩚ 4533	148	6	...		60	salt	400
67	Boulder	On Reserve ⩚ 3588	170	0	123	0	375	,,	581
68	Kurrajong	Kurrajong	50	0	42	0	190	fresh	165
†69	Golden Valley	Near Knutsford	80	0	...		...	stock	
70	Kilkenny	Niagara-Mount Margaret Road	60	0	40	0	130	...	250
71	27-Mile Peg	Menzies-Mount Ida Road	40	0	22	0	40	salt	124
72	McKenzies	12 miles North-West of Mount Margaret	49	0	...		80	fresh	250
		1898—Total for 71 wells					11,312	...	33,768
		1897—Total for 63 wells					10,432	...	33,033
		1896—Total for 59 wells					10,067	...	32,243

* Approximate figures. † Not included in total, the work not having been completed during 1897.

No. 4.—*Wells in the Goldfields Districts, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELDS WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT—*continued.*

RETURN OF SHALLOW WELLS OR SOAKS.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Depth of well in feet.	Quality of water.	Approximate cost completed.
1	Deviation Rocks	On Southern Cross-Mount Jackson Road	shallow	fresh	NOTE.—These wells are in reality shallow soaks, which have been put down around the rocks along the various roads, the expenditure being charged to one general authority.
2	Do.	Do. do.	,,	,,	
3	Jenning's Soak	Do. do.	,,	,,	
4	Native Soak	Do. do.	,,	,,	
5	Glasses Soak	Do. do.	,,	,,	
6	Yekieyakine	Do. do.	,,	,,	
7	Yelladine (4 wells)	On Southern Cross-Coolgardie Road	,,	,,	
8	Yelladine Condenser (4 wells)	Do. do.	,,	salt	
9	Karalee and Reserve Rocks (6 wells)	Do. do.	,,	fresh	
10	Koorarawalye (2 wells)	Do. do.	,,	,,	
11	Do. (1 well)	Do. do.	deep	,,	
12	Rocks South of Koorarawalye (2 wells)	Do. do.	shallow	,,	
13	3-Mile Rocks	Do. do.	,,	,,	
14	6-Mile Rocks	Do. do.	,,	,,	
15	Boorabin	Do. do.	...	,,	
16	3-Mile Rocks	Do. do.	shallow	,,	
17	Farm Rocks (6 wells)	Do. do.	,,	,,	
18	Corling Rocks (4 wells)	Do. do.	,,	,,	
19	70-Mile (4 wells)	Do. do.	,,	2 salt, 2 fresh	
20	Woolgangie (5 wells)	Do. do.	,,	fresh	
21	Bullabulling (5 wells)	Do. do.	,,	,,	
22	Mooroning (6 wells)	About 16 miles N.E. of Woolgangie	,,	,,	
23	Yerdi (6 wells)	About 5 miles S.E. of Woolgangie	...	,,	
24	108-Mile	On Southern Cross-Coolgardie Road	...	salt	
25	Dulagin (2 wells)	On Southern Cross-Goongarrie Road	...	fresh	
26	Weananie	Do. do.	shallow	,,	
27	Native Well	Do. do.	,,	,,	
28	Darrine	Do. do.	...	,,	
29	Ullamby	Do. do.	...	,,	
30	Wallangie	Do. do.	...	,,	
31	71-Mile Rock	Do. do.	...	,,	
32	Udardunging	Do. do.	...	,,	
33	Nearanging	Do. do.	...	,,	
34	Coomine	Do. do.	...	,,	

No. 5.—*Wells on Stock Routes, 31st December, 1898.*

MINGENEW TO MULLEWA.

No.	Name.	Locality.	Quality of water.	Date of Completion.	Total Cost.	Depth in Feet.	Depth of Water Level.	Approximate Supply in Gallons.
					£ s. d.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
1	Nangada Soak ...	13 miles North from Mingenew ...	Fresh ...	November, 1897 ...	96 0 0	10 8	...	5,000 storage.
2	Illino	21 miles North from Mingenew ...	Fresh ...	9th October, 1897 ...	86 6 8	10 0	3 0	8,500 ,,
3	Moloney's	4 Miles South from Mullewa ...	Brackish ...	17th September, 1897	96 0 0	43 0	22 0	1,320 per day.
			Total for 3 Wells		£278 6 8	...	...	14,820

No. 5.—*Wells on Stock Routes, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

MULLEWA TO ROEBOURNE.

No.	Name.	Distance apart.	Quality of Water.	How Water makes.	Depth.	
					ft.	in.
1	Wooderarrung	4 miles from Mullewa	Stock	8ft. in 12 hours	33	0
2	Woondenooka	10 miles from last	Do.	6ft. do.	10	0
3	Urewa	6 do. do.	Fresh	10ft. do.	44	0
3	Tallering	7 do. do.	Do.	2400 gals. in 12 hours	42	0
4	...	8 do. do.	...	4½ft., quickly	14	0
5	...	14 do. do.	...	13ft. do.	15	6
6	...	12 do. do.	Good	13ft. do.	16	6
7	...	12 do. do.	...	Fair supply	15	0
8	...	13 do. do.	Good	Quickly	34	0
9	...	12 do. do.	Slightly brackish	...	24	0
10	...	10 do. do.	Good	...	24	0
11	...	15 do. do.	Brackish	16ft., slowly	33	0
12	...	11 do. do.	...	16ft. do.	28	0
13	...	11 do. do.	Good	11ft. 6in., strong	31	0
14	...	12 do. do.	...	8ft. 6in. do.	17	0
15	...	10 do. do.	...	12ft. do.	72	0
16	...	10 do. do.	...	...	...	
17	...	11 do. do.	...	...	...	
18	...	11 do. do.	...	...	...	
19	...	10 do. do.	Good	Fair supply	35	0
20	...	25 do. do.	...	17ft., slowly	41	0
21	...	10 do. do.	Good	9½ft., quickly	20	0
22	...	10 do. do.	...	7ft. do.	35	0
23	...	11 do. do.	...	...	..	
24	...	11 do. do.	...	...	...	
25	...	10 do. do.	Good stock	30 feet	56	0
26	...	10 do. do.	...	30ft., slowly	52	0
27	...	10 do. do.	Good	23ft., quickly	52	6
28	...	10 do. do.	...	12ft. do.	33	0
29	...	12 do. do.	...	17ft., slowly	32	6
30	...	11 do. do.	...	12ft. do.	26	0
31	...	10 do. do.	Good	Unlimited supply	21	0
32	...	9 do. do.	...	...	...	
33	...	7 do. do.	...	...	...	
34	...	10 do. do.	Brackish	8ft., slowly	45	0
35	...	10 do. do.	...	...	...	
36	...	9 do. do.	...	...	...	
37	...	9 do. do.	...	13ft., slowly	27	6
38	...	12 do. do.	Good	20ft., strong	38	0
39	...	11 do. do.	Do.	20ft., slowly	62	0
40	...	10 do. do.	...	20ft. do.	38	6
41	...	22 do. do.	...	11ft., quickly	38	6
42	...	28 do. do.	Good	Large supply	44	6
43	...	11 do. do.	Do.	9ft., slowly	56	0
44	...	11 do. do.	...	19ft., quickly	60	6
45	...	12½ do. do.	Good	4ft. 6in., strong	26	0
46	...	33 do. do.	...	5ft., unlimited supply	30	0
47	...	12 do. do.	Fresh	14ft.	52	0
48	...	30 do. do.	Do.	10ft., strong	21	0
49	...	8 do. do.	Do.	16ft., slowly	37	0
50	...	10 do. do.	Do.	...	...	
51	...	11 do. do.	Do.	14ft.	42	0
52	...	9 do. do.	Do.	15ft.	40	6

CONDON TO BROOME.

No.	Name.	Distance apart.	Quality of Water.	Quantity of Water. Gallons.	Depth in feet.
1	Tonquin Spring	16 miles from Condon	Fresh	Large supply	
2	Thurabinna	9 miles from last	Good stock	800	22
3	Myadee	5½ do. do.	Fresh	1000	40
4	White Ant	15 do. do.	Do.	2000	22
5	Mea Mea	6 do. do.	Do.	1000	24
6	Warrangall	9 do. do.	Do.	800	22
7	Maranmall	6 do. do.	Do.	1500	18
8	Nuba	4 do. do.	Do.	900	14
9	Kergin Kergin	12 do. do.	Do.	1000	15
10	Yinadong	14 do. do.	Do.	1100	18
11	Wallal	9 do. do.	Do.	1500	17
12	Nalgie	10 do. do.	Do.	1270	20
13	Putty	7 do. do.	Do.	1350	18
14	Maramboor	12 do. do.	Do.	1000	14

No. 5.—*Wells on Stock Routes, 31st December, 1898*—continued.

CONDON TO BROOME—*continued.*

No.	Name.	Distance apart.	Quality of Water.	Quantity of Water. Gallons.	Depth in feet.
15	Nambeet	13 miles from last	Fresh	900	13
16	Mayall's No. 2	8 do. do.	Do.	2000	17
17	The One-Tree	9 do. do.	Do.	1100	17
18	Mayall's No. 1	7 do. do.	Do.	2160	25
19	Nardie	8 do. do.	Do.	1500	20
20	McPhee	8 do. do.	Do.	800	14
21	Chain Mangrove	3 do. do.	Do.	2000	15
22	Warraba	8 do. do.	Do.	...	6
23	Illwannery	7 do. do.	Do.	930	13
24	Badjairy Tank	5 do. do.	Do.	...	10
25	Corringa	7 do. do.	Do.	1000	10
26	Telegraph	3 do. do.	Do.	1800	14
27	Erinoo	3 do. do.	Do.	937	6
28	Nine-Mile	6 do. do.	... ...	...	...
29	Lurrodor	8 do. do.	Fresh	1560	15
30	Mayall's	... ...	... ...	...	...
31	Cape Villaret	... ...	... ...	...	...
32	Golduyers	12 miles from Roe's Station ...	... ...	...	...
33	Well	2 do. do.	... ...	...	...
34	Borme	23 do. from Broome	... ...	...	...
35	Cockle	11 do. do.	... ...	...	...
36	Well	4 do. do.	... ...	...	...
		Total supply from 25 wells ...	... ...	31907	

TURNER RIVER TO ROY HILL.

No.	Locality.	Distance apart.	Quality of Water.	Quantity of Water. Gallons per hour.	Depth in feet.	
					ft.	in.
1	About 11 miles North of Murchison River ...	... ...	Fresh ...	600	57	0
2	Between Murchison and Goscoyne Rivers ...	17 miles from last	Do. ...	Not large	155	0
3	... ...	14 do.	Do. ...	500	30	0
4	Gascoyne River	18 do.	Do. ...	450	42	0
5	Turner River	12 do.	Do. ...	600	23	0
6	Do.	14 do.	Do. ...	700	12	3
7	On South branch Ashburton River	17 do.	Do. ...	500	50	0
8	Do. do.	42 do.	Do. ...	650	28	6
9	Do. do.	13 do.	Do. ...	500	20	6
10	On East branch do.	25 do.	Salt ...	... ...	20	0
11	1 mile North from No. 10 Well	1 do.	Fresh ...	fair supply	23	6
12	On East branch Ashburton River	13 do.	Stock			
13	Do. do.	14 do.	Fresh ...	good supply	50	0
14	Do. do.	16 do.	Do. ...	... ...	33	0
15	North-East from No. 14 Well	14 do.	... ...	good supply	60	0
16	On Goldfields Creek	16 do.	... ...	splendid supply	55	0
17	North from No. 16 Well	16 do.	... ...	fair supply	83	0
18	On Ethel River	15 do.	Fresh ...	good supply	34	0
19	Do.	12 do.	Do. ...	unlimited supply	35	0
20	Do. North of Opthalmia Range ...	14 do.	Do. ...	small	120	0
21	Do. do. do. ...	13 do.	... ...	... ...	100	0
22	Do. do. do. ...	14 do.	Good ...	... ...	41	0

Part VII.—MINERAL STATISTICS AND WATER CONSERVATION.

No. 6.—*Railway Tanks constructed by the West Australian Government to 31st December, 1898.*

EASTERN RAILWAY—(Fremantle to Kalgoorlie).

Name of Station supplied.	Storage capacity of reservoir in gallons.	Catchment area in acres.	Average annual rainfall in inches.	Effective quantity of water stored during 1898. Gallons.	Cost of construction. £	Remarks.
Midland Junction	11,500,000	Bore	34	15,720,190	6,785	5 m'ths only.
Chidlow's Well	117,000,000	4,017	40	102,725,906		
Clackline Junction	4,000,000	1,903	18	2,564,520		
Spencer's Brook	21,112,000	1,200	16	16,531,144	7,797	
Burlong Pool	28,000,000	Creek bed	16	1,829,000		
Northam	11,291,000	194	16	Not recorded	7,773	
Cunderdin	12,200,000	729	14	7,526,780	6,798	
Tammin	94,011,000	3,044	15	3,415,417	12,344	
Kellerberrin	3,800,000	481	14	2,959,062	3,872	
Merredin	7,470,000	40	14	6,095,381	5,366	
Burracoppin	8,326,000	120	11	1,270,806	6,736	
Bodallin	16,803,000	150	9	2,848,147	8,708	
Parker's Road	7,081,000	220	8	4,230,574	9,131	
Parsonage Gully, Southern Cross	643,200	218	8	672,855	2,411	
Yellowdine (1)	1,112,000	94	...	1,156,740	3,270	
Do. (2)	2,907,000			4,210,267	5,966	
Karalee	10,642,200	176	...	6,233,455	15,460	
Koorarawalyee	1,524,000	95	...	1,244,514	3,950	
Boorabbin (1)	968,700	374	...	986,905	15,001	
Do. (2)	4,847,000			5,139,661		
Boondi	4,845,000	72	...	3,385,410	5,994	
Woolgangie (1)	1,302,700	100	...	1,386,602	3,772	
Do. (2)	5,573,000			3,652,905	5,550	
Bullabulling (1)	1,198,000	60	...	946,474	2,912	
Do. (2)	3,592,000			1,551,740	5,000	
1898: Total, 25 Tanks ...	381,748,100	13,287	...	211,811,265	144,596	

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY—(Spencer's Brook to Albany).

*Wagin Lake...	6,500,000	...	...	5,349,970	...	Extended in July, 1898, at a cost of £1,245.
*195-Mile	7,000,000	...	...	6,175,300	...	Extended in July, 1898, at a cost of £1,047.
*Cranbrook	2,500,000	...	...	1,999,540		
1898: Total, 3 Tanks ...	16,000,000	...	...	13,524,810		
1897: Do. ...	8,000,000					

* Constructed by the W.A. Land Company and handed over to the West Australian Government in December, 1896.

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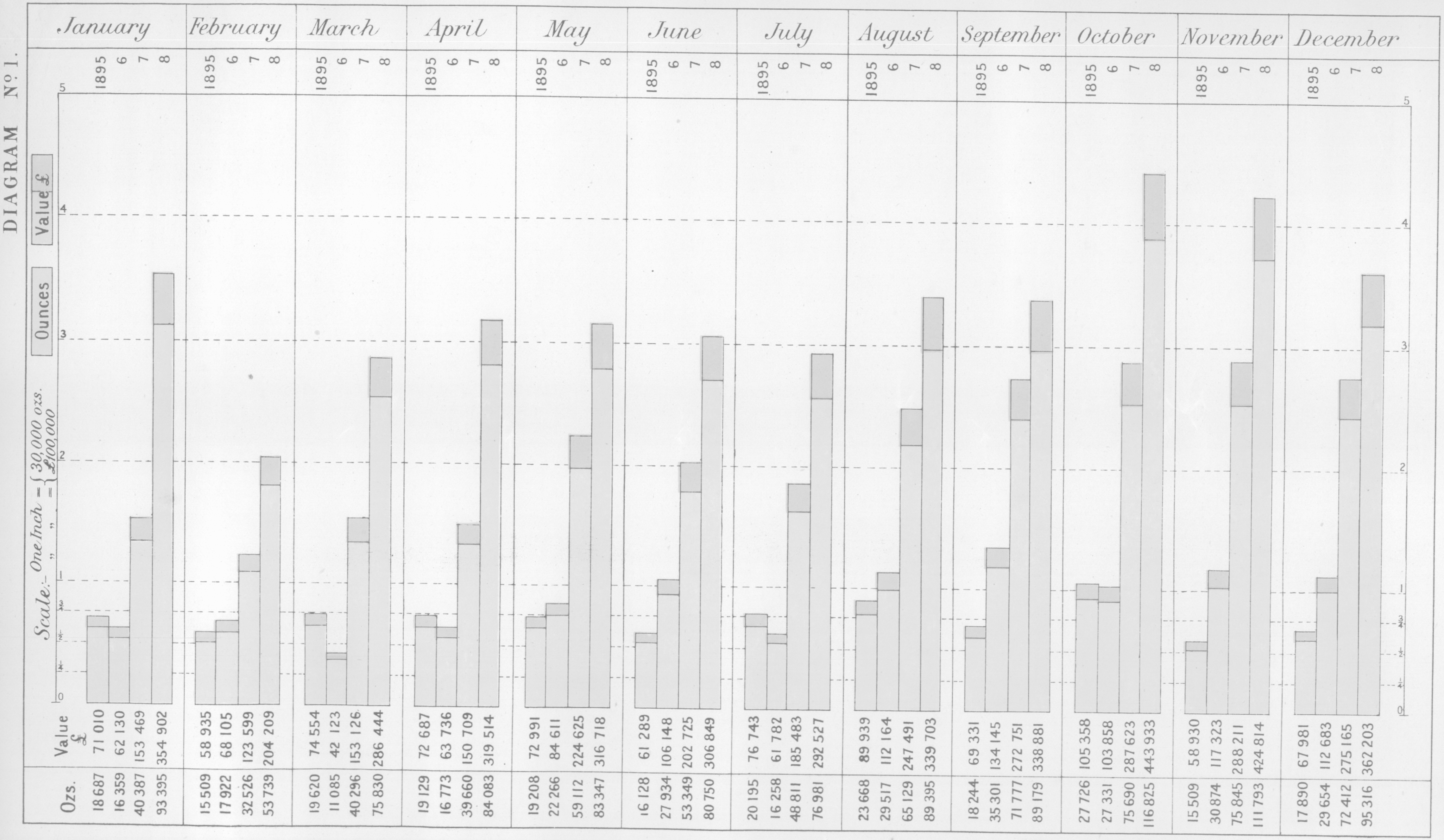

	Value £ 1895	Value £ 6	Value £ 7	Value £ 8	Ozs. 1895	Ozs. 6	Ozs. 7	Ozs. 8
January	71 010	62 130	153 469	354 902	18 687	16 359	40 387	93 395
February	58 935	68 105	123 599	204 209	15 509	17 922	32 526	53 739
March	74 554	42 123	153 126	286 444	19 620	11 085	40 296	75 830
April	72 687	63 736	150 709	319 514	19 129	16 773	39 660	84 083
May	72 991	84 611	224 625	316 718	19 208	22 266	59 112	83 347
June	61 289	106 148	202 725	306 849	16 128	27 934	53 349	80 750
July	76 743	61 782	185 483	292 527	20 195	16 258	48 811	76 981
August	89 939	112 164	247 491	339 703	23 668	29 517	65 129	89 395
September	69 331	134 145	272 751	338 881	18 244	35 301	71 777	89 179
October	105 358	103 858	287 623	443 933	27 726	27 331	75 690	116 825
November	58 930	117 323	288 211	424 814	15 509	30 874	75 845	111 793
December	67 981	112 683	275 165	362 203	17 890	29 654	72 412	95 316

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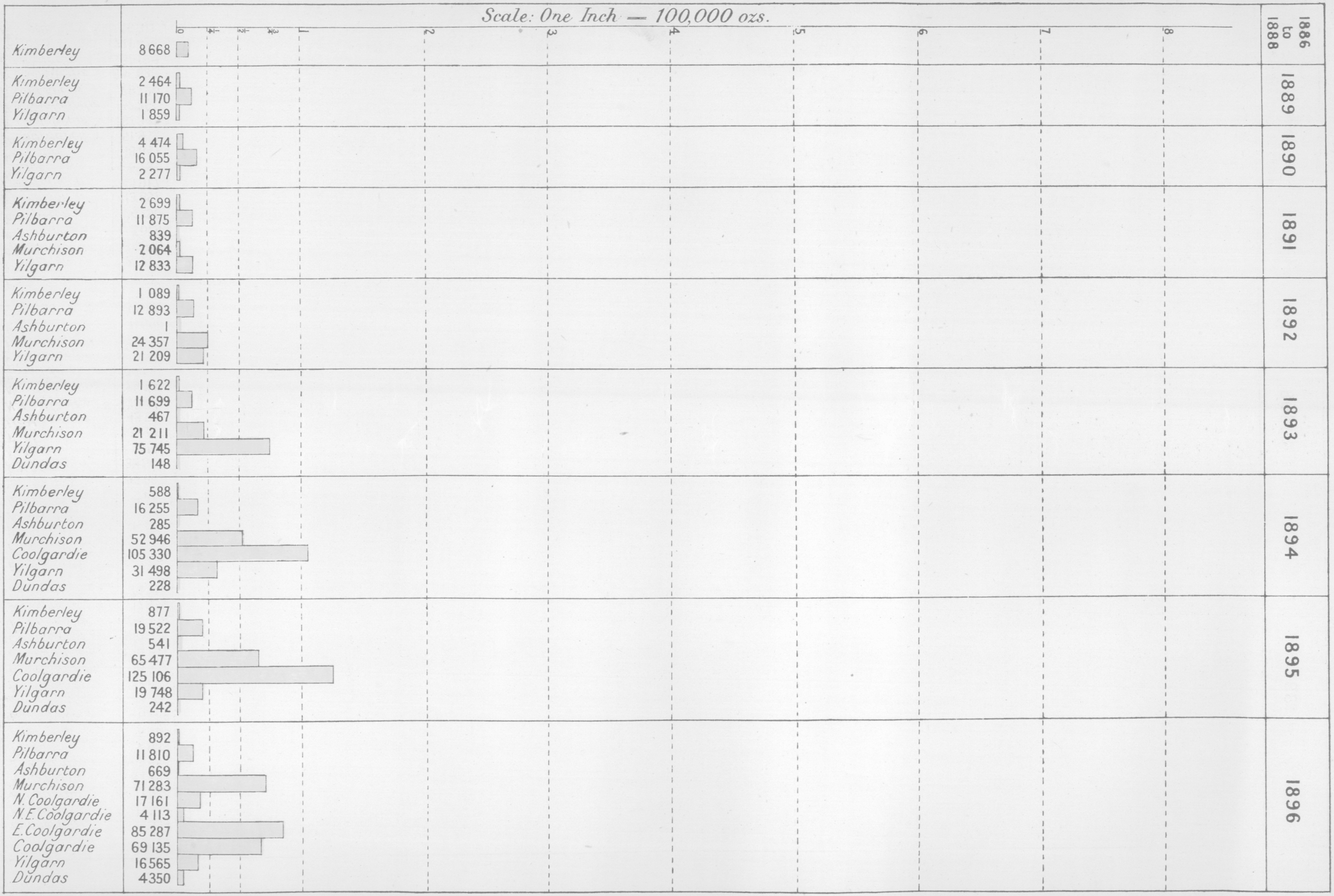

NOTE. In 1896 the return of the Coolgardie Goldfields was Subdivided, in 1897 that of

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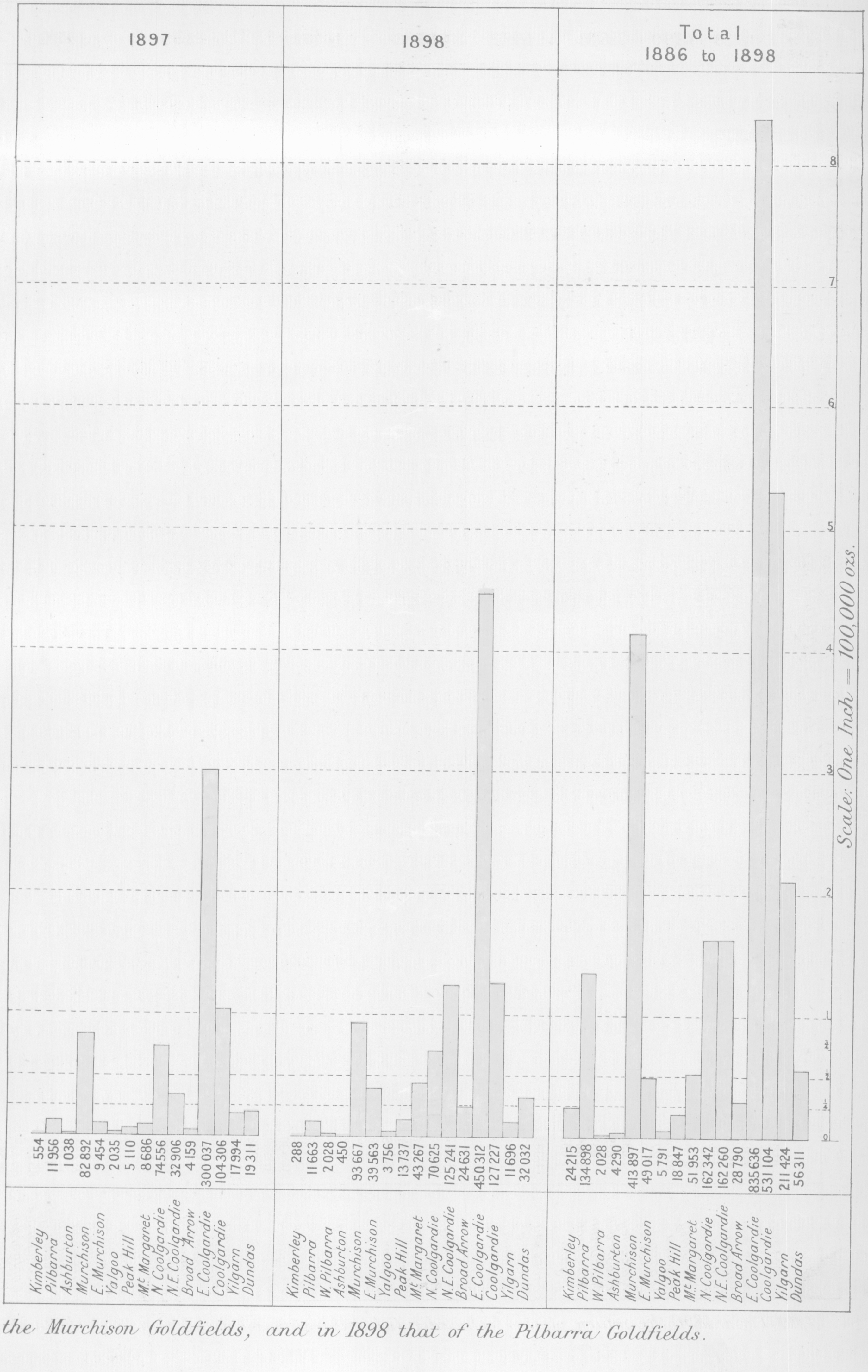

the Murchison Goldfields, and in 1898 that of the Pilbarra Goldfields.

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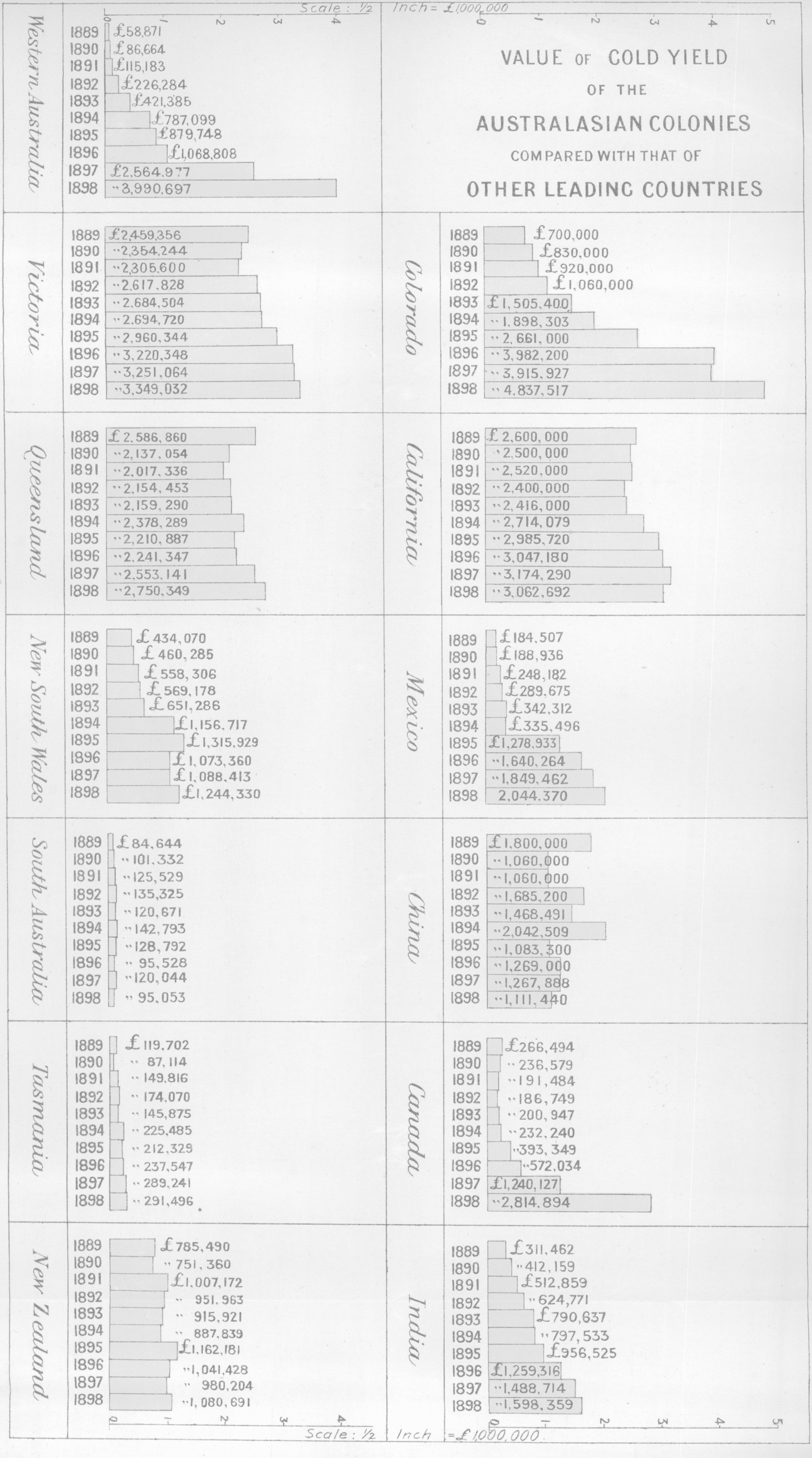
VALUE OF GOLD YIELD OF THE AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES COMPARED WITH THAT OF OTHER LEADING COUNTRIES



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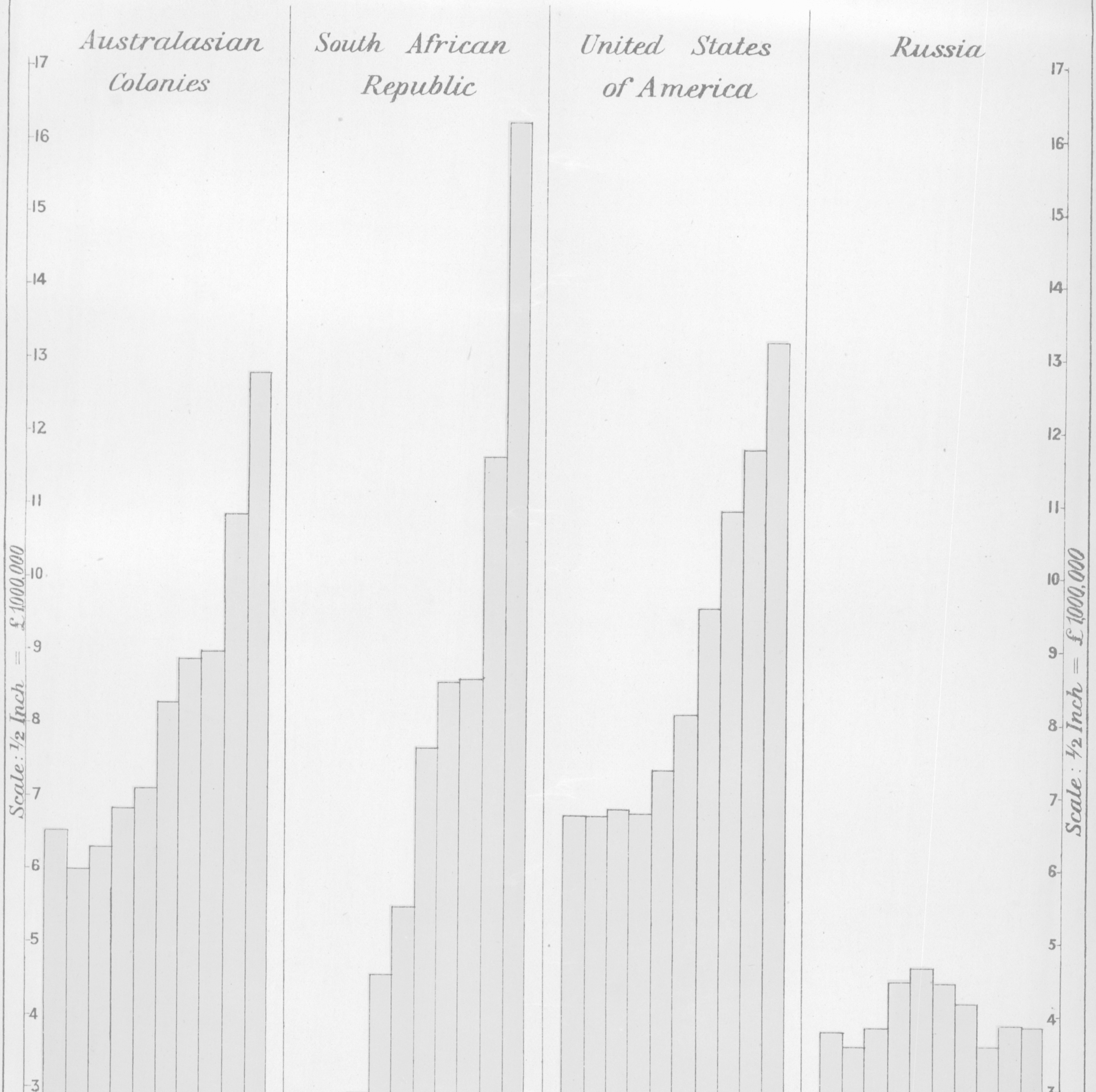
VALUE OF GOLD YIELD OF THE PRINCIPAL GOLD PRODUCING COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD



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STATISTICAL REGISTER

FOR THE YEAR

1898,

AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

(COMPILED IN THE REGISTRAR GENERAL'S OFFICE FROM OFFICIAL RETURNS.)

PART VIII.

LAW, CRIME, ETC.

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(Statistics compiled from the Annual Reports of the Commissioner of Titles.)

No. 1.—*Transactions registered in the Office of Land Titles during each of the Ten Years 1889–1898.*

Particulars.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
* Applications approved and completed	146	179	250	269	204	257	351	420	627	708
* Applications rejected or withdrawn	8	5	6	9	8	8	5	8	16	5
* Applications pending	10	10	6	21	8	2	5	12	3	23
Applications to bring land under the operation of the Transfer of Land Act, included above	§	§	§	§	§	§	§	§	§	114
Declared value of land brought under the Act on application ... ... £	92610	117641	225536	242118	176873	118810	137609	194612	217626	282180
Transfers registered	912	1137	2277	2417	1828	1909	2934	5322	6924	6076
Consideration expressed ... £	245708	172572	422806	367155	296133	357130	712185	1774178	2052644	2287472
Mortgages registered	271	277	366	492	520	481	684	923	1387	1517
Amount of principal moneys thereby secured ... £	186886	205074	240398	298615	630237	487774	341984	623987	1237272	1212961
Leases registered	21	20	29	28	34	34	56	123	174	143
Caveats lodged	91	105	122	141	266	241	365	626	1085	1300
Transfers on Permits	38	11	16	12	12	21	14	78	83	30
Consideration expressed ... £	3810	1271	850	1033	15487	4575	98561	28498	16888	6686
Mortgages on Permits	9	8	4	8	13	7	5	4	16	21
Principal secured ... £	6099	30765	6080	5363	84941	11465	2112	8700	24182	25037
‡ Certificates of Title registered	1424	2448	2595	2404	1715	2681	2597	4297	5168	5113
Plans deposited	†	†	†	†	†	257	343	393	249	165
Survey Diagrams deposited ...								111	372	232

* Applications to bring land under the operation of the Transfer of Land Act, to be registered as proprietor of land already under the Transfer of Land Act, etc., etc. † No separate returns are given for these years. ‡ These include lands registered: (1) on alienation by the Crown; (2) on application; (3) on change of proprietorship. § Not stated for these years.

Assurance Fund: Amount standing to credit, 31st December, 1898	£8,727 17s. 4d.
Number of Plans and Survey Diagrams deposited to end of 1898	Plans, 2,099; Diagrams, 978.

No. 2.—*Receipts, Expenditure, and net Revenue in the Offices of Land Titles and Deeds during each of the Ten Years 1889-1898.*

Particulars.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Fees collected—										
Titles Office	2076	2436	4449	4699	3936	3929	5643	9781	13099	12313
Deeds Office	193	168	195	159	159	135	127	218	238	230
Total receipts	2269	2604	4644	4858	4095	4064	5770	9999	13337	12543
Expenditure	1485	1320	1880	2168	2717	3742	3808	5116	9725	10116
Net Revenue ...	784	1284	2764	2690	1378	322	1962	4883	3612	2427

Part VIII.—LAW, CRIME, Etc.

No. 3.—*Tabular View of the Progress of the Transfer of Land Act from the commencement of its Operation on the 1st July, 1875, to 31st December, 1898.*

Year.	* Area registered.	† Applications lodged.	Applications rejected.	Transfers.	Mortgages.	Leases.
	Acres.					
1875	228	31	3	1	1	...
1876	11516	81	5	26	13	1
1877	35069	108	5	38	34	1
1878	83634	102	8	88	34	...
1879	47417	105	8	103	43	1
1880	28419	92	19	168	36	4
1881	84266	107	10	143	70	3
1882	101798	154	10	296	111	3
1883	101235	173	9	349	144	4
1884	40485	126	5	426	178	14
1885	67055	152	6	633	216	7
1886	84596	175	8	1085	278	17
1887	79348	136	4	733	303	16
1888	121661	149	4	970	311	16
1889	118366	164	8	912	271	21
1890	614173	194	5	1137	277	20
1891	1212021	262	6	2277	366	29
1892	1250774	299	9	2417	492	28
1893	384294	220	8	1828	520	34
1894	115463	267	8	1909	481	34
1895	215788	361	5	2934	684	56
1896	276035	440	8	5322	923	123
1897	71923	646	16	6924	1387	174
1898	47811	736	5	6076	1517	143

* Lands brought under the operation of the Transfer of Land Act—(1) on alienation by the Crown; (2) on application.

† See footnote to Table No. 1 (*).

II.—PATENTS, TRADE MARKS, Etc.

No. 4.—*Comparative Statement of the Revenue of the Patent Office for the Years 1897 and 1898 respectively.*

	1897.			1898.			Increase in latter year.			Decrease in latter year.		
	Office Receipts.			Office Receipts.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patents	1821	4	0	1642	1	0	...			179	3	0
Designs	1	3	6	1	0	0	...			0	3	6
Trade Marks	306	8	0	324	8	0	18	0	0	...		
Copyrights	2	11	0	2	1	6	...			0	9	6
Total	2131	6	6	1969	10	6	18	0	0	179	16	0

No. 5.—*Transactions of the Patent Office during each of the Years 1876-1898.*

Year.	Letters of Registration Granted.	Assignments of Letters of Registration.	Letters Patent Granted.	Assignments of Letters Patent.	Provisional Protection.	Trade Marks Registered.	Designs Registered.	Copyrights Registered.	Fees Received.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
1876	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2170*
1877	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1878	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1879	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1880	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1881	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1882	16	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1883	27	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1884	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1885	9	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	
1886	17	2	...	...	...	26	...	...	460
1887	19	5	...	...	...	104	...	...	871
1888	35	2	...	...	...	113	...	...	919
1889	35	2	2	...	...	40	...	1	650
1890	36	7	...	...	...	69	...	1	648
1891	46	9	1	...	...	108	2	1	986
1892	33	5	30	...	10	75	2	1	539
1893	10	7	65	5	32	99	1	4	588
1894	12	1	99	9	80	104	3	4	906
1895	†	5	116	22	85	190	1	6	1191
1896	...	3	266	23	141	151	1	1	1973
1897	...	3	319	25	160	225	2	21	2131
1898	...	...	328	41	168	221	2	17	1970

* From 1876 to the beginning of the year 1886 all business relating to Patents was controlled by the Colonial Secretary.

† By "The Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Acts Amendment Act, 1894," the provision existing for the granting of Letters of Registration was repealed.

Note.—Up to the beginning of the year 1889 the fee for Letters of Registration was £25, and that for Letters Patent £50; these were then reduced to £15 and £4 respectively. In March, 1892, the fee for Letters of Registration was further reduced to £10.

No. 6.—*Number of Trade Marks registered in the Trade Marks Office during each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.*

Classes.	Classification of Goods.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Total.
1	Chemical substances used in manufactures, photography, or philosophical research, and anti-corrosives	2	3	...	1	1	...	3	2	4	3	19
2	Chemical substances used for agricultural, horticultural, veterinary, and sanitary purposes	...	3	...	...	5	2	10	1	3	6	30
3	Chemical substances prepared for use in medicine and pharmacy	...	3	17	6	7	13	25	14	18	16	119
4	Raw or partly-prepared vegetable, animal, and mineral substances used in manufactures not included in other classes	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	2	2	7
5	Unwrought and partly-wrought metals used in manufacture ...	1	1	...	2	4	...	...	...	4	2	14
6	Machinery of all kinds, and parts of machinery, except agricultural and horticultural machines included in Class 7	...	2	...	...	1	4	...	1	2	2	12
7	Agricultural and horticultural machinery, and parts of such machinery	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	6
8	Philosophical instruments, scientific instruments, and apparatus for useful purposes; instruments and apparatus for teaching	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	5
9	Musical instruments	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	5
10	Horological instruments	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
11	Instruments, apparatus, and contrivances not medicated for surgical or curative purposes, or in relation to the health of men or animals	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	3
12	Cutlery and edge-tools	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	3	10
13	Metal goods not included in other classes	...	...	...	...	10	6	4	1	6	4	31
14	Goods of precious metals (including aluminium, nickel, Britannia-metal, etc.) and jewellery, and imitations of such goods and jewellery	...	2	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	6
15	Glass	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	2	2	7
16	Porcelain and earthenware	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
17	Manufactures from mineral and other substances for building or decoration	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	6
18	Engineering, architectural, and building contrivances	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	3	8
19	Arms, ammunition, and stores not included in Class 20	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	3
20	Explosive substances	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	2	4	12
21	Naval architectural contrivances and naval equipments not included in Classes 19 and 20	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
22	Carriages	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9	17	4	33
23	Cotton-yarn and thread	...	...	2	4	...	3	...	1	...	5	15
24	Cotton piece-goods of all kinds	1	...	1	...	5	2	2	...	1	...	12
25	Cotton goods not included in Classes 23, 24, and 38	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	4
26	Linen and hemp yarn and thread	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
27	Linen and hemp piece-goods	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
28	Linen and hemp goods not included in Classes 26, 27, and 50 ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
29	Jute yarns and tissues, and other articles made of jute not included in Class 50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Silk—spun, thrown, or sewing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
31	Silk piece goods	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
32	Other silk goods not included in Classes 30 and 31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
33	Yarns of wool, worsted, or hair	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
34	Cloth and stuffs of wool, worsted, or hair	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	3	2	9
35	Woollen and worsted and hair goods not included in Classes 33 and 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Carpets, floorcloth, and oilcloth	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3
37	Leather—skins, unwrought and wrought, and articles made of leather not included in other classes	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	2	6
38	Articles of clothing	...	2	1	2	4	4	10	2	5	3	33
39	Paper (except paperhangings), stationery, and bookbinding ...	...	4	...	1	2	...	1	3	3	...	14
40	Goods manufactured from indiarubber and gutta percha, not included in other classes	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	4
41	Furniture and upholstery	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	3
42	Substances used as food or ingredients in food	3	9	49	23	21	11	37	46	41	37	277
43	Fermented liquors and spirits	9	3	16	10	7	11	20	15	23	22	136
44	Mineral and aerated waters, natural and artificial, including ginger-beer	...	6	...	2	2	8	4	2	13	14	51
45	Tobacco, whether manufactured or unmanufactured	6	2	1	17	4	16	16	20	24	24	130
46	Seeds for agricultural or horticultural purposes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
47	Candles, common soap, detergents; illuminating, heating, or lubricating oils; matches; and starch, blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes	5	10	10	...	10	8	22	15	20	37	137
48	Perfumery (including toilet articles), preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap	3	8	6	2	...	4	17	2	15	8	65
49	Games of all kinds, and sporting articles not included in other classes	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3
50	Miscellaneous	1	1	1	2	3	4	3	2	5	3	25
	Total	40	69	108	75	99	104	190	151	225	221	1282

III.—SUPREME COURT.

Transactions in the Supreme Court of Western Australia during each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.

No. 7. –*Common Law.*

Year.	Writs commencing Actions.		Judgments signed and entered.		Writs of *fieri facias.*		Foreign Judgments.		Causes tried before the Judges (with Jury).	Causes tried before the Judges (without Jury).	Appeals.	Cases stated.	Motions made in Court.
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.					
		£		£		£		£	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1889	411	75688	*242	52779	142	20977	Included in Judgments.	Included in Amount of Judgments.	5	19	8	Not given separately	25
1890	356	60996	*226	28403	115	13308			6	25	7		12
1891	299	149310	*144	25328	78	19469			9	9	14		15
1892	374	105603	*175	71261	83	10263			3	24	21		35
1893	484	110179	423	79757	255	34202	1	166	5	35	26		12
1894	732	176132	365	68393	207	32059	6	1147	3	45	38	18	22
1895	956	395940	375	47710	278	28798	11	1771	19	63	19	15	34
1896	1289	391154	406	86118	266	36827	21	10218	†	†	†	†	†
1897	2455	549564	1046	155393	678	103585	43	18024	21	188	47	23	80
1898	2211	503767	1126	172775	718	106026	18	10617	30	206	84	33	99

* Including "Foreign Judgments," if any. † Figures not supplied.

No. 8.—*Probate Business.*

Year.	Probates.				Letters of Administration.				Other fees (searches, copies, etc.).	Total amount of Fees paid and Duty collected.	Total Sworn Value of Estates.
	No. Granted.	Amount of Duty collected.	Amount of Fees paid.	Sworn Value of Estates.	No. Issued.	Amount of Duty collected.	Amount of Fees paid.	Sworn Value of Estates.			
		£	£	£		£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	42	Previous to 59 Vict., No. 18	Not given separately	Previous to 59 Vict., No. 18	31	Previous to 59 Vict., No. 18	Not given separately	Previous to 59 Vict., No. 18	Not given separately	Not given separately	Previous to 59 Vict., No. 18
1890	52				21						
1891	64				32						
1892	66				46						
1893	88				44						
1894	68				44						
1895	125				99						
1896	95	2501	287	189894	116	346	207	100615	55	3395	290509
1897	165	9231	542	410980	163	89	373	143039	514	10750	554019
1898	146	14553	741	604917	139	240	307	53962	205	16046	658879

No. 9.—*Bankruptcy, Bills of Sale, and Liens.*

Year.	Bankruptcy.					Bills of Sale.				Liens.	
	Bankruptcy Notices.	Bankruptcy Petitions.		Total Assets.	Total Liabilities.	Bills of Sale registered.	Amount of Consideration.	Satisfactions entered.	Amount of Satisfactions.	Liens registered.	Amount of Consideration.
		Creditors.	Debtors.								
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1889	Previ	ous	to	55 Vict.,	No. 32	169	237721	...	...	46	48296
1890						215	322261	24	35044	44	37668
1891						156	267766	32	89595	39	64605
1892						219	321129	29	32705	54	47846
1893	14	16	28	91113	67678	308	317990	29	23315	39	38861
1894	17	15	17	42197	18405	240	468940	41	49911	40	44061
1895	29	17	23	44615	77131	274	280536	37	39714	38	25655
1896	26	20	22	26259	358175	296	372432	57	220210	37	26880
1897	55	34	58	82678	122637	544	5591313	87	92205	29	28927
1898	107	54	103	171261	228790	712	893323	102	204303	50	24818

PART VIII.—LAW, CRIME, ETC.

No. 10.—*In Divorce and in Lunacy.*

Year.	* IN DIVORCE.												IN LUNACY.		
	Petitions for							Decrees for							
	Dissolution of Marriage.	Judicial Separation.	Alimony.	Appearances entered.	Answers filed.	Citations issued.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights.	Dissolution of Marriage.	Judicial Separation.	Alimony.	Order to proceed in *forma pauperis*.	Appeals in Full Court.	Petitions filed.	Accounts passed.	Motions.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1889	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
1890	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
1891	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	2					
1892	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1					
1893	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1							
1894	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1							
1895	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	1
1896	7	1	...	3	1	8	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	1
1897	9	...	...	4	5	14	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
1898	15	1	...	7	4	23	...	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	1

* Several of the items recorded for 1896, 1897, and 1898 are not obtainable for previous years.

No. 11.—*Companies, Newspapers, and Commissions.*

Year.	COMPANIES.			Newspapers Registered.	Commissions Issued.
	Local Companies Registered.	Amount of Capital.	Foreign Companies.		
	No.	£	No.	No.	No.
1889	41	1661000	...	11	18
1890	13	378091	...	14	28
1891	7	150000	...	15	25
1892	9	334485	...	12	32
1893	7	56500	11	14	28
1894	24	337500	132	19	39
1895	71	1123000	212	27	38
1896	169	2321365	489	10	47
1897	84	1210145	201	32	52
1898	44	356655	122	42	29

No. 12.—*In Chambers.*

Year.	COMMON LAW AND EQUITY.			ECCLESIASTICAL.	
	*Summonses issued.	†Orders made.	Affidavits filed.	Motions.	Orders made.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1889	154	200	240	83	83
1890	124	125	158	77	77
1891	167	106	215	96	96
1892	175	144	316	115	113
1893	221	131	392	107	104
1894	294	265	399	115	115
1895	285	371	522	‡	‡
1896	486	601	696	236	236
1897	835	861	805	328	308
1898	953	951	1163	§	285

*Including Attachment Summonses. †Including Attachment Orders.
‡ Figures not supplied. § Figures not recorded.

PART VIII.—LAW, CRIME, ETC.

No. 13.—*Fees Received.**

Year.	CENTRAL OFFICE.										BANKRUPTCY.			Curator Intestates' Estates (Ecclesiastical).	Total.
	Court Fees.	Bills of Sale.	Liens.	Ecclesiastical.	Companies.	Powers of Attorney.	Firms.	Divorce.	Lunacy.	Total.	Taken in Registry.	Taken by Official Receiver.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	866	...	...	195	...	1061
1890	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	801	...	...	281	...	1082
1891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	819	...	...	100	...	919
1892	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1113	151	91	242	150	1505
1893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1516	414	444	858	266	2640
1894	936	99	13	332	297	...	...	11	...	1688	223	454	677	201	2566
1895	1167	95	11	500	847	...	...	15	1	2636	360	589	949	262	3847
1896	1611	102	11	3395	2133	...	...	27	5	7284	393	426	819	469	8572
1897	3407	209	9	10750	1719	...	...	68	1	16163	668	552	1220	361	17744
1898	3717	272	16	16046	966	81	321	80	...	21499	1143	1402	2545	625	24669

*Details of fees for the earlier years of the decade are, in many instances, not obtainable.

No. 14.—*Occupations or Positions of Grantors of Bills of Sale, 1898.*

Occupation of Grantors.	No.	Occupation of Grantors.	No.	Occupation of Grantors.	No.
Accountants	4	Draper	1	Monumental Mason	1
Aerated Water Manufacturers	5	Engineer	1	Newspaper Editor	1
Agents	6	Electrical Engineers	2	Newspaper Proprietor	1
Architects	2	Farmers	74	Notary Public	1
Artist	1	Farmers and Graziers	25	Pastoralist	1
Assayers	3	Fisherman	1	Pastry Vendor	1
Auctioneer	1	Fishmonger	1	Pearlers	3
Bakers	7	Financiers	2	Photographer	1
Banker	1	Furnisher	1	Plumbers	5
Billiard Saloon Keeper	1	Gardeners	4	Police Constable	1
Blacksmiths	3	Gentlemen	2	Poulterers, etc.	2
Boardinghouse-keepers	10	Gold Mining Companies	16	Printers	5
Boatbuilder	1	Graziers	6	Produce Merchants	2
Bookseller	1	Greengrocer	1	Prospector	1
Bootmakers	9	Grocers	8	Restaurant-keepers	21
Bootseller	1	Hairdresser	1	Saddlers	2
Bottlers	3	Hairdressers and Tobacconists	7	Sawmill Proprietors	5
Brewers	8	Horseowner	1	Schoolmaster	1
Brickmakers	4	Housekeeper	1	Shipwright	1
Builder and Contractor	1	Importers	2	Signwriter	1
'Bus Proprietor	1	Ironfounders	4	Solicitors	8
Butchers	18	Ironmonger	1	Spinsters	7
Cab Proprietor	1	Jewellers	4	Squatters	2
Camel Owners	25	Joiner	1	Stationers	2
Carpenters	2	Journalists	4	Stockbrokers	2
Carriers	10	Labourers	4	Storekeepers	17
Carters	8	Land Agents	2	Storeman	1
Caterer	1	Landholder	1	Surveyor	1
Chemists	2	Law Clerk	1	Tailors	4
Civil Servants	12	Licensed Victuallers	118	Tea and Coffee Merchant	1
Clerks	4	Liverystable-keepers	2	Teamsters	6
Clerk in Holy Orders	1	Lodginghouse-keeper	1	Theatrical Manager	1
Coal Company	1	Machinist	1	Timber Merchants	5
Coffee Stall Proprietor	1	Mail Coach Proprietor	1	Timber Yard Manager	1
Commercial Traveller	1	Married Women	11	Tobacconists	5
Condensers	3	Master Mariner	1	Watchmaker and Jeweller	1
Confectioner	1	Medical Practitioners	5	Wheelwrights, etc.	2
Contractors	7	Mercer	1	Widows	8
Cordial Manufacturer	1	Merchants	8	Wineshop-keepers	5
Dairymen	2	Miners	8	Wood Merchant	1
Dealer	1	Mine Owner	1	Woollen Merchant	1
Decorator	1	Mining Agent	1	Unspecified	57
Dentists	2	Mining Expert	1		
				Total	712

PART VIII.—LAW, CRIME, ETC.

No. 15.—*Occupations and Places of Business of Bankrupts, 1898.*

(Bankruptcy Act, 1892.)

Debtors' Place of Residence or Business.	No.	Debtors' Place of Residence or Business.	No.	Debtors' Place of Residence or Business.	No.
Albany	2	Dardanup	1	Menzies	3
Balla Balla	1	Day Dawn	2	Midland Junction	3
Bayswater	1	Diorite King	1	Mount Magnet	1
Beaconsfield	1	Dongara	1	Mundaring	1
Boogardie	1	Esperance	3	Niagara	1
Boorara	1	Fremantle	21	Northam	4
Boulder	4	Geraldton	4	Northampton	1
Bridgetown	2	Guildford	6	Paddington	1
Brown Hill	1	Hooker's Siding	1	Perth	36
Bulong	3	Kalgoorlie	10	Subiaco	1
Bunbury	1	Kanowna	3	Wagerup	1
Claremont	3	Kunanalling	1	York	1
Coolgardie	19	Leederville	2		
Cue	4	Mainland, Lake Austin	1	Total	155

Occupation of Debtors.	No.	Occupation of Debtors.	No.	Occupation of Debtors.	No.
Accountant	1	Collector	1	No Occupation	2
Aerated Water Manufacturers	2	Contractors	6	Photographer	1
Agents	4	Cordial Manufacturer	1	Plumber	1
Architects	2	Drapers	3	Printer and Publisher	1
Auctioneers	3	Draughtsmen	2	Produce Merchants	2
Bakers	5	Engineers	4	Prospectors	2
Bed and Bedding Manufacturers	2	Farmers	2	Restaurant-keepers	7
		Fruiterers	2	Saddler	1
Blacksmith	1	Greengrocer	1	Sharebroker	1
Boardinghouse-keeper	1	Grocers	2	Solicitor	1
Bookbinder	1	Hotelkeepers	18	Storekeepers	18
Brewer	1	Jeweller	1	Tailors	2
Brickmaker	1	Journalist	1	Theatrical Manager	1
Brickmaster	1	Land Agents	3	Timber Cutter	1
Builders	3	Land Owners	3	Traveller	1
Building Surveyor	1	Livery Stable-keeper	1	Tobacconists	2
Butchers	3	Merchants	7	Wine and Spirit Merchants	3
Carpenters	2	Milliner	1		
Carriers	4	Miners	5		
Civil Servant	1	Mining Agents	2		
Clerks	2	Newspaper Proprietor	1	Total	155

No. 16.—*Number of Intestates' Estates reported, and Amounts collected by the Curator of Intestates' Estates during the Years 1892-1898:—*

Particulars.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Number of Estates reported	101	128	148	283	413	407	363
Amounts collected by Curator, £	6486	5214	5548	12534	14707	11528	10964

IV.—OFFENCES, COMMITMENTS, ETC.

(Statistics compiled from the Annual Returns supplied by the Commissioner of Police.)

No. 17.—*Number of Offences reported to the Police or Magistrates during each of the Ten Years 1889-1898.*

Year.	Offences against the Person.	Prædial Larceny.	Offences against Property (other than Prædial Larceny).	Offences against Currency.	Other Offences.	*Total Number of Offences reported.	Total Number of Separate Charges disposed of.	Total Number of Persons Charged.
1889	476	22	655	15	3584	4752	4378	2712
1890	461	26	746	8	3881	5122	4690	3041
1891	561	29	803	18	4204	5615	5005	3212
1892	588	33	1069	20	4515	6225	5574	3670
1893	717	25	1338	12	5023	7115	6288	4083
1894	742	14	1651	24	6330	8761	7152	6213
1895	971	10	1341	13	6735	9070	8377	7041
1896	1187	35	2270	35	10850	14377	13318	10320
1897	1343	21	4463	37	12559	18423	15433	11708
1898	1196	27	2799	36	12229	16287	14902	12168

* Including doubtful and fictitious cases.

No. 18.—*Number of Charges brought before the Magistrates' Courts on Arrest, Warrant, or Summons, and how they were disposed of in the Magistrates' Courts (1889-1898).*

APPREHENSIONS AND SUMMONSES.

Nature of Offences.	Year.	Number discharged for want of prosecution by the Complainant, or for want of evidence.	Number of cases discharged on their merits. (Cautioned by Magistrates.)	Number of summary convictions.	Number of cases committed for trial in the Superior Courts.	Total.
Offences against the Person.	1889	117	3	210	49	379
	1890	119	11	217	24	371
	1891	123	12	202	39	376
	1892	178	14	251	35	478
	1893	170	22	292	50	534
	1894	197	30	309	48	584
	1895	213	25	365	51	654
	1896	281	37	621	71	1010
	1897	368	28	601	82	1079
	1898	344	24	631	72	1071
Prædial Larceny.	1889	4	2	16	...	22
	1890	7	...	18	1	26
	1891	4	...	5	...	9
	1892	3	...	4	...	7
	1893	4	5	6	...	15
	1894	1	6	7	...	14
	1895	5	...	10	...	15
	1896	10	6	17	2	35
	1897	3	...	17	1	21
	1898	6	11	9	1	27
Offences against Property other than Prædial Larceny.	1889	94	15	354	39	502
	1890	149	10	317	34	510
	1891	153	5	355	45	558
	1892	183	12	551	41	787
	1893	237	13	557	62	869
	1894	257	29	556	77	919
	1895	364	29	596	76	1065
	1896	470	63	824	173	1530
	1897	650	67	993	212	1922
	1898	572	87	1074	195	1928
Offences against Currency.	1889	...	...	2	13	15
	1890	2	...	...	6	8
	1891	4	...	2	7	13
	1892	3	...	1	10	14
	1893	2	...	...	4	6
	1894	4	2	3	12	21
	1895	3	...	...	11	14
	1896	6	...	2	18	26
	1897	13	...	4	18	35
	1898	5	...	...	35	40
Offences against the Masters and Servants Act.	1889	65	49	220	...	334
	1890	110	43	266	...	419
	1891	147	25	286	...	458
	1892	175	37	199	...	411
	1893	176	27	234	...	437
	1894	173	27	243	...	443
	1895	180	21	233	...	434
	1896	272	29	395	...	696
	1897	444	18	604	...	1066
	1898	360	21	822	...	1203
Other Offences.	1889	338	610	2177	1	3126
	1890	344	628	2383	1	3356
	1891	412	710	2463	6	3591
	1892	497	802	2571	7	3877
	1893	565	866	2979	17	4427
	1894	637	1237	3285	12	5171
	1895	675	1405	4105	10	6195
	1896	1082	2363	6567	9	10021
	1897	1361	2573	7365	11	11310
	1898	1390	2093	7123	27	10633
Total Number of Offences.	1889	618	679	2979	102	4378
	1890	731	692	3201	66	4690
	1891	843	752	3313	97	5005
	1892	1039	865	3577	93	5574
	1893	1154	933	4068	133	6288
	1894	1269	1331	4403	149	7152
	1895	1440	1480	5309	148	8377
	1896	2121	2498	8426	273	13318
	1897	2839	2686	9584	324	15433
	1898	2677	2236	9659	330	14902

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No. 19.—*Number of Summary Convictions for various Classes of Offences, and kinds of Punishments inflicted (1889-1898).*

Nature of Punishments.	Year.	Assaults and other offences against the Person.	Malicious Injury to Property.	Prædial Larceny.	Offences against Property other than Prædial Larceny.	Offences against Currency.	Offences against Revenue, Highway, Health, and other Acts of Colony.	Offences against the Masters and Servants Act, including offences by indentured Coolies.	Other offences.	Total Number of offences.
Fined.	1889	138	12	...	5	...	112	75	1496	1838
	1890	117	12	7	14	...	47	124	1737	2058
	1891	138	20	1	17	...	165	123	1625	2089
	1892	170	29	...	20	...	240	114	1616	2189
	1893	157	27	...	46	...	555	130	1576	2491
	1894	191	34	6	46	...	590	144	1826	2837
	1895	246	55	4	65	...	332	153	2791	3646
	1896	419	76	11	150	...	1324	338	3906	6224
	1897	402	90	12	141	...	1671	533	4104	6953
	1898	432	124	4	121	...	1946	767	3901	7295
Imprisoned.	1889	69	2	8	326	...	1	129	550	1085
	1890	93	3	6	288	...	...	142	592	1124
	1891	63	4	3	313	2	7	162	653	1207
	1892	75	11	3	387	1	21	85	685	1268
	1893	123	17	3	390	...	11	103	822	1469
	1894	108	21	1	358	3	20	98	826	1435
	1895	112	5	6	407	...	31	80	932	1573
	1896	185	19	6	512	2	58	56	1245	2083
	1897	187	21	5	700	4	72	70	1472	2531
	1898	188	16	4	796	...	59	54	1180	2297
Whipped.	1889	1	...	8	4	...	...	...	...	13
	1890	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	5
	1891	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	4
	1892	6	...	1	104	...	...	...	4	115
	1893	8	9	3	63	...	...	...	8	91
	1894	4	...	...	93	...	...	...	14	111
	1895	5	...	...	48	...	...	...	9	62
	1896	10	1	...	59	...	...	...	13	83
	1897	2	...	...	31	...	...	...	8	41
	1898	1	...	...	9	...	...	...	3	13
Bound over, with or without Sureties.	1889	2	...	...	4	...	...	16	18	40
	1890	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	14
	1891	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	6	12
	1892	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	5	5
	1893	4	...	...	5	...	...	1	7	17
	1894	6	...	...	4	...	...	1	9	20
	1895	2	...	...	16	...	...	...	10	28
	1896	7	...	...	7	...	1	1	20	36
	1897	10	...	...	10	...	9	1	29	59
	1898	10	...	1	8	...	...	1	34	54
Penal Servitude.	1889	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	3
	1890	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1891	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	1892	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1894	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1895	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1896	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1897	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1898	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Number of Punishments.	1889	210	14	16	340	2	113	220	2064	2979
	1890	217	15	18	302	...	47	266	2336	3201
	1891	202	24	5	331	2	176	286	2287	3313
	1892	251	40	4	511	1	261	199	2310	3577
	1893	292	53	6	504	...	566	234	2413	4068
	1894	309	55	7	501	3	601	243	2675	4403
	1895	365	60	10	536	...	363	233	3742	5309
	1896	621	96	17	728	2	1383	395	5184	8426
	1897	601	111	17	882	4	1752	604	5613	9584
	1898	631	140	9	934	...	2005	822	5118	9659

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No. 20.—*Indictments and Informations in the * Superior Courts.*

Number of Convictions and of Offences acquitted in the Superior Courts (1889-1898).

Decisions of the Courts.	Year.	Murder.	Man-slaughter.	Rape.	Other offences against Person.	Larceny.	Larceny in Dwelling.	Forgery and Uttering.	Other offences against Property.	Miscel-laneous Offences.	Total number of cases tried.
Judgment for the Crown.	1889	16	...	...	14	8	6	10	5	3	62
	1890	5	...	1	7	10	1	6	9	2	41
	1891	4	1	...	11	6	5	5	9	3	44
	1892	6	3	1	8	14	3	11	10	2	58
	1893	2	3	...	25	7	3	2	14	4	60
	1894	8	2	...	19	6	5	7	36	1	84
	1895	5	1	...	13	5	12	4	15	4	59
	1896	11	12	...	43	26	7	8	68	2	177
	1897	9	6	3	36	30	5	16	83	6	194
	1898	2	5	...	28	32	2	23	57	5	154
Judgment for the Prisoner.	1889	7	4	...	5	7	...	3	3	1	30
	1890	...	...	2	...	6	1	...	5	1	15
	1891	...	1	...	11	3	...	2	6	5	28
	1892	...	...	2	4	2	...	...	10	2	20
	1893	1	...	1	6	4	1	1	15	5	34
	1894	...	1	...	6	2	1	1	16	5	32
	1895	4	2	1	6	4	7	3	10	4	41
	1896	1	8	...	9	9	1	1	27	1	57
	1897	5	3	...	14	20	3	1	30	...	76
	1898	8	1	3	21	23	...	4	32	10	102
Remanded till following Sessions.	1889	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1890	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	1891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1892	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
	1894	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1895	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1896	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1897	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1898	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Nolle prosequi.	1889	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	7
	1890	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
	1891	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	5
	1892	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	5
	1893	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	2	3	10
	1894	...	1	...	2	2	...	6	5	...	16
	1895	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	4
	1896	...	...	...	...	3	...	6	3	...	12
	1897	1	...	1	1	2	...	2	10	1	18
	1898	1	...	...	6	3	...	5	14	5	34
Total Number of cases tried.	1889	27	4	...	19	15	7	13	10	4	99
	1890	5	...	3	8	17	2	6	14	3	58
	1891	4	2	...	23	11	5	7	17	8	77
	1892	6	3	3	13	16	3	11	22	6	83
	1893	3	3	1	32	13	5	4	31	14	106
	1894	8	4	...	27	10	6	14	57	6	132
	1895	9	3	1	19	10	20	8	26	8	104
	1896	12	20	...	52	38	8	15	98	3	246
	1897	15	9	4	51	52	8	19	123	7	288
	1898	11	6	3	55	58	2	32	104	21	292

* Including Courts analogous to the Courts of Quarter Sessions in England, *i.e.*, District Courts, etc.

No. 21.—*Cases of Drunkenness dealt with in the Magistrates' Courts during the Years 1894 to 1898.*

Cases of Drunkenness.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Discharged (or cautioned)...	863	946	1666	1878	1470
Summarily convicted ...	798	1208	1825	1842	1630
Total	1661	2154	3491	3720	3100

No. 22.—*Number and Nature of Offences by Juvenile Offenders in Western Australia during 1898.*

Offences.	Offenders, exclusive of Aborigines.																							Aborigines. (Ages.)									Totals.
	Males. (Ages.)													Females. (Ages.)																			
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
Against Person :—																																	
Sodomy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Assault (common)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Insulting Language	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Against Property :—																																	
Stealing Fruit and Vegetables	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Larceny (simple)	...	...	...	4	3	5	5	3	5	4	13	8	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	1	3	64
Unlawful Possession	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	3	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
Unlawfully on Premises	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Miscellaneous :—																																	
Vagrants	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	7
Drunkenness	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Disorderly Conduct	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Giving False Name to Police	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Stone-throwing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Breach of By-laws	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Absconding from Service	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	1	6
Absconding from Orphanage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Absconding from Industrial School	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	6	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Neglected Children	3	3	4	8	3	2	3	6	3	6	6	1	...	4	6	2	3	1	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68
Uncontrollable	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Furious Riding	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Cruelty to Animals	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	9
Bathing without Costume	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Deserting Ship	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Playing "Two-up" (gaming)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Other Offences	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total charged	3	3	4	13	7	12	12	16	17	25	44	34	24	4	6	2	3	1	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	1	5	5	2	5	256

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(Compiled from information supplied by the Registrar of the Supreme Court, the Resident Magistrates, Government Residents, and Wardens.)

No. 23.—*Superior Courts, 1898.*

Criminal Cases in the Supreme Court and the various Courts of Quarter Sessions throughout the Colony of Western Australia during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.

Place where held.	Cases.				Number of Convictions.
	Against the Public.	Against the Individual.	Against Property.	Total.	
Supreme Court—					
Perth	30	42	64	136	72
Courts of * Quarter Sessions—					
Albany	...	1	...	1	...
Broome	...	3	1	4	3
Bunbury	1	...	8	9	3
Coolgardie	11	4	48	63	35
Cue	...	2	6	8	6
Geraldton	3	2	12	17	10
Hall's Creek	...	...	2	2	1
Roebourne	...	1	7	8	2
Total	45	55	148	248	132

* During 1898 no cases were tried in the Courts of Quarter Sessions at Wyndham, Derby, and Esperance.

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No. 24.—*Courts of Petty Sessions.*

Cases heard at the various Courts of Petty Sessions throughout the Colony of Western Australia during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.

Place where held.	Indictable Offences.					Offences Triable Summarily.						
	Cases Heard.					Cases Heard.						
	Against the Public.	Against the Individual.	Against Property.	Total.	Commitments.	Against the Public.	Against the Individual.	Against Property.	Drunkenness.	Other Offences.	Total.	Total Convictions.
Albany	...	1	...	1	1	197	22	40	41	70	370	248
Beverley	...	1	2	3	3	18	2	4	17	29	70	48
Bridgetown	...	...	2	2	2	20	8	7	22	7	64	60
Broad Arrow	...	...	6	6	4	47	5	8	19	27	106	58
Broome	...	4	1	5	4	42	38	10	10	44	144	120
Bulong	...	1	1	2	1	43	10	11	10	23	97	79
Bunbury	...	4	6	10	10	137	34	54	109	247	581	470
Busselton	1	...	...	1	...	24	5	14	26	2	71	58
Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	...	114	14	15	60	...	203	114
Coolgardie	6	9	31	46	46	75	4	111	151	634	975	549
Cue	...	...	4	4	2	114	7	15	67	19	222	209
Day Dawn	...	1	1	2	1	27	4	2	30	20	83	79
Derby	...	3	...	3	...	18	6	56	3	...	83	70
Dongara	...	1	1	2	2	...	2	9	4	27	42	22
Esperance	...	...	2	2	...	27	3	24	6	...	60	39
Fremantle	3	6	28	37	21	313	92	202	514	457	1578	1021
Geraldton	1	1	8	10	10	84	24	31	121	77	337	181
Guildford	...	1	5	6	2	132	24	16	21	49	242	127
Greenough	...	1	...	1	1	7	5	1	1	11	25	16
Gullewa	...	...	1	1	1	2	...	1	2	...	5	1
Hall's Creek	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	25	1	2	35	34
Jarrahdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	14	16	16
Kalgoorlie and Boulder City	18	19	57	94	26	639	74	43	278	211	1245	799
Kanowna	4	6	17	27	17	240	48	99	279	166	832	617
Katanning	1	...	...	1	...	15	...	10	2	...	27	20
Kojonup	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	2
Kurnalpi	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2
Lawlers	...	...	...	...	...	11	2	5	4	8	30	21
Marble Bar	1	3	...	4	2	30	14	10	4	11	69	52
Menzies..	...	4	6	10	10	9	16	18	38	76	157	99
Mount Gould	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	7	...	5	14	8
Mount Magnet	...	4	8	12	7	88	17	31	25	10	171	137
Mount Malcolm	5	8	9	22	17	25	...	2	3	17	47	42
Mullewa	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	3	6	10	8
Nannine	...	...	...	...	...	48	3	16	36	23	126	82
Newcastle	...	...	...	...	...	16	3	4	14	7	44	38
Niagara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	45	29	86	71
Norseman	...	...	3	3	2	37	9	15	21	69	151	107
Northam	...	1	9	10	10	213	34	30	77	45	399	360
Northampton	2	...	...	2	2	19	4	6	18	23	70	48
Nullagine	...	4	1	5	5	12	3	11	8	7	41	35
Onslow	1	...	...	1	1	7	13	2	4	13	39	31
Peak Hill	1	...	...	1	1	39	14	25	13	15	106	94
Perth	10	30	130	170	118	2109	169	491	832	401	4002	2729
Pinjarra	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	7	10	21	44	32
Roebourne	...	5	8	13	8	49	21	30	25	48	173	129
Southern Cross	...	1	...	1	1	94	21	3	27	6	151	113
Wagin	...	...	...	...	...	12	3	8	6	13	42	27
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	6	...	...	20	18
Wyndham	1	2	...	3	3	21	7	40	1	...	69	57
Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	39	8	10	8	2	67	60
Yerilla	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	3	4	20	34	32
York	...	1	1	2	1	161	4	30	73	57	325	180
Total	55	122	349	526	342	5405	803	1632	3094	3070	14004	9669

NO. 25.—*Local Courts, 1898.*

Cases heard in the various Local Courts throughout the Colony of Western Australia during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.

Place where held.	Number of sittings.	Total duration.	Number of cases tried.	Aggregate amount recovered.	Aggregate amount of Costs awarded to		Fees paid to Revenue.			Fees paid to Bailiff.			Appeals against Municipal and Roads Boards Rates.
					Plaintiff.	Defendant.							
		Days.		£	£	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Albany	11	11	140	834	112	4	71	18	0	29	1	0	...
Beverley	5	5	15	164	14	...	7	11	0	5	6	4	...
Bridgetown	8	8	25	50	22	11	10	16	0	10	0	6	...
Broad Arrow	11	21	105	1757	...	...	71	19	0	24	8	0	2
Broome	5	5	15	181	10	...	8	18	6	2	18	0	...
Bulong	11	11	68	540	53	7	37	11	6	18	18	6	...
Bunbury	12	15	312	2932	527	22	173	7	6	156	15	11	...
Busselton	10	10	30	205	7	...	18	2	0	11	18	6	...
Carnarvon	6	6	10	8	3	11	5	3	0	1	14	10	...
Coolgardie	11	60	1062	11252	532	159	631	1	7	276	11	9	2
Cue	11	19	144	2064	289	17	107	6	6	74	12	8	...
Day Dawn	10	10	33	457	21	2	20	6	6	13	11	10	...
Derby	3	3	2	80	15	...	1	19	6	11	5	6	...
Dongara	9	9	34	414	15	4	17	7	0	14	18	0	...
Esperance	11	32	71	923	86	5	49	3	0	25	11	6	...
Fremantle	22	61	1299	6630	965	148	751	2	5	364	13	3	6
Geraldton	11	33	230	2299	293	38	129	5	0	65	1	1	5
Guildford	12	12	167	752	143	11	63	3	6	62	18	4	...
Greenough	4	4	11	95	19	...	6	16	6	2	19	8	...
Hall's Creek	1	1	1	12	...	...		...		6	3	6	...
Jarrahdale	10	10	47	295	...	...	15	2	0	14	16	6	...
Kalgoorlie	11	44	1126	13438	2575	143	702	15	10	279	12	4	27
Kanowna	11	17	299	4048	273	40	162	17	0	88	14	6	...
Katanning	4	5	25	65	12	1	11	2	0	8	5	6	...
Kojonup	4	4	4	48	4	...	1	16	0	1	19	0	...
Kurnalpi	5	5	18	211	7	...	7	8	0	4	4	6	...
Lawlers	12	12	13	154	5	...	5	5	6	1	9	6	...
Marble Bar	11	11	34	644	34	...	20	17	0	23	15	6	...
Menzies	12	17	175	2908	306	7	102	13	6	122	3	10	...
Mount Magnet	11	18	112	819	133	31	67	2	0	44	11	10	...
Mount Malcolm	9	12	42	518	31	...	30	19	0	15	16	0	...
Mullewa	4	4	12	89	7	...	8	5	0	6	13	9	...
Nannine	8	8	43	662	18	2	27	9	0	17	17	0	...
Newcastle	11	12	20	144	18	...	7	3	0	5	9	0	...
Niagara	2	2	3	91	3	...	2	4	0	0	15	10	...
Norseman	10	13	51	896	46	1	30	13	0	16	6	4	11
Northam	11	27	184	1861	309	21	81	17	6	68	0	8	...
Northampton	5	5	9	62	5	...	4	15	0	2	18	8	...
Nullagine	5	6	6	19	1	5	3	16	0	5	19	6	...
Onslow	5	5	5	110	19	...	3	17	6	2	0	6	...
Peak Hill	12	14	20	108	13	1	10	5	6	5	1	0	...
Perth	24	254	4502	29000	..	...	2115	2	2	1216	7	11	...
Pinjarra	9	9	28	174	20	...	12	8	6	14	0	10	...
Roebourne	12	12	46	689	85	2	40	8	2	27	4	10	...
Southern Cross	11	11	64	628	41	7	29	8	6	15	18	9	...
Wagin	10	10	41	749	44	1	8	3	6	21	3	8	...
Williams	1	1	1	5	...	...	0	10	0	0	1	7	...
Wyndham	2	2	2	11	11	...	0	4	6	0	3	0	...
Yalgoo	10	10	23	424	57	...	17	4	0	8	15	2	...
Yerilla	4	4	18	345	20	...	8	19	0	1	3	6	...
York	12	12	88	1105	88	6	40	10	0	26	10	5	...
Total	452	912	10835	91969	7311	707	5763	19	8	3247	9	7	53

No. 26.—*Wardens' Courts, 1898.*

Cases heard at the various Wardens' Courts throughout the Colony of Western Australia for the Year ended 31st December, 1898.

Place where held.	Number of Sittings held.	Total duration.	Cases heard and determined.	Aggregate amount awarded.	Aggregate amount of Costs awarded to		Fees paid to Revenue.			Fees paid to Bailiff.		
					Plaintiff.	Defendant.						
		Days.	No.	£	£	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Broad Arrow	52	52	170	1568	*	*	46	15	6	58	0	7
Bulong	47	47	27	570	59	11	46	13	1	4	7	6
Coolgardie	100	100	74	1146	131	85	63	13	6	81	0	6
Cue	40	40	60	676	88	76	114	1	6	29	13	7
Day Dawn	18	18	32	664	91	...	9	5	0	46	0	6
Kalgoorlie	113	113	190	1979	144	29	39	3	0	165	9	6
Kanowna	90	90	184	1954	214	334	175	15	6	47	13	6
Kurnalpi	9	10	17	214	32	...	3	5	0	4	15	0
Lawlers	40	40	56	384	6	...	12	4	0	18	7	6
Marble Bar	40	40	8	1232	13	...	16	2	6	20	10	6
Menzies	104	104	50	893	204	...	29	9	10	152	9	10
Mt. Magnet	22	22	25	799	98	64	19	4	0	86	6	6
Mt. Malcolm	15	17	20	1040	26	...	12	8	0	74	12	6
Nannine	9	9	27	669	21	70	6	4	6	19	18	0
Niagara	7	7	4	300	20	39	3	1	0	15	7	0
Norseman	19	19	5	246	26	3	5	5	0	10	10	0
Nullagine	5	6	1	1	...	...	1	0	0			
Peak Hill	83	81	52	313	163	321	9	15	6	25	10	0
Roebourne	† 27	27	1	...	...	...	0	7	0	4	15	0
Southern Cross	293	293	147	366	15	5	267	4	0	5	3	0
Yalgoo	5	5	5	235	8	...	3	4	0	18	12	0
Yerilla	7	7	28	527	53	...	7	9	6	57	13	0
Total	1145	1147	1183	15776	1412	1037	891	10	11	946	15	6

* Not recorded. † Most of these sittings were held to consider various applications.

No. 27.—*Examination of Lunatics, and Inquests held for the Year ended 31st December, 1898.*

Place where held.	Examination of Lunatics.	Coroner's Inquests held on		Fire Inquests held and Verdicts returned.		
		Males.	Females.	Accidental.	Arson.	Open.
Albany	...	14	1	...	...	...
Beverley	1	3	1	...	...	...
Bridgetown	3	1	2	...	...	...
Broad Arrow	4	6	...	1	...	...
Broome	2	4	...	...	...	...
Bulong	2	...	...	...	...	...
Bunbury	5	9	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	2	1	...	...	...	...
Coolgardie	...	11	3	1	...	...
Cue	3	5	...	...	...	...
Day Dawn	...	1	...	1	...	...
Dongara	2	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	1	2	...	...	...	...
Fremantle	22	22	6	2	1	3
Geraldton	11	6	1	...	...	...
Guildford	...	5	...	...	...	...
Hall's Creek	...	3	...	...	...	...
Jarrahdale	...	3	...	...	...	...
Kalgoorlie	25	35	...	1	...	1
Kanowna	5	11	...	...	...	...
Katanning	1	1	...	...	...	...
Lawlers	...	1	...	...	...	...
Marble Bar	2	3	...	...	...	...
Menzies	...	2	...	4	...	...
Mount Magnet	1	4	...	...	...	1
Mount Malcolm	2	5	...	...	...	...
Nannine	...	3	...	...	...	...
Newcastle	3	2	1	...	...	...
Niagara	...	3	...	...	...	...
Norseman	2	1	...	...	...	1
Northam	2	6	...	...	...	...
Northampton	1	...	...	...	...	...
Onslow	2	1	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	3	...	...	...	...
Perth	43	51	27	24	4	11
Pinjarra	1	2	...	...	...	...
Roebourne	3	9	...	...	...	...
Southern Cross	3	1	...	...	...	...
Wagin	2	1	1	...	...	...
Williams	...	1	1	...	...	...
Yalgoo	...	4	...	...	...	...
York	...	3	1	...	...	...
Total	156	249	45	34	5	17

VI.—GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

(Returns Nos. 28 to 57 inclusive, relate to the Gaols and Prisoners under the supervision of the Inspector of Prisons, and do not include Rottnest Prison, for which a separate return is given in Table No. 58.)

No. 28.—*Prison Accommodation, 31st December, 1898.*

Name of Prison.	Accommodation for Prisoners.										Maximum number of Prisoners for whom accommodation is provided in Cells and Wards.
	Cells for one Prisoner only.				Cells for more than one prisoner, and Wards.						
	No.	Size of Cells.			No.	Class of Cells or Wards.	Size of Wards.			Maximum number of Prisoners for whom accommodation is provided in each Ward.	
		Length. ft.	Breadth. ft.	Height. ft.			Length, ft.	Breadth, ft.	Height. ft.		
Fremantle ..	491	7	3·9	9	1	Infirmary	61·1	26·4	19	*	491
Albany... ...	3	9	6	11·5	1	Prison Ward for Males	40	18	14	30.	51
					1	„ „ Natives	18	14	12	10	
					1	„ „ Females	16	12	12	8	
Broome... ...	...	...	...	...	8	Prison Wards	10	8	8	5	40
Bunbury	6	9	6	8·75	1	Infirmary	*	*	*	*	6
Busselton... ...	9	9	4	14	1	Association Ward ...	*	*	*	*	9
Carnarvon .	1	10	9·25	11·33	1	Prison Ward	19·1	19·5	11·5	20	56
	1	10	9·25	11·33	1	„ „	19·1	9·6	11·5	6	
	1	10	9·25	5	1	„ „	19·1	9 6	11·5	6	
	1	8·6	9·6	11·33	1	„ „	19·1	19·6	11·5	20	
Derby	...	...	...	...	1	„ „	9·83	9·83	†8·5	‡9	70
					1	„ „	9·83	9·83	†8·5	‡9	
					1	„ „	10	9	†8·5	‡8	
					1	„ „	9	9·5	†8·5	‡8	
					1	„ „	12	7·83	†9 5	‡8	
					1	„ „	12	7·83	†9·5	‡8	
					1	„ „	12	10	†9·5	‡10	
					1	„ „	12	11	†9·5	‡10	
Geraldton ...	7	6·75	3·83	15	14	Prison Cells	9·5	7·5	15	3	49
Hall's Creek ...	1	12	8	8	1	Prison Ward	15	15	8	15	34
					1	„ „	17	15	8	18	
Newcastle ...	8	10	7	14	1	„ „	11·75	10	12·25	5	13
Roebourne ...	...	...	...	...	12	Prison Cells	25	18	12	12	144
Wyndham ...	3	10	8	10	‡2	Prison Ward	39	8	12	12	47
					2	„ „	26	8	12	10	
York	12	6	4	8	1	Prison Cell	12	6	8	2	14
Total Prison Accommodation	544	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	1024

* Not stated. † Gable Roof; the height given is to wall-plates; ridge from 3¼ft. to 5¼ft. higher. ‡ Estimated.

No. 29.—*Prison* Population of Western Australia, showing the cause or nature of Imprisonment, and the increase or decrease of the number of the Prisoners in each Gaol during 1898.*

Name of Prison.	No. of Prisoners in confinement on 1st January, 1898, for:				No. of Prisoners received in each Prison during 1898, for:				Decrease in each Prison during 1898 of Prisoners who were imprisoned for:				No. of Prisoners in confinement on 31st December, 1898, for:			
	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.
MALES.																
Fremantle ...	1	12	364	377	17	257	1,122	1,396	18	263	1,195	1,476	...	6	291	297
Albany	...	1	8	9	...	1	92	93	...	2	93	95	...	...	7	7
Broome	...	1	37	38	1	7	51	59	...	8	75	83	1	...	13	14
Bunbury ...	...	...	2	2	4	...	99	103	4	...	97	101	..	...	4	4
Busselton ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon ...	...	...	29	29	...	...	55	55	...	...	52	52	...	...	32	32
Derby	...	...	28	28	...	1	75	76	...	1	45	46	...	...	58	58
Esperance ...	...	...	4	4	...	4	8	12	...	4	12	16	...	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	...	3	31	34	1	13	99	113	1	16	115	132	...	...	15	15
Hall's Creek ...	...	...	14	14	...	1	28	29	...	1	29	30	...	...	13	13
Newcastle ...	...	...	...	...	1	20	59	80	1	20	56	77	...	...	3	3
Roebourne ...	...	1	55	56	2	7	107	116	1	8	126	135	1	...	36	37
Wyndham ...	...	...	28	28	...	1	52	53	...	1	19	20	...	...	61	61
York	...	...	3	3	...	...	49	49	...	...	48	48	...	...	4	4
Total ...	1	18	603	622	26	312	1,903	2,241	25	324	1,969	2,318	2	6	537	545
Transfers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	65									
Commitments	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,838									
FEMALES.																
Fremantle ...	...	...	35	35	...	7	155	162	...	7	172	179	...	...	18	18
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	...	...	2	2	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	5	...	...	2	2
Newcastle ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Roebourne ...	...	...	1	1	...	...	13	13	...	...	11	11	...	...	3	3
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	38	38	...	8	184	192	...	8	199	207	...	...	23	23
Transfers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1									
Commitments	...	...	...	...	...	...	183									
MALE AND FEMALE PRISONERS.																
Fremantle ...	1	12	399	412	17	264	1,277	1,558	18	270	1,367	1,655	...	6	309	315
Albany	...	1	8	9	...	1	94	95	...	2	95	97	...	...	7	7
Broome	...	1	37	38	1	7	51	59	...	8	75	83	1	...	13	14
Bunbury ...	...	...	2	2	4	...	100	104	4	...	98	102	...	...	4	4
Busselton ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon ...	...	...	29	29	...	...	60	60	...	...	57	57	...	...	32	32
Derby	...	...	28	28	...	1	75	76	...	1	45	46	...	...	58	58
Esperance ...	...	...	4	4	...	4	8	12	...	4	12	16	...	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	...	3	33	36	1	13	104	118	1	16	120	137	...	...	17	17
Hall's Creek ...	...	...	14	14	...	1	28	29	...	1	29	30	...	...	13	13
Newcastle ...	...	...	...	...	1	21	59	81	1	21	56	78	...	...	3	3
Roebourne ...	...	1	56	57	2	7	120	129	1	8	137	146	1	...	39	40
Wyndham ...	...	...	28	28	...	1	52	53	...	1	19	20	...	...	61	61
York	...	...	3	3	...	...	52	52	...	...	51	51	...	...	4	4
Total ...	1	18	641	660	26	320	2,087	2,433	25	332	2,168	2,525	2	6	560	568
Transfers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	66									
Commitments	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,021									

* Inclusive of Aboriginals and Juveniles.

No. 30.—*Aboriginal Prison Population of Western Australia, showing the cause or nature of Imprisonment, and the increase or decrease of the number of Prisoners in each Gaol during 1898.*

Name of Prison.	No. of Prisoners in confinement on 1st January, 1898, for:				No. of Prisoners received in each Prison during 1898, for:				Decrease in each Prison, during 1898 of Prisoners who were imprisoned for:				No. of Prisoners in confinement on 31st December, 1898, for:			
	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Debt.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.
MALE ABORIGINES.																
Fremantle ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7	11	...	3	7	10	...	1	...	1
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Broome	..	...	30	30	...	3	24	27	...	3	46	49	...	...	8	8
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	2	2	...	...	1	1
Carnarvon ...	...	...	23	23	...	...	28	28	...	...	25	25	...	...	26	26
Derby	...	...	22	22	...	1	71	72	...	1	37	38	...	...	56	56
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Hall's Creek ...	...	...	13	13	...	1	28	29	...	1	28	29	...	...	13	13
Newcastle ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	...	2	3	5	...	...	...	...
Roebourne ...	...	...	45	45	...	...	45	45	...	...	63	63	...	...	27	27
Wyndham ...	...	...	28	28	...	...	50	50	...	...	17	17	...	...	61	61
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	...	...	10	10	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	161	161	...	11	275	286	...	10	244	254	...	1	192	193
Transfers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	28									
Commitments	...	...	...	...	...	...	247									
FEMALE ABORIGINES.																
Fremantle ...	...	...	2	2	...	...	9	9	...	...	11	11	...	...	...	...
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...
Newcastle ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Roebourne ...	...	...	1	1	...	...	12	12	...	...	10	10	...	...	3	3
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Total ... (also of Commitments)	...	...	3	3	...	1	30	31	...	1	30	31	...	...	3	3
MALE AND FEMALE ABORIGINES.																
Fremantle ...	...	...	2	2	...	4	16	20	...	3	18	21	...	1	...	1
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
Broome	...	...	30	30	...	3	24	27	...	3	46	49	...	...	8	8
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	3	3	...	...	1	1
Carnarvon ...	...	...	23	23	...	...	33	33	...	...	30	30	...	...	26	26
Derby	...	...	22	22	...	1	71	72	...	1	37	38	...	...	56	56
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Hall's Creek ...	...	...	13	13	...	1	28	29	...	1	28	29	...	...	13	13
Newcastle ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	...	3	3	6	...	...	...	...
Roebourne ...	...	...	46	46	...	...	57	57	...	...	73	73	...	...	30	30
Wyndham ...	...	...	28	28	...	...	50	50	...	...	17	17	...	...	61	61
York	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	12	...	...	12	12	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	164	164	...	12	305	317	...	11	274	285	...	1	195	196
Transfers, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	28									
Commitments	...	...	...	...	...	...	277									

No. 31.—*Juvenile* Prison Population of Western Australia, showing the cause or nature of Imprisonment, and the increase or decrease of the number of Prisoners in each Gaol during 1898.*

Name of Prison.	No. of Prisoners in confinement on 1st January, 1898, for:			No. of Prisoners received in each Prison during 1898, for:			Decrease in each Prison during 1898, of Prisoners who were imprisoned for:			No. of Prisoners in confinement on 31st December, 1898, for:		
	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.	Safe custody or want of Security.	Penal Imprisonment.	Total.
MALE JUVENILES.												
Fremantle...	...	...	...	3	13	16	3	13	16	...	...	...
Broome ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	1	1
Carnarvon...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Derby ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Geraldton ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Hall's Creek	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	3	3	...	1	1
Roebourne...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	2	2	...	2	2
Wyndham...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	1	1
Total ...	...	...	...	3	29	32	3	22	25	...	7	7
FEMALE JUVENILES.												
Fremantle...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Carnarvon...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	3	3	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	3	3	...	1	1
MALE AND FEMALE JUVENILES.												
Fremantle...	...	...	...	3	14	17	3	13	16	...	1	1
Broome ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	1	1
Carnarvon...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	3	3	...	1	1
Derby ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Geraldton ...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Hall's Creek	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	3	3	...	1	1
Roebourne...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	2	2	...	2	2
Wyndham...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	1	1
Total (also of Commitments) ...	...	...	...	3	33	36	3	25	28	...	8	8

* Under 17 years of age.

No. 32.—*Return of all *Prisoners released, deceased, executed, transferred or escaped, in each Gaol in Western Australia, during 1898.*

Name of Prison.	Prisoners not under sentence, Released, Transferred, etc.	Prisoners under Sentence.								Grand Total.
		Released.			Deceased.	Executed.	Transferred to other Prisons.	Escaped.	Total under Sentence.	
		On expiration of Sentence.	On Remission† of Sentence.	Total.						
					MALES.					
Fremantle ...	281	854	307	1161	2	...	29	3	1195	1476
Albany	2	87	3	90	...	...	3	...	93	95
Broome	8	57	5	62	...	...	13	...	75	83
Bunbury	4	74	1	75	...	...	22	...	97	101
Busselton ...	...	5	...	5	...	...	2	...	7	7
Carnarvon ...	...	51	1	52	...	...	...	...	52	52
Derby	1	36	3	39	...	...	1	5	45	46
Esperance ...	4	6	1	7	...	...	...	5	12	16
Geraldton ...	17	81	24	105	1	...	9	...	115	132
Hall's Creek ...	1	7	2	9	1	...	15	4	29	30
Newcastle ...	21	56	...	56	...	...	...	...	56	77
Roebourne ...	9	115	3	118	1	...	3	4	126	135
Wyndham ...	1	17	1	18	1	...	...	...	19	20
York	...	43	1	44	...	...	4	...	48	48
Total ..	349	1489	352	1841	6	..	101	21	1969	2318
					FEMALES.					
Fremantle ...	7	143	28	171	...	...	1	...	172	179
Albany	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	2
Bunbury	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Carnarvon ...	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	5	5
Geraldton ...	...	3	1	4	...	...	1	...	5	5
Newcastle ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Roebourne ...	...	11	...	11	...	...	...	...	11	11
York	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
Total ...	8	168	29	197	...	...	2	...	199	207
					MALE AND FEMALE PRISONERS.					
Fremantle ...	288	997	335	1332	2	...	30	3	1367	1655
Albany	2	89	3	92	...	...	3	...	95	97
Broome	8	57	5	62	..	...	13	...	75	83
Bunbury	4	75	1	76	...	...	22	...	98	102
Busselton ...	...	5	...	5	...	...	2	...	7	7
Carnarvon ...	...	56	1	57	...	...	...	...	57	57
Derby	1	36	3	39	...	...	1	5	45	46
Esperance ...	4	6	1	7	...	...	...	5	12	16
Geraldton ...	17	84	25	109	1	...	10	...	120	137
Hall's Creek ...	1	7	2	9	1	...	15	4	29	30
Newcastle ...	22	56	...	56	...	...	...	...	56	78
Roebourne ...	9	126	3	129	1	...	3	4	137	146
Wyndham ...	1	17	1	18	1	...	...	...	19	20
York	...	46	1	47	...	...	4	...	51	51
Total ...	357	1657	381	2038	6	...	103	21	2168	2525

* Inclusive of Aborigines and Juveniles. † It is probable that in many instances the statement "Remission" has been inadvertently omitted.

No. 33—*Return of Aboriginal Prisoners released, deceased, executed, transferred, or escaped, in each Gaol in Western Australia, during 1898.*

Name of Prison.	Prisoners not under sentence, Released, Transferred, etc.	Prisoners under Sentence.								Grand Total.
		Released.			Deceased.	Executed.	Transferred to other Prisons.	Escaped.	Total under Sentence.	
		On Expiration of Sentence.	On Remission* of Sentence.	Total.						
MALE ABORIGINES.										
Fremantle	3	6	1	7	...	...	...	...	7	10
Albany	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2
Broome	3	32	2	34	...	...	12	...	46	49
Bunbury	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	2
Carnarvon	...	24	1	25	...	...	...	...	25	25
Derby	1	31	1	32	...	...	...	5	37	38
Esperance	...	2		2	...	...	1	...	3	3
Geraldton	...	...		...	...	...	1	...	1	1
Hall's Creek ...	1	6	2	8	1	...	15	4	28	29
Newcastle	2	3	...	3		...	...	...	3	5
Roebourne	...	58	...	58		...	1	4	63	63
Wyndham	...	15	1	16	1	...	...	...	17	17
York	...	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	10	10
Total ...	10	189	8	197	2	...	32	13	244	254
FEMALE ABORIGINES.										
Fremantle	...	10	1	11	...	...	...	...	11	11
Albany	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Bunbury	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Carnarvon	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	5	5
Newcastle	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Roebourne	...	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	10	10
York	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	2
Total ...	1	29	1	30	...	...	...	...	30	31
MALE AND FEMALE ABORIGINES.										
Fremantle	3	16	2	18	...	...	...	...	18	21
Albany	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	3	3
Broome	3	32	2	34	...	...	12	...	46	49
Bunbury	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
Carnarvon	...	29	1	30	...	...	...	...	30	30
Derby	1	31	1	32	...	...	...	5	37	38
Esperance	...	2		2	...	...	1	...	3	3
Geraldton	...	...		...	...	...	1	...	1	1
Hall's Creek ...	1	6	2	8	1	...	15	4	28	29
Newcastle	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	6
Roebourne	...	68	...	68	...	...	1	4	73	73
Wyndham	...	15	1	16	1	...	...	...	17	17
York	...	12	...	12	...	...	...	...	12	12
Total ...	11	218	9	227	2	...	32	13	274	285

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* It is probable that in many instances the statement "Remission" has been inadvertently omitted.

No. 34.—*Return of Juvenile * Prisoners released, deceased, executed, transferred, or escaped, in each Gaol in Western Australia, during 1898.*

Name of Prison.	Prisoners not under sentence, Released, Transferred, etc.	Prisoners under Sentence.								Grand Total.
		Released.			Deceased.	Executed.	Transferred to other Prisons.	Escaped.	Total under Sentence.	
		On Expiration of Sentence.	On Remission† of Sentence.	Total.						
MALE JUVENILES.										
Fremantle	3	9	1	10	...	...	3	...	13	16
Broome	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Bunbury	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Geraldton	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Hall's Creek ...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
Roebourne	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	2
Wyndham	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total ...	3	18	1	19	...	...	3	...	22	25
FEMALE JUVENILES.										
Carnarvon	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
MALE AND FEMALE JUVENILES.										
Fremantle	3	9	1	10	...	...	3	...	13	16
Broome	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Bunbury	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Carnarvon	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
Geraldton	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Hall's Creek ...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3
Roebourne	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	2
Wyndham	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Total ...	3	21	1	22	...	...	3	...	25	28

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* Under 17 years of age.

† It is probable that in some instances the statement "Remission" has been inadvertently omitted.

No. 35.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their nationality or * birthplace, and age at the time of Commitment.*

Age Groups.	Western Australians.		New South Wales.		Victorians.		Queenslanders.		South Australians.		New Zealanders.		Tasmanians.		Australian Aborigines.		Half-caste Australian Aborigines.		English and Welsh.		Scotch.		Irish.		Canadians.		Britons born in other British Possessions.		French.		Germans.		Swedes and Norwegians.		Spaniards.		Italians.		Austrians.		Belgians.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
10 years and under 11 ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11 ,, ,, 12 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 ,, ,, 13 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13 ,, ,, 14 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14 ,, ,, 15 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15 ,, ,, 16 ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16 ,, ,, 17 ...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, 16 years and under	2	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	13	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17 years and under 18 ...	3	1	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18 ,, ,, 19 ...	2	1	1	...	5	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
19 ,, ,, 20 ...	6	1	3	...	8	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	7	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20 ,, ,, 21 ...	1	...	3	...	4	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	13	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, under 21 years ...	14	4	10	...	23	1	2	...	5	1	3	...	...	...	42	6	2	...	9	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
21 years and under 25 ...	13	5	14	1	65	1	5	...	15	...	4	...	3	...	35	3	...	...	13	...	3	...	8	...	...	...	5	...	...	1	2	1	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25 ,, ,, 30 ...	19	7	23	4	54	2	11	...	18	...	1	3	4	...	62	7	3	...	34	5	12	1	24	1	...	...	4	...	3	1	1	...	6	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
30 ,, ,, 35 ...	10	5	22	...	42	2	4	...	13	...	4	...	2	1	43	2	2	...	53	2	16	...	24	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	3	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
35 ,, ,, 40 ...	8	1	7	...	20	1	6	...	5	1	2	...	2	...	19	2	1	...	47	2	14	...	21	2	4	1	1	...	3	...	4	1	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
40 ,, ,, 45 ...	2	...	5	...	7	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	21	1	...	...	34	...	9	...	19	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
45 ,, ,, 50 ...	1	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	24	3	10	...	13	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
50 ,, ,, 55 ...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	17	1	8	...	14	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
55 ,, ,, 60 ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	30	2	2	2	7	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
60 ,, ,, 65 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	24	...	3	...	6	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
65 ,, ,, 70 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	25	...	2	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
70 ,, ,, 75 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
75 ,, ,, 80 ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
80 ,, ,, 85 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
85 ,, ,, 90 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	67	24	84	5	216	7	28	...	58	2	15	3	15	1	239	25	8	...	321	15	81	3	155	19	5	1	19	...	9	4	16	2	27	...	5	...	5	...	1	...	1	...

* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 35.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their nationality or * birthplace, and age at the time of Commitment*—continued.

Age Groups.	Danes.		Dutch.		Swiss.		Russian Finns.		Armenians.		Americans born in United States.		Brazilians.		East Indians.		Chinese.		Japanese.		Malays.		Cingalese.		Burmese.		Siamese.		Afghans.		Manillamen.		Arabs.		Egyptians.		Creoles.		South Sea Islanders.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
10 years and under 11 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
11 „ „ 12 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 „ „ 13 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13 „ „ 14 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14 „ „ 15 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
15 „ „ 16 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1
16 „ „ 17 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2
Total, 16 years and under	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	3
17 years and under 18 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1
18 „ „ 19 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	3
19 „ „ 20 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	3
20 „ „ 21 ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	3
Total, under 21 years ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	128	13
21 years and under 25 ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	4	...	7	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	221	12
25 „ „ 30 ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	10	...	2	...	8	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	320	31
30 „ „ 35 ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	4	...	8	...	2	...	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	283	14
35 „ „ 40 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	187	11
40 „ „ 45 ...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123	5
45 „ „ 50 ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	8
50 „ „ 55 ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	8
55 „ „ 60 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	5
60 „ „ 65 ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	3
65 „ „ 70 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	...
70 „ „ 75 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...
75 „ „ 80 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
80 „ „ 85 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
85 „ „ 90 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	3
Total	4	...	4	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	22	2	1	...	11	...	37	...	10	...	28	...	11	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	10	...	2	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	1535	113

* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 36.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their age and degree of education at the time of Commitment.*

Age Group.	Able to Read and Write.			Illiterate.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
10 years and under 11	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
11 ,, ,, 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 ,, ,, 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13 ,, ,, 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14 ,, ,, 15	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
15 ,, ,, 16	3	...	3	5	1	6	8	1	9
16 ,, ,, 17	6	1	7	8	1	9	14	2	16
Total, 16 years and under ...	10	1	11	14	2	16	24	3	27
17 years and under 18	9	1	10	5	...	5	14	1	15
18 ,, ,, 19	13	2	15	6	1	7	19	3	22
19 ,, ,, 20	23	...	23	10	3	13	33	3	36
20 ,, ,, 21	21	2	23	17	1	18	38	3	41
Total, under 21 years ...	76	6	82	52	7	59	128	13	141
21 years and under 25	162	9	171	59	3	62	221	12	233
25 ,, ,, 30	226	22	248	94	9	103	320	31	351
30 ,, ,, 35	202	11	213	81	3	84	283	14	297
35 ,, ,, 40	145	7	152	42	4	46	187	11	198
40 ,, ,, 45	86	3	89	37	2	39	123	5	128
45 ,, ,, 50	57	6	63	12	2	14	69	8	77
50 ,, ,, 55	47	6	53	3	2	5	50	8	58
55 ,, ,, 60	38	3	41	11	2	13	49	5	54
60 ,, ,, 65	32	2	34	8	1	9	40	3	43
65 ,, ,, 70	31	...	31	8	...	8	39	...	39
70 ,, ,, 75	8	...	8	1	...	1	9	...	9
75 ,, ,, 80	3	...	3	1	...	1	4	...	4
80 ,, ,, 85	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3
85 ,, ,, 90	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Not stated	1	...	1	8	3	11	9	3	12
Total	1117	75	1192	418	38	456	1535	113	1648

No. 37.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their age and the total number of their previous Convictions.*

Number of previous convictions.	10 years and under 11.		11 years and under 12.		12 years and under 13.		13 years and under 14.		14 years and under 15.		15 years and under 16.		16 years and under 17.		17 years and under 18.		18 years and under 19.		19 years and under 20.		20 years and under 21.		21 years and under 25.		25 years and under 30.		30 years and under 35.		35 years and under 40.		40 years and under 45.		45 years and under 50.		50 years and under 55.		55 years and under 60.		60 years and under 65.		65 years and under 70.		70 years and under 75.		75 years and under 80.		80 years and under 85.		85 years and under 90.		Not stated.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
None	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	12	2	11	...	15	2	24	2	28	1	152	5	221	15	175	7	123	4	79	3	37	1	24	1	20	1	13	...	13	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	968	46
1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	3	...	5	...	8	...	38	3	44	6	44	...	25	4	11	1	14	...	8	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	211	16
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	12	1	26	2	26	1	14	1	16	...	5	...	5	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	7
3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	6	2	11	2	12	2	6	...	2	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	6
4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	7	1	6	1	5	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	2
5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	2	1	7	...	1	...	2	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	4
6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	3	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	
7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6
8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2
9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2
10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1
11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
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16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
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33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Indefinite	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	3	...	5	...	3	...	1	...	6	...	18	...	17	...	23	...	7	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	92	1
Total	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	1	14	2	14	1	19	3	33	3	38	3	221	12	320	31	283	14	187	11	123	5	69	8	50	8	49	5	40	3	39	...	9	...	4	...	3	...	1	...	9	3	1,535	113

No. 38.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their age and the total number of their Convictions during the Year.*

Age Groups.	Number of Convictions during the Year.																					
	One.		Two.		Three.		Four.		Five.		Six.		Seven.		Eight.		Nine.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
10 years and under 11	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
14 ,, ,, 15	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
15 ,, ,, 16	7	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1
16 ,, ,, 17	12	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2
Total, 16 years and under ...	21	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	3
17 years and under 18	11	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1
18 ,, ,, 19	18	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	3
19 ,, ,, 20	30	2	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	3
20 ,, ,, 21	35	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	3
Total, under 21 years ...	115	9	11	3	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	128	13
21 years and under 25	195	9	22	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	221	12
25 ,, ,, 30	287	21	27	5	3	3	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	320	31
30 ,, ,, 35	243	10	23	1	12	2	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	283	14
35 ,, ,, 40	167	9	14	2	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	187	11
40 ,, ,, 45	109	3	10	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	123	5
45 ,, ,, 50	58	3	4	2	2	2	2	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	8
50 ,, ,, 55	40	4	6	2	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	50	8
55 ,, ,, 60	38	2	7	2	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	5
60 ,, ,, 65	29	2	6	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	40	3
65 ,, ,, 70	35	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	39	
70 ,, ,, 75	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	
75 ,, ,, 80	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	
80 ,, ,, 85	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
85 ,, ,, 90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	
Not stated	9	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	3
Total	1339	75	133	22	42	8	12	5	3	1	2	1	...	...	3	...	1	1	1535	113

No. 39.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their nationality or *birthplace, and degree of education.*

Nationality, etc.	Able to Read and Write.			Illiterate.			Total		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Western Australians	60	20	80	7	4	11	67	24	91
New South Wales	82	5	87	2	...	2	84	5	89
Victorians	212	7	219	4	...	4	216	7	223
Queenslanders	27	...	27	1	...	1	28	...	28
South Australians	58	2	60	...	...	...	58	2	60
New Zealanders	15	3	18	...	...	...	15	3	18
Tasmanians	12	1	13	3	...	3	15	1	16
Australian Aborigines	1	...	1	238	25	263	239	25	264
Half-caste Australian Aborigines ...	2	...	2	6	...	6	8	...	8
Total, Australasian Colonies ...	469	38	507	261	29	290	730	67	797
English and Welsh	297	14	311	24	1	25	321	15	336
Scotch	76	2	78	5	1	6	81	3	84
Irish	136	14	150	19	5	24	155	19	174
Total, United Kingdom... ...	509	30	539	48	7	55	557	37	594
Canadians	5	1	6	...	...	...	5	1	6
Britons born in Other British Possessions	17	...	17	2	...	2	19	...	19
French	7	4	11	2	...	2	9	4	13
Germans	15	2	17	1	...	1	16	2	18
Swedes and Norwegians	23	...	23	4	...	4	27	...	27
Spaniards	2	...	2	3	...	3	5	...	5
Italians	4	...	4	1	...	1	5	...	5
Austrians	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Belgians	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Danes	4	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	4
Dutch	3	...	3	1	...	1	4	...	4
Swiss	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3
Russian Fins	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3
Armenians	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Americans born in United States ...	20	...	20	2	2	4	22	2	24
Brazilians	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
East Indians	3	...	3	8	...	8	11	...	11
Chinese	8	...	8	29	...	29	37	...	37
Japanese	4	...	4	6	...	6	10	...	10
Malays	3	...	3	25	...	25	28	...	28
Cingalese	5	...	5	6	...	6	11	...	11
Burmese	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Siamese	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Afghans	1	...	1	3	...	3	4	...	4
Manillamen	5	...	5	5	...	5	10	...	10
Arabs	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2
Egyptians	...	...	...	3	...	3	3	...	3
Creoles	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3
South Sea Islanders	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
GRAND TOTAL	1117	75	1192	418	38	456	1535	113	1648

* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 40.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their nationality or *birthplace, and the total number of their previous Convictions.*

Number of Previous Convictions.	Western Australians.		New South Wales.		Victorians.		Queens-landers.		South Australians.		New Zealanders.		Tasmanians.		Australian Aborigines.		Half-caste Australian Aborigines.		English and Welsh.		Scotch.		Irish.		Canadians.		Britons born in other British Possessions.		French.		Germans.		Swedes and Norwegians.		Spanish.		Italians.		Austrians.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
None	29	8	55	2	152	3	21	...	43	1	9	...	12	1	191	15	3	...	157	5	37	2	87	4	4	...	8	...	7	4	14	1	18	...	4	...	5	...	1	...
1	7	...	17	1	35	1	5	...	11	1	3	1	1	...	28	7	2	...	42	2	18	...	18	2	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
2	8	3	6	...	12	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	12	1	1	...	23	1	8	...	15	1	1	1	2	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	4	3	2	...	7	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	16	2	1	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	3	...	3	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	6	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	4	3	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
102	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indefinite	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	55	...	9	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	67	24	84	5	216	7	28	...	58	2	15	3	15	1	239	25	8	...	321	15	81	3	155	19	5	1	19	...	9	4	16	2	27	...	5	...	5	...	1	...

* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 40.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their nationality or *birthplace, etc.*—continued.

Number of Previous Convictions.	Belgians.		Danes.		Dutch.		Swiss.		Russian Finns.		Armenians.		Americans born in United States.		Brazilians.		East Indians.		Chinese.		Japanese.		Malays.		Cingalese.		Burmese.		Siamese.		Afghans.		Manilla-men.		Arabs.		Egyptians.		Creoles.		South Sea Islanders.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
None ...	1	...	3	...	3	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	12	...	1	...	7	...	25	...	7	...	18	...	9	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	8	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	968	46
1 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	211	16
2 ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	1	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	7
3 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	47	6
4 ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	2
5 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	4
6 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	13	1
7 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6
8 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2
9 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2
10 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1
11 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
12 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
13 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
14 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
15 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1
16 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
17 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
18 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
19 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
20 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
21 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
25 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
32 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
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34 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
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52 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
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63 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
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102 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Indefinite ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	92	1
Total ...	1	...	4	...	4	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	22	2	1	...	11	...	37	...	10	...	28	...	11	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	10	...	2	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	1,535	113

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* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 41.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their degree of education and nominal religion.*

	CHRISTIANS.																		Hebrews.		Mahomedans.		Buddhists.		Confucians.		Pagans.		Unspecified.		Without religion.		Grand Total.	
	Protestants.												Roman Catholics.		Unspecified.		Total Christians.																	
	Church of England.		Wesleyan.		Presbyterian.		Lutheran.		Unspecified.		Total Protestants.																							
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Able to read and write ...	35	1	3	...	8	...	1	...	536	26	583	27	509	48	3	...	1095	75	6	...	7	...	1	...	1	...	5	...	1	...		...	1117	75
Illiterate	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	43	6	44	6	76	15	6	...	126	21	...	...	42	...	3	...	1	...	142	17	101	...	3	...	418	38
Total	36	1	3	...	8	...	1	...	579	32	627	33	585	63	9	...	1221	96	6	...	49	...	4	...	2	...	147	17	102	...	4	...	1535	113

No. 42.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898, showing their degree of education and the total number of their previous Convictions.*

		NUMBER OF PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS.																																						Total.
		None.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	25	32	33	34	37	44	48	50	52	54	60	63	64	65	80	102	Ind.	
Able to read and write.	M. ...	668	161	81	43	25	17	8	7	3	2	4	2	5	1	1	2	2	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	77	1117
	F. ...	28	8	5	6	2	3	...	5	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	75
	Total ...	696	169	86	49	27	20	8	12	5	4	4	3	5	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	...	2	...	1	1	.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	1	77	1192
Illiterate.	M. ...	300	50	31	4	5	2	5	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	418
	F. ...	18	8	2	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	38
	Total ...	318	58	33	4	5	3	6	2	2	2	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	16	456
Total.	M. ...	968	211	112	47	30	19	13	8	5	4	5	2	5	1	1	2	2	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	92	1535
	F. ...	46	16	7	6	2	4	1	6	2	2	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	113
	Total ...	1014	227	119	53	32	23	14	14	7	6	6	4	5	2	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	93	1648

No. 43.—*Number of Distinct Prisoners committed under sentence during 1898,*

Occupations.	Western Australians.		New South Wales.		Victorians.		Queenslanders.		South Australians.		New Zealanders.		Tasmanians.		Australian Aborigines.		Half-Caste Australian Aborigines.		English and Welsh.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Accountants, Bookkeepers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Agents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Auctioneers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Bakers	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Barbers, Hairdressers	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bellmen	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Billiard Markers	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blacksmiths	2	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Boardinghouse-keepers	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boilermakers	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Bookbinders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bootmakers	3	...	1	...	4	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Brass-finishers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Bricklayers	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
Brickmakers	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brokers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Builders, Contractors	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Butchers	...	...	1	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Butlers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cabmen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Camel-drivers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canvassers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carpenters	3	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
Carriers, Carters	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Chemists	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Clerks	...	...	2	...	7	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
Coachbuilders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coachpainters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Commercial Travellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Compositors	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooks	1	...	3	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...
Divers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drapers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Draughtsmen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Dressmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Drovers	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Druggists	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engine-drivers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Engineers, Electricians	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...
Engine Fitters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farmers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Farriers	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Firemen	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Fishermen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flax Dressers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gardeners	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Grocers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grooms	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Hawkers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Horse Trainers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Housekeepers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Housewives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Interpreters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Ironmongers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Ironturners	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Ironworkers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jewellers	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jockeys	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Labourers	44	...	42	...	117	...	14	...	36	...	7	...	9	...	24	...	6	...	136	...
Laundresses	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Lithographers	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Machinists	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miners	...	...	11	...	22	...	4	...	5	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...
Moulders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Nurses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Omnibus-drivers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Operators	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Painters	3	...	1	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Plasterers	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plumbers	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Police Trackers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
Polishers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Printers	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Reporters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Saddlers, Harness-makers	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Sailmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Sailors	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	22	...
Sawyers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Seamstresses	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Shepherds, Shepherdesses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	1	1	...	...	...
Servants	...	19	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	1	20	20	1	...	...	7
Shipwrights	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Shirtmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shop and Store Assistants	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Shopkeepers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stable-boys	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Station Hands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...
Stewards	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Stockmen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Stone-cutters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Stonemasons	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Surveyors	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Tailors, Tailoresses	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Teamsters	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
Tinsmiths	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Upholsterers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Waiters, Waitresses	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheelwrights	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wire Mattress Makers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Woodturners	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Without definite occupation	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	163	4	...	...	1	...
TOTAL	67	24	84	5	216	7	28	...	58	2	15	3	15	1	239	25	8	...	321	15

*showing their nationality or *birthplace, and occupation at the time of Commitment.*

Scotch.		Irish.		Canadians.		Britons born in other British possessions.		French.		Germans.		Swedes and Norwegians.		Spaniards.		Italians.		Austrians.		Belgians.	
M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
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* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

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Accountants, Bookkeepers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Auctioneers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbers, Hairdressers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Boardinghouse-keepers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Bookbinders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bootmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brass-finishers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bricklayers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brickmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brokers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Builders, Contractors	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butchers	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Carriers, Carters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Clerks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coachbuilders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Commercial Travellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Compositors	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooks	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	12	...	3	...
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Dressmakers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drovers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Engineers, Electricians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Housewives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Interpreters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Laundresses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lithographers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Shop and Store Assistants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shopkeepers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Stable-boys	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Surveyors	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tailors, Tailoresses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teamsters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tinsmiths	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upholsterers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waiters, Waitresses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Wheelwrights	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Woodturners	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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showing their nationality or *birthplace, and occupation at the time of Commitment—continued.

Malays.		Cingalese.		Burmese.		Siamese.		Afghans.		Manilla-men.		Arabs.		Egyptians.		Creoles.		South Sea Islanders.		Total.	
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* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 44.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing the Prisoners' offences and the period for which imprisoned.*

	Offences.	Period for which Imprisoned.																							
		Under three days.		Three days and under one week.		One week and under one month.		One month and under three months.		Three months and under six months.		Six months and under one year.		One year and under two years.		Two years and under five years.		Five years and under ten years.		Ten years & under fifteen years.		Life.		Total.	
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Against the Person.	Abduction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Abortion or attempt to Procure	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
	Assault	...	...	...	...	12	1	37	...	15	...	14	...	14	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	96	1
	Assault and Robbery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	9	...
	Assault on Police, Females, and Boys	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...
	Assault, Indecent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Bigamy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Carnally Knowing a Girl under 12 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Manslaughter	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1
	Murder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...
	Murder, Attempt to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Obstructing or Resisting Police	...	...	...	...	15	...	14	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	...
	Rescuing from Custody	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Shooting or Wounding, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	4	...	3	...	2	...	1	...	15	...
	Sodomy, or Attempt to Commit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	3	...
	Suicide, or Attempt to Commit	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Total against the Person	...	...	...	...	28	1	64	...	22	...	19	...	21	...	15	...	5	1	7	...	3	...	184	2
Against Property.	Arson	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
	Burglary or Housebreaking	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
	Cattle-stealing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Cattle or Horses, Unlawfully Wounding	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Cattle or Horses, Unlawfully Using	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
	Embezzlement	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...
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	Highway Robbery	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Illegal Branding	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Horse-stealing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Killing Cattle or Sheep	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	52	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	...
	Larceny	1	...	...	...	20	1	78	3	61	3	105	4	13	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	288	11
	Larceny in Dwelling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Larceny from Person	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...
	Larceny, Prædial	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Malicious Injury to Property	...	...	...	1	3	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	2
	Possession of Fire-arms for Unlawful Purpose	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Possession of House-breaking Tools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Possession of Skeleton Key	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Receiving Stolen Property	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	2	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	12	1
	Setting Fire to Telegraph Poles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Sheep Stealing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...
	Unlawful Possession	...	...	...	...	17	...	36	1	29	...	37	1	26	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	146	2
	Unlawfully upon Premises	...	...	...	...	4	...	18	...	12	...	14	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	...
	Total against Property	1	...	...	1	45	1	152	5	118	3	184	7	120	...	46	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	673	17

Against Currency	Forging or Uttering	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	5	...	6	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	18	1
	In Possession of Coining Tools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Total against Currency	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	5	...	6	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	19	1
	Drunkenness	2	...	33	4	169	46	11	1	3	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	219	53
Miscellaneous.	Abusive, Threatening, or Profane Language	...	...	1	...	53	9	25	5	5	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	17
	Absconding from Service, Aborigines	...	...	...	...	6	...	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...
	Bushfires, Wilfully or Negligently Causing	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
	Contempt of Court	...	...	...	...	11	...	20	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...
	Crown Lands, Illegal Occupation of	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Cruelty to Animals	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Desertion from Police Force	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Deserting Wives, Husbands, or Neglecting Children	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3
	Deserters (Merchant Seamen)	...	...	1	...	6	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
	Disorderly Conduct	1	...	2	3	94	11	43	6	17	4	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	171	24
	Fisheries Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Gaming	...	...	...	...	5	...	9	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...
	Hawkers Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Health Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Idle and Disorderly Persons	...	...	1	...	17	1	41	10	20	13	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	28
	Immigration Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
	Inciting Prisoners to Resist	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
	Incorrigible Rogue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1
	Indecent Behaviour	...	...	...	...	5	...	4	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	4
	Malingering	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Masters and Servants Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2
	Merchant Shipping Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
	Mutiny (Disobedience on Board Ships)	...	...	...	...	12	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...
	No visible means of Support	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	6	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	1
	Not giving right name to Police	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...
	Obscenity	...	...	...	...	7	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
	Pearl Fisheries Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Prison Breaking or Escaping from Custody	...	...	1	...	4	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...
	Railway By-laws, Breach of	...	...	...	...	8	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
	Representing himself as a Policeman	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Rogue and Vagabond	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	7	1	11	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	1
	Signing Telegram in Fictitious Name	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Sly Grog-selling	...	1	...	...	3	...	2	1	4	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	4
	Soliciting Prostitution	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
	Stowaway	...	...	...	...	29	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	...
	Supplying Natives with Liquor	1	...	...	...	2	...	9	...	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...
	Ticket-of-Leave Rules, Breach of	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
	Trafficking with Prisoners	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Vagrancy	...	...	...	...	7	...	29	...	20	12	16	6	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	19
	Wine, Beer, etc., Act, Breach of	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Total Miscellaneous	2	1	6	3	284	28	256	25	124	40	62	11	9	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	743	110
	GRAND TOTAL	5	1	39	8	526	76	483	31	271	43	271	20	156	2	64	...	12	2	8	...	3	...	1,838	183

No. 45.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing class of offence and age.*

Age Groups.	Offences.											
	Against the Person.		Against Property.		Against Currency.		Drunkenness.		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
10 years and under 11	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
14 ,, ,, 15	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
15 ,, ,, 16	...	...	8	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	2
16 ,, ,, 17	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	18	2
Total, 16 years and under ...	...	...	23	2	...	...	...	...	6	2	29	4
17 years and under 18	2	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	17	1
18 ,, ,, 19	...	...	14	1	...	...	...	1	5	4	19	6
19 ,, ,, 20	4	...	23	2	...	...	...	1	11	1	38	4
20 ,, ,, 21	6	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	19	4	43	4
Total, under 21 years ...	12	...	88	5	...	...	...	2	46	12	146	19
21 years and under 25	28	1	113	1	4	...	4	2	100	10	249	14
25 ,, ,, 30	42	...	151	4	6	1	21	20	144	27	364	52
30 ,, ,, 35	45	...	113	1	2	...	34	2	151	19	345	22
35 ,, ,, 40	21	...	68	3	3	...	31	4	90	6	213	13
40 ,, ,, 45	10	...	49	...	2	...	24	1	56	5	141	6
45 ,, ,, 50	6	1	21	...	1	...	27	9	42	7	97	17
50 ,, ,, 55	3	...	10	2	1	...	28	3	32	11	74	16
55 ,, ,, 60	4	...	22	...	...	...	15	3	24	6	65	9
60 ,, ,, 65	4	...	16	...	...	...	16	7	23	4	59	11
65 ,, ,, 70	5	...	12	...	...	...	10	...	21	...	48	...
70 ,, ,, 75	1	...	5	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	11	...
75 ,, ,, 80	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	5	...
80 ,, ,, 85	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	...
85 ,, ,, 90	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	8	...
Not stated	3	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	3	3	9	4
Total	184	2	673	17	19	1	219	53	743	110	1838	183

No. 46.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing period for which imprisoned and age.*

Age Groups.	PERIOD FOR WHICH IMPRISONED.																							
	Under 3 days.		3 days and under 1 week.		1 week and under 1 month.		1 month and under 3 months.		3 months and under 6 months.		6 months and under 1 year.		1 year and under 2 years.		2 years and under 5 years.		5 years and under 10 years.		10 years and under 15 years.		Life.		Total.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
10 years and under 11 ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
14 " " 15 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
15 " " 16 ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2
16 " " 17 ...	...	...	1	...	2	1	4	...	7	1	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	2
Total, 16 years and under	...	...	1	...	2	2	6	1	10	1	8	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	4
17 years and under 18 ...	...	...	...	...	6	...	3	...	2	1	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	17	1
18 " " 19 ...	...	...	...	...	4	2	2	...	3	4	5	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	6
19 " " 20 ...	...	...	...	1	11	1	9	1	6	1	3	...	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	4
20 " " 21 ...	...	...	...	...	8	3	14	...	5	1	4	...	7	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	4
Total, under 21 years ...	...	...	1	1	31	8	34	2	26	8	23	...	22	...	7	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	146	19
21 years and under 25 ...	1	...	1	2	46	4	70	3	49	4	49	1	18	...	11	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	249	14
25 " " 30 ...	...	1	6	4	99	26	97	8	47	8	52	4	39	...	21	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	364	52
30 " " 35 ...	...	...	3	...	102	9	95	4	52	6	41	3	35	...	12	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	345	22
35 " " 40 ...	3	...	8	1	70	4	58	2	24	1	25	4	16	1	6	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	213	13
40 " " 45 ...	...	...	3	...	43	1	35	2	20	3	22	...	14	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	141	6
45 " " 50 ...	1	...	3	...	43	10	24	1	11	3	10	2	3	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	97	17
50 " " 55 ...	...	...	4	...	31	4	15	5	12	5	7	2	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	74	16
55 " " 60 ...	...	...	3	...	17	2	14	3	6	3	21	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	65	9
60 " " 65 ...	...	...	3	...	19	7	15	...	11	1	9	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	11
65 " " 70 ...	...	...	2	...	15	...	13	...	8	...	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	48	...
70 " " 75 ...	...	...	2	...	3	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	11	...
75 " " 80 ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
80 " " 85 ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
85 " " 90 ...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...
Not stated	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4
Total	5	1	39	8	526	76	483	31	271	43	271	20	156	2	64	..	12	2	8	...	3	...	1838	183

No. 47.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing the Prisoners' nationality or *birthplace, and class of offence.*

Nationality, etc.	Offences.											
	Against the Person.		Against Property.		Against Currency.		Drunkenness.		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Western Australians ...	13	...	35	1	...	...	2	3	29	31	79	35
New South Wales	8	...	42	3	2	...	3	6	39	3	94	12
Victorians	29	...	100	1	2	...	16	1	104	7	251	9
Queenslanders	3	...	13	...	1	...	...	...	16	...	33	...
South Australians	4	...	25	1	1	...	1	...	32	1	63	2
New Zealanders	1	...	8	...	...	...	4	7	8	3	21	10
Tasmanians	1	...	6	1	1	...	1	...	10	...	19	1
Australian Aborigines ...	32	1	144	4	...	...	8	8	63	17	247	30
Half-caste Australian Aborigines	...	...	4	...	...	...	3	...	5	...	12	...
Total, Australasian Colonies	91	1	377	11	7	...	38	25	306	62	819	99
English and Welsh	31	1	132	2	5	...	95	5	160	18	423	26
Scotch...	9	...	38	...	2	1	14	...	45	3	108	4
Irish	18	...	37	2	3	...	59	19	88	20	205	41
Total, United Kingdom ...	58	1	207	4	10	1	168	24	293	41	736	71
Canadians	1	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	2
British born in other British Possessions	3	...	9	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	25	...
French	...	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	6	4	11	4
Germans	...	...	4	1	2	...	2	1	10	1	18	3
Swedes and Norwegians ...	7	...	5	...	...	...	5	...	14	...	31	...
Spaniards	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	6	...
Italians	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	...
Austrians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Belgians	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Danes	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...
Dutch	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	4	...
Swiss	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...
Russian Finns	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3	...
Armenians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Americans born in United States	3	...	7	...	...	...	...	3	13	1	23	4
Brazilians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
East Indians	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	13	...
Chinese	4	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	42	...
Japanese	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	13	...
Malays	4	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	33	...
Cingalese	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	11	...
Burmese	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Siamese	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Afghans	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
Manillamen	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	11	...
Arabs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...
Egyptians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...
Creoles	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	6	...
South Sea Islanders ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
GRAND TOTAL	184	2	673	17	19	1	219	53	743	110	1,838	183

*In every case the country or colony mentioned is that where the prisoners were born.

No. 48.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing the Prisoner's nationality or *birthplace, and the period for which imprisoned.*

Nationality, etc.	Period for which Imprisoned.																						Total.	
	Under 3 days.		3 days and under 1 week.		1 week and under 1 month.		1 month and under 3 months.		3 months and under 6 months.		6 months and under 1 year.		1 year and under 2 years.		2 years and under 5 years.		5 years and under 10 years.		10 years and under 15 years.		Life.			
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Males	Females
Western Australians	...	...	...	...	16	10	31	8	15	15	11	1	2	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	79	35
New South Wales	...	...	1	...	16	5	35	5	11	2	18	...	7	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	12
Victorians	...	...	3	...	83	4	65	1	42	1	43	3	9	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	251	9
Queenslanders	...	...	...	...	6	...	11	...	6	...	6	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...
South Australians	...	...	...	...	15	...	17	1	12	1	15	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	63	2
New Zealanders	...	...	...	1	8	8	3	1	5	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	10
Tasmanians	...	...	...	...	8	...	5	1	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	19	1
Australian Aborigines	2	...	3	4	30	17	28	3	28	5	27	1	92	...	36	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	247	30
Half-caste Australian Aborigines	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
Total, Australasian Colonies	2	...	7	5	185	44	198	20	123	24	127	5	121	1	50	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	819	99
English and Welsh	3	...	19	2	149	6	103	2	56	7	69	8	14	...	2	...	6	1	2	...	...	...	423	26
Scotch	...	...	2	...	41	...	28	1	16	2	18	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	108	4
Irish	...	...	8	...	82	22	55	6	25	7	22	5	7	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	205	41
Total, United Kingdom	3	...	29	2	272	28	186	9	97	16	109	13	23	1	7	...	6	2	2	...	2	...	736	71
Canadians	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2
British born in other British Possessions	...	...	1	...	5	...	6	...	4	...	5	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	25	...
French	...	1	...	...	5	1	2	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	11	4
Germans	...	...	...	1	8	...	2	1	5	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	3
Swedes and Norwegians	...	...	...	...	15	...	6	...	4	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	31	...
Spaniards	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
Italians	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Austrians	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Belgians	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Danes	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
Dutch	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
Swiss	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Russian Finns	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Armenians	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Americans born in United States	...	...	...	...	4	3	8	...	1	1	7	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	23	4
Brazilians	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
East Indians	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...
Chinese	...	...	...	...	9	...	18	...	7	...	6	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...
Japanese	...	...	1	...	1	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...
Malays	...	...	...	...	6	...	13	...	11	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	33	...
Cingalese	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	4	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...
Burmese	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Siamese	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Afghans	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...
Manillamen	...	...	...	...	4	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...
Arabs	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Egyptians	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Creoles	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
South Sea Islanders	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Grand Total	5	1	39	8	526	76	483	31	271	43	271	20	156	2	64	...	12	2	8	...	3	...	1838	183

* In every case the country or colony mentioned is that were the prisoners were born.

No. 49.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing Class of Offence and Prisoners Degree of Education.*

	OFFENCES.											
	Against the Person.		Against Property.		Against Currency.		Drunkenness.		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Able to read and write	126	1	462	11	19	1	181	37	576	79	1364	129
Illiterate	58	1	211	6	...	...	38	16	167	31	474	54
Total	184	2	673	17	19	1	219	43	743	110	1838	183

No. 50.—*Number of Commitments under sentence during 1898, showing Class of Offence, and whether Prisoners were Married or Single.*

	OFFENCES.											
	Against the Person.		Against Property.		Against Currency.		Drunkenness.		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Married * ...	38	1	109	9	8	1	40	41	137	63	332	115
Single	146	1	564	8	11	...	179	12	606	47	1506	68
Total ...	184	2	673	17	19	1	219	53	743	110	1838	183

* Comprising only those prisoners who were stated to be married at time of Commitment; all others are classed as single.

No. 51.—*Return of Miscellaneous Particulars relating to Discipline, Health, and Finance of each* Prison in Western Australia during the year 1898.*

Name of Prison.	Daily average number in Prison.	Escapes while employed beyond Gaol.	Floggings for offences during Imprisonment.	Other punishments for offences during Imprisonment.	Admissions to sick wards during year.	Daily average number in hospital during year.	Daily average under casual treatment.	Prevailing diseases in Prison during year.	Cost of Prisons for year.	Earnings of Prisoners during year.	Daily average of persons at Invalid Depôt, Fremantle.
									£	£	
Fremantle ...	396	6	2	390	120	10·60	48	Influenza, dyspepsia, diarrhœa, venereal diseases	15,395	8,755	43·46
Albany	7·17	1	...	21	1	...	...	Effects of intemperance	£16,879	177	
Broome	25·71	...	...	9	...	·4	...	... ...		1,016	
Bunbury	4·20	...	...	...	...	...	5	Colds		†	
Busselton	·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		†	
Carnarvon	30·82	...	...	10	...	...	25	Venereal diseases ...		391	
Derby	57·30	5	...	7	...	...	1·6	Influenza and diarrhœa		†	
Geraldton	27·50	...	...	20	...	1	1	None		1,284	
Hall's Creek ...	22·56	4	4	...	3	·17	·2	None		†	
Newcastle	6	..	...	...	...	...	...	Catarrh		†	
Roebourne ...	43	4	4	8	18	...	1	Venereal diseases ...		†	
Wyndham ...	45	...	...	2	...	2	...	Scurvy and influenza		†	
York	2	...	...	...	1	...	3	... ...		†	
All Prisons ...	667·76	20	10	467	143	14·17	84·8	Influenza, diarrhœa, venereal diseases	32,274	11,623	

* No return from Esperance Gaol, which was closed during the year.

† No estimate given.

PART VIII.—LAW, CRIME, ETC.

No. 52.—*Commitments of Male, Female, and Juvenile Prisoners of both sexes for Imprisonment, with or without sentence, during each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Number committed for									Total Commitments.			
	Debt.	Safe custody till trial, or want of security.				Purposes of Penal Imprisonment							
	M. Adults.	Adults.		Juveniles.	Total.	Adults.		Juveniles.	Total	Adults.		Juveniles.	Total.
		M.	F.			M.	F.			M.	F.		
1889	4	92	1	1	94	890	105	24	1019	986	106	25	1117
1890	9	53	1	1	55	1001	121	15	1137	1063	122	16	1201
1891	7	61	1	...	62	1161	163	15	1339	1229	164	15	1408
1892	8	113	...	...	113	1268	143	33	1444	1389	143	33	1565
1893	11	76	...	...	76	1226	120	22	1368	1313	120	22	1455
1894	12	102	...	1	103	1396	124	28	1548	1510	124	29	1663
1895	6	144	1	...	145	1314	152	14	1480	1464	153	14	1631
1896	6	145	2	2	149	1772	154	23	1949	1923	156	25	2104
1897	14	258	15	...	273	2077	203	8	2288	2349	218	8	2575
1898	26	309	8	3	320	*1809	*179	33	*2021	2144	187	36	2367

* Exclusive of Transfers, etc., numbering 65 males and one female.

No. 53.—*Commitments under sentence of Male, Female, and Juvenile Prisoners of both sexes, during each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898, showing period for which Imprisoned.*

Year.	Number committed for														Total Commitments under Sentence.			
	5 years or more.			1 year and under 5 years.				3 months and under 1 year.				Less than 3 months.						
	Adults.		Total.	Adults.		Juveniles	Total.	Adults.		Juveniles.	Total.	Adults.		Juveniles.	Total.	Adults.		Juveniles.	Total.
	M.	F.		M.	F.			M.	F.			M.	F.			M.	F.		
1889	14	...	14	59	...	...	59	86	8	...	94	731	97	24	852	890	105	24	1019
1890	10	...	10	92	1	...	93	119	6	...	125	780	114	15	909	1001	121	15	1137
1891	7	...	7	201	1	...	202	119	4	...	123	834	158	15	1007	1161	163	15	1339
1892	24	...	24	262	2	...	264	208	14	1	223	774	127	32	933	1268	143	33	1444
1893	18	...	18	195	2	1	198	181	13	...	194	832	105	21	958	1226	120	22	1368
1894	16	...	16	205	...	...	205	211	15	5	231	964	109	23	1096	1396	124	28	1548
1895	28	...	28	151	3	1	155	264	21	6	291	871	128	7	1006	1314	152	14	1480
1896	38	...	38	177	3	4	184	279	17	1	297	1278	134	18	1430	1772	154	23	1949
1897	41	...	41	252	2	3	257	310	21	...	331	1474	180	5	1659	2077	203	8	2288
1898	23	2	25	218	2	2	222	524	62	19	605	1044	113	12	1169	1809	179	33	2021

No. 54.—*Particulars of the Sanitary and General Condition of the *Prisoners, also the Expenditure and Revenue of the Prisons* for each of the Ten Years 1889-1898.*

Year.	Daily Average Number in Prison.	Number of Admissions to Hospital during Year.	Daily Average on Sick List.	Number of Deaths during Year.	Number of Executions during Year.	Number of Escapes while employed beyond Gaol.	Annual Cost of Prisons.	Earnings of Prisoners.	Invalids in Depôt: daily Average.
							£	£	
1889	294·14	43	4·75	13	2	6	12585	‡	51
1890	264·91	36	8·41	15	...	12	12917	‡	46
1891	285·54	36	8·15	11	1	14	13579	‡	45
1892	348·53	37	8·30	16	3	29	16450	‡	43
1893	352·36	38	13·83	38	1	15	15353	‡	48
1894	388·74	30	14·83	15	...	36	15609	†3541	48
1895	442·55	73	12·57	24	...	29	18221	†5409	45
1896	456·77	79	10·25	10	2	36	22104	§11979	40
1897	553·05	118	14·20	10	1	24	25817	‖16424	40
1898	667·76	143	14·17	6	...	20	32274	¶11623	43

* Exclusive of Rottnest Prison. † Fremantle Prison only. ‡ Not ascertained. § Albany, Broome, Carnarvon, Geraldton, Roebourne, Wyndham, and Fremantle Prisons. ‖ Albany, Broome, Carnarvon, Derby, Geraldton, and Fremantle Prisons. ¶ Albany, Broome, Carnarvon, Geraldton, and Fremantle Prisons.

No. 55.—*Number of Prisoners undergoing Penal Servitude in Western Australia on the 31st December of each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.*

Year.	On Public Works.			Invalids in Hospital.			Lunatics in Asylum.	Ticket-of-Leave Holders in Private Employ.	Conditional Release Holders.	Total of Prisoners undergoing Penal Servitude.
	Probation and Re-convicted Prisoners.	Ticket-of-Leave Holders out of Employment.	Total.	Conditional Release Holders.	Ticket-of-Leave Holders.	Total.				
1889	65	5	70	...	1	1	4	45	37	157
1890	62	4	66	1	2	3	2	39	38	148
1891	53	3	56	...	...	...	2	37	38	133
1892	44	5	49	...	1	1	1	45	30	126
1893	51	4	55	...	2	2	1	43	25	126
1894	49	8	57	...	1	1	3	37	21	119
1895	42	6	48	...	1	1	2	39	22	112
1896	54	2	56	1	1	2	2	42	17	* 119
1897	70	2	72	...	2	2	...	28	23	† 125
1898	75	2	77	...	1	1	...	26	18	122

*23 coloured men (including six aboriginal natives), and 96 white men (including 63 original convicts).

†21 coloured men (including three aboriginal native half-castes), and 104 white men (including 50 original convicts and seven Western Australians).

No. 56.—*Number of Probation and Re-convicted Prisoners on Public Works in Western Australia, as dispersed throughout the Colony, on the 31st December of each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.*

Name of District.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Broome	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Derby	...	...	...	2	2	3	1	1	1	1
Fremantle	60	58	49	38	44	39	33	43	60	65
Kimberley	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	
Roebourne	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1
Rottnest	3	1	2	2	1	2	2	3	7	7
Swan	...	...	...	...	1					
Victoria	1	3	2	3	2	1	3	4	1	
Wellington	1									
Wyndham	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2		
York	...	...	...	...	...	1				
Total	65	62	53	45	51	49	42	54	70	75

No. 57.—*Number of Certificates of Freedom, Conditional Releases, and Remissions granted to Prisoners undergoing Penal Servitude, and of Conditional Releases cancelled, in Western Australia, during each of the Ten Years 1889 to 1898.*

	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Certificates of Remission of Sentence issued ...	3	3	1	2	...	3	2	2	6	16
Conditional Releases issued	6	11	4	5	3	1	4	3	5	9
Conditional Releases cancelled	1	4	...	3	3	1	...	...	...	1
Certificates of Freedom issued	12	11	11	13	8	8	7	8	8	8

No. 58.—*Rottnest Establishment, 1898.*

(From Returns supplied by Superintendent Rottnest Prison and Inspector of Charitable Institutions.)

Accommodation, Inmates, Sentences, etc.	PRISON.		REFORMATORY.
	Males.		Male Juveniles.
	Aborigines.	White Adults.	
Number for whom there is accommodation—	No.	No.	No.
In separate cells	...	...	4
In wards or cells for more than one (including sick ward)	150	10	40
Greatest number in confinement during the year 1898	86	7	25
Daily average number in confinement during the year 1898	72	6	17
Number in confinement at the commencement of 1898—			
For offences against the person	34	2	...
For offences against property	33	5	8
For vagrancy	...	...	...
For other offences	5	...	1
Total	72	7	9
Number received during 1898—			
Committed for trial	4	‡	...
For offences against the person	14	‡	...
For offences against property	19	‡	11
For vagrancy	...	‡	1
For other offences	19	‡	8
Total	56	‡	20
Number released or removed during 1898—			
To freedom { On remission of sentence	* 8	‡	4
To freedom { On expiration of sentence	† 53	‡	4
By transfer to other gaols or to Government employment	11	‡	4
By death	3	‡	...
Total	75	‡	12
Number in confinement at the end of 1898—			
For offences against the person	26	‡	...
For offences against property	23	‡	10
For vagrancy	...	‡	...
For other offences	4	‡	7
Total	53	‡	17
Number in confinement who were previously convicted—			
Once	§	‡	1
Twice	§	‡	...
Three or more times	§	‡	...
Total	§	‡	1
Number of prisoners committed to penal punishment—			
For five years or more	4	‡	...
For one year or more but less than five years	13	‡	...
For more than three months but less than one year	14	‡	...
For three months or less	17	‡	...
Total	48	‡	...
Punishments inflicted for offences during imprisonment—			
Number of cases	14	...	2
Floggings	...	...	2
Other punishments	14	...	...
Number of admissions to sick ward	169	...	...
Daily average on the sick list	5	...	...
Cost of maintenance	£2,591		£678
Earnings of inmates	§		£160

Prevailing disease in Prison: Influenza.

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* Including *one* released by order of Medical Officer. † Including those committed for trial. ‡ Not recorded, the white prisoners being accounted for under "Fremantle Gaol." § No record kept.

VII.—INQUESTS.

(Compiled from Certificates of Deaths registered in Registrar General's Office).

No. 59.—*Return of Coroners' Inquests and of the Causes of Death for the Year 1898.*

Class.	Cause of Death.	Number.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.
I.	SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.			
	Sub-class 1.—Miasmatic Diseases.			
	Diphtheria	...	2	2
	Typhoid	1	...	1
	Sub-class 6.—Septic Diseases.			
	Blood-poisoning	1	...	1
	Total—Class I.	2	2	4
III.	DIETETIC DISEASES.			
	Want of Sufficient Nourishment, "Infants"	1	1	2
	Privation, Hunger and Thirst, "Adults"	8	...	8
	Chronic Alcoholism	3	2	5
	Chronic Narcotic Poison	1	...	1
	Total—Class III.	13	3	16
IV.	CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.			
	Cancer	1	...	1
	Phthisis	2	...	2
	Total—Class IV.	3	...	3
V.	DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.			
	Premature Birth	...	3	3
	Total—Class V.	...	3	3
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES.			
	Sub-class 1.—Diseases of the Nervous System.			
	Apoplexy	1	...	1
	Paralysis	...	1	1
	Epilepsy	1	1	2
	Others	...	1	1
	Sub-class 3.—Diseases of the Circulatory System.			
	Valvular Disease	2	1	3
	Syncope	2	1	3
	Aneurism	2	...	2
	Heart Disease	14	...	14
	Sub-class 4.—Diseases of the Respiratory System.			
	Bronchitis	...	2	
	Pneumonia	1	...	
	Pleurisy	1	...	1
	Sub-class 5.—Diseases of the Digestive System.			
	Excessive Vomiting	1	...	1
	Inflammation of the Bowels	...	1	1
	Teething	1	1	2
	Ulceration of Intestine	1	...	1
	Cirrhosis of Liver	1	...	1
	Sub-class 7.—Diseases of the Urinary System.			
	Inflammation of the Kidneys	1	...	1
	Bright's Disease	...	1	1
	Disease of Bladder	1	...	1
	Total—Class VI. ...	30	10	40

No. 59.—*Return of Coroners' Inquests and of the Causes of Death for the Year 1898*—continued.

Class.	Cause of Death.	Number.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.
VII.	VIOLENCE.			
	Sub-class 1.—Accident or Negligence.			
	Railway Accidents	14	...	14
	Falling down a Well	1	...	1
	Falling down Mining Shafts	7	...	7
	Fall of Earth or Rock	11	...	11
	Falls, otherwise	10	...	10
	Run over by Drays, etc.	5	1	6
	Fracture of Skull	13	...	13
	Fractures, generally	6	...	6
	Dynamite Explosion	3	...	3
	Gunshot Wounds	3	...	3
	Burns	4	1	5
	Poison	6	...	6
	Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	7	...	7
	Drowning	19	5	24
	Suffocation	2	1	3
	Otherwise	6	...	6
	Sub-class 2.—Homicide.			
	Murder	...	3	3
	Manslaughter	...	1	1
	Sub-class 3.—Suicide.			
	Gunshot Wounds	12	...	12
	Cut, Stab	9	...	9
	Poison	1	...	1
	Drowning	1	1	2
	Hanging	2	1	3
	Otherwise	2	1	3
	Total—Class VII. ...	144	15	159
VIII.	ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.			
	Dropsy	...	1	1
	Marasmus	...	1	1
	Hæmorrhage	1	...	1
	Not specified or ill-defined	9	2	11
	Total - Class VIII. ...	10	4	14
	GRAND TOTAL	202	37	239

No. 60.—*Comparative Statement of Inquests for 1896, 1897, and 1898.*

Year.	Total No. of Inquests.	CAUSES OF DEATH, AS GATHERED FROM THE VERDICTS RETURNED.								Unspecified or Doubtful Cases.
		Disease or Natural Causes.	Intemperance.	Chronic Laudanum Poisoning.	External Causes.					
					Accident.	Homicide.	Suicide.	Execution.	Otherwise.	
1896	137	16	...	1	68	3	21	1	13	14
1897	190	31	3	2	93	6	28	1	8	18
1898	239	60	5	1	119	4	30	...	6	14

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I.—RELIGION—(*a.*) *Churches, etc., for the Year 1898.*

No. 1.—Anglican Church.

(Year ended Easter, 1899.)

Name of Parish.	Number of Ministers.	Number of Lay Readers or Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Residences provided.	Total number of Services held during the year. (Sunday and Week Day.)				Number of Baptisms.	Number of Persons Confirmed during the year.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
							Holy Eucharist.	Morning Prayer.	Evening Prayer.	Total.					
Albany	1	2	3	2	250	1	115	365	249	729	116	45	230	27	34
Beaconsfield ...	1	4	3	2	270	1	75	55	198	328	88	19	140	14	11
Beverley	1	4	6	2	400	1	54	51	145	250	21	25	183	8	9
Bridgetown	1	2	1	6	370	1	48	29	52	129	30	20	135	5	5
Broad Arrow ...	1	...	1	3	90	...	15	44	62	121	14	6	11	...	11
Bunbury	1	9	3	12	170	1	57	96	185	338	72	0	75	26	46
Busselton	1	2	1	3	366	1	24	52	104	180	27	0	120	8	14
Carnarvon	1	...	1	1	72	1	97	25	100	222	18	7	17	2	6
Claremont	1	1	1	...	125	1	47	52	59	158	25	11	100	15	...
Coolgardie	1	6	1	4	370	1	124	372	394	890	73	17	126	49	138
Cottesloe	1	1	1	...	120	1	33	27	56	116	18	3	66	...	...
Cue...	1	4	2	11	110	1	51	35	100	186	28	10	70	6	21
Dongara	1	3	1	4	105	1	78	94	159	331	19	0	55	4	4
Donnybrook	1	1	...	7	...	...	11	33	53	97	15	0	...	3	...
Esperance	1	2	1	1	120	1	32	53	113	198	20	1	35	6	7
Fremantle	2	1	1	...	625	1	101	386	143	630	164	0	260	54	109
Geraldton	1	1	2	14	430	1	100	116	233	449	67	10	245	15	20
Gingin	1	3	1	4	165	1	19	61	104	184	12	0	20	...	7
Greenough	1	...	2	1	280	1	24	25	81	130	13	16	40	4	5
Guildford	1	...	1	...	350	1	66	52	52	170	54	27	84	13	26
Highgate	1	...	2	1	350	1	179	365	429	973	98	46	250	48	31
Jarrahdale	1	2	2	8	422	1	5	33	113	151	20	0	45	4	3
Kalgoorlie	3	...	2	1	500	2	182	758	150	1090	142	26	124	58	...
Kanowna	1	...	1	...	150	...	63	358	59	480	32	12	23	5	19
Karridale	1	2	1	5	120	1	19	271	303	593	27	12	39	2	5
Katanning	1	1	3	4	435	1	8	79	145	232	58	13	56	3	9
Menzies	1	...	1	...	100	1	27	78	55	160	14	8	10	9	...
Mourambine... ...	1	2	2	11	464	1	74	66	86	226	31	10	147	6	10
Newcastle	1	...	3	3	400	1	8	59	92	159	19	2	95	9	9
Northam	1	3	2	12	240	1	74	66	133	273	61	21	93	17	31
North Fremantle ...	1	...	1	...	180	...	35	130	57	222	8	8	39	1	6
Perth	4	12	6	3	1630	2	794	805	977	2576	170	26	831	98	176
Pinjarrah	1	3	2	3	115	1	33	76	120	229	27	0	75	10	12
Southern Cross ...	1	1	1	...	75	1	3	53	59	115	5	0	11	4	8
Subiaco	1	1	1	...	115	1	17	56	61	134	53	0	53	12	...
Swan	1	7	4	6	290	1	105	601	344	1050	119	22	87	11	18
Victoria Park ...	2	2	3	3	204	1	34	74	147	255	37	0	59	11	3
York	1	1	2	...	77	1	35	56	69	160	25	16	90	7	20
Total	45	83	72	137	10955	36	2866	6007	6041	14914	1840	439	4139	574	833

No. 2.—Roman Catholic Church.

Name of Parish or District.	Number of Clergymen.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Presbyteries provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Persons Confirmed during the year.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Albany	2	1	...	500	1	836	58	...	180	9	30
Boulder	2	...	2	1200	1	214	60	46	1200	25	26
Bunbury	1	4	1	620	1	786	54	1	910	6	26
Busselton	1	2	6	150	1	470	36	4	25	3	3
Coolgardie	2	2	4	795	1	911	56	40	700	20	49
Cue	1	1	...	80	1	200	8	...	80	2	4
Dongara	...	2	6	280	1	90	10	...	194	...	1
Fremantle	4	2	3	2500	1	1863	150	...	2000	50	130
Geraldton	3	1	2	500	1	1370	100	6	300	20	10
Greenough	1	3	1	240	2	160	15	...	300	3	3
Guildford	1	2	3	456	1	258	23	25	342	4	11
Kalgoorlie	1	1	1	500	1	1000	13	20	500	24	18
Kanowna	1	2	...	200	...	250	7	...	400	...	...
Katanning	1	2	4	150	1	150	20	...	100	3	20
Kimberley, West	3	4	5	360	3	1817	48	...	299	10	9
Menzies	1	1	1	155	...	152	9	...	19	11	6
Mount Margaret	4	2	4	214	2	280	7	...	148	4	5
Murchison, South and East	1	1	8	460	...	320	15	...	150	...	2
Newcastle	1	1	...	...	1	...	20	100	...	6	4
New Norcia	6	2	...	250	1	480	29	...	300	8	14
North-West District	6	2	4	213	1	97	7	...	161	2	2
Northam	1	2	4	800	1	800	16	...	600	4	5
Northampton	1	1	2	200	1	50	12	...	140	...	...
Perth	6	3	...	1200	1	1500	185	...	5250	155	150
Southern Cross	1	1	15	150	1	200	18	17	155	7	2
Subiaco*	2	2	1	300	...	425	12	...	159	3	...
York	1	2	1	274	1	428	31	...	214	3	10
Total	55	49	78	12747	27	15107	1019	259	14826	382	540

* Including figures for Industrial School for Boys.

I.—*Religion*—(*a.*) *Churches, etc., for the Year 1898*—continued.

No. 3.—PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Name of Parish.	Number of Ministers.	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Manses provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the Year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Albany	1	...	1	...	300	...	130	10	102	9	10
Boulder *	1	...	1	...	140	...	106	12	24	3	3
Coolgardie	1	1	1	...	300	1	158	...	50	...	...
Cottesloe †	...	...	1	...	100	...	...	11	49	2	3
Fremantle	2	9	2	2	650	...	327	48	132	24	44
Geraldton	1	1	1	2	380	...	120	...	31	2	...
Kalgoorlie	1	...	1	...	280	1	160	15	60	20	25
Leederville	1	5	1	...	110	...	104	...	...	...	1
Northam	1	...	1	1	90	1	156	21	35	5	4
Perth	2	8	4	...	1,000	...	90	41	263	65	18
Perth, West	1	...	1	...	200	...	104	7	37	9	15
Subiaco	1	...	1	...	200	...	100	15	...	3	5
Total	13	24	16	5	3,750	3	1,555	180	783	142	128

* From 1st May, 1898, only. † From August, 1898, only.

No. 4.—WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH.

(Year ended 30th September, 1898.)

Name of Circuit.	Number of Ministers.	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Parsonages provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Albany	2	2	2	4	400	1	732	37	110	18	6
Bridgetown Mission	1	3	...	7	400	...	200	20	15	1	6
Bunbury	1	3	1	3	500	1	200	22	40	12	20
Canning Mills Mission	1	3	...	7	330	...	182	2	24	...	...
Coolgardie	2	8	4	1	790	1	620	43	145	27	35
Cue	1	1	2	2	280	...	194	3	...	6	5
Dongara	2	3	2	7	515	...	311	18	108	4	10
Esperance Mission	1	...	1	...	120	...	200	10	10	5	...
Fremantle	2	6	7	...	1100	2	1508	30	222	*	*
Geraldton	1	3	1	2	200	1	200	33	54	8	6
Gingin	1	1	1	7	300	...	213	26	21	1	1
Great Southern Mission	1	...	2	6	250	1	182	6	...	4	2
Guildford	2	1	3	...	730	1	220	37	75	18	15
Jarrahdale Mission	1	4	1	4	640	...	156	11	...	4	5
Kalgoorlie	3	25	5	...	1580	2	1560	50	250	50	60
Kanowna	1	8	1	...	400	1	400	6	50	10	13
Kurawa	1	...	1	3	250	...	*	2	*	*	*
Menzies	1	7	2	...	250	...	356	13	...	5	...
Mount Magnet	1	...	1	2	180	1	150	3	26	2	3
Mount Malcolm Mission	1	...	...	6	1000	..	75	...	...	2	5
Newcastle Mission	1	...	1	4	230	...	200	4	12	1	...
Norseman	1	3	1	2	200	1	250	1	40	8	7
Northam	1	5	1	6	348	1	204	13	89	4	8
Northampton Mission	1	...	...	4	190	...	42	5	...	1	...
Perth	5	21	7	4	2400	3	1274	95	512	*	*
Perth Chinese Mission	1	4	1	..	150	...	336	10	21	1	...
Southern Cross	1	2	1	...	170	1	150	14	26	6	12
Yarloop Mission	1	3	...	7	730	...	126	12	...	4	...
York	1	1	2	1	500	1	150	39	60	8	5
Total	40	117	51	89	15,133	19	10,391	565	1,910	210	224

* Information not available.

I.—*Religion—(a.) Churches, etc., for the Year 1898*—continued.

NO. 5.—CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Name of District.	Number of Ministers.	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Manses provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Bunbury	1	1	1	2	300	1	176	12	60	11	...
Claremont	1	2	1	...	150	...	150	12	20	4	2
Cottesloe	1	...	1	...	150	...	156	...	22	2	...
Donnybrook	1	1	2	12	567	...	190	5	20	1	...
Fremantle	1	4	2	...	800	1	400	*	109	*	*
Fremantle, North	1	...	1	...	230	...	160	18	...	7	13
Leederville	1	2	2	1	450	1	200	20	25	13	10
Perth	1	12	2	4	1600	...	370	...	250	47	...
Wellington	1	...	1	8	600	...	144	3	...	2	1
Total	9	22	13	27	4847	3	1946	70	506	87	26

* Information not available.

NO. 6.—BAPTIST CHURCH.

Name of District.	Number of Clergymen.	Number of Lay Readers or Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Residences provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Persons Confirmed during the Year.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Bayswater	...	...	1	...	90	...	150	...	...	14	...	...
Claremont	...	...	...	1	50	...	60	...	...	15	...	...
Fremantle	1	...	...	1	100	...	156	3	...	40	2	1
Katanning District	1	6	...	5	400	...	300	9	...	20	3	2
Perth	1	17	...	1	300	...	200	23	...	160	18	12
Perth, South	...	...	...	1	150	...	150	4	...	7	...	...
Perth, Wanneroo Road ...	...	...	...	1	40	...	100	...	...	...	...	...
Wagin	1	...	...	1	80	...	13	...	...	10	...	...
Total	4	23	1	11	1210	...	1129	39	...	266	23	15

I.—*Religion—(a.) Churches, etc., for the Year 1898*—continued.

No. 7.—CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Name of District.	Number of Ministers.	Number of Lay Readers or Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Residences provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Boulder City	...	2	...	...	...	...	30	...	16	...	...
Coolgardie	1	5	1	...	125	...	160	13	57	...	...
Fremantle	...	6	1	...	250	...	200	7	76	4	...
Harvey	...	2	...	1	...	...	50	4	13	...	...
Kalgoorlie	...	4	...	1	...	...	70	1	14	...	...
Kanowna	...	2	...	1	...	...	50	3	13	...	...
Perth	1	10	1	...	250	...	250	27	162	10	3
Preston...	...	1	...	...	...	...	50	1	20	...	...
Southern Cross	...	1	...	...	...	...	25	...	10	...	...
Subiaco	...	4	...	1	...	...	100	2	24	...	...
Isolated Members*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	2	37	3	4	625	...	985	58	405	14	3

* On general register but not on local rolls.

No. 8.—SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS.

Name of District.	Number of Ministers.	Number of Lay Readers or Local Preachers.	Number of Church Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Churches and Buildings.	Number of Residences provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Baptisms.	Number of Persons Confirmed during the Year.	Number of Communicants (each Communicant counted *once only*).	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Fremantle	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
Perth	2	...	...	3	250	...	250	15	...	40	1	2
Preston...	...	...	...	1	39	...	3	...	...	5	...	...
Total...	2	...	...	5	309	...	253	15	...	49	1	2

Part IX.—RELIGION, HOSPITALS, CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS, Etc.

I.—*Religion—(a.) Churches, etc., for the Year 1898*—continued.

No. 9.—The Salvation Army for the Year 1898.

Town and District.	Number of Commissioned Officers.	Number of Local Officers and Sergeants.	Number of Barrack Buildings, Salvation Army Property.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Barracks and Buildings.	Dwellings used as Quarters.	Weekly Average Number of Public Services held Sundays and Week Days, not including Outdoor Meetings.	Weekly Average Number of Out-door Meetings held.	Number of Persons Enrolled as Soldiers during year.	Number of Penitents.	Number of Dedications.	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Albany and Mount Barker ...	2	15	...	1	350	1	8	6	17	17	...	...	...
Boulder	2	5	1	...	150	1	6	6	26	35	...	...	1
Broad Arrow	2	...	1	...	125	1	5	5	...	3	...	...	...
Bulong *	1	...	...	1	200	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
Bunbury	2	5	...	1	200	1	9	7	24	39	...	...	...
Coolgardie	2	9	1	...	450	1	9	7	27	38	...	2	...
Cue	2	1	1	...	120	1	7	5	12	14	1	1	2
Denmark †	2	...	1	...	100	1	2	5	3	...	...	...	...
Dongara †	2	...	...	1	250	1	2	4	...	2	...	...	...
Fremantle	2	24	1	...	700	1	7	7	71	130	...	2	...
Fremantle, North	1	4	1	...	200	1	8	7	39	37	4	...	...
Geraldton	3	5	...	1	100	1	8	7	10	23	...	1	1
Guildford	2	2	...	1	150	1	5	5	13	32	4	...	...
Horseshoe	2	...	1	...	150	1	6	5	17	8	1	...	...
Kalgoorlie	3	8	1	...	450	1	6	8	37	46	...	...	...
Kanowna	1	8	1	...	180	1	6	6	56	50	...	1	...
Leederville	1	7	1	...	200	1	7	6	27	29	1	3	...
Menzies	2	7	1	...	450	1	7	6	54	39	3	...	1
Mount Magnet	2	...	1	...	100	1	2	4	...	...	...	...	...
Nannine *	2	...	...	1	100	1	2	3	...	2	...	...	...
Norseman	2	...	...	1	70	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	...
Northam	2	4	...	1	200	1	5	6	41	63	3	...	...
Perth	‡8	18	...	1	360	4	8	7	102	183	...	1	...
Southern Cross	2	1	1	...	140	1	3	4	14	21	...	...	...
Wagin	1	...	1	...	360	1	4	3	2	14	1	...	1
York	2	3	...	1	120	1	7	5	14	47	1	1	...
Total ...	55	126	15	11	5975	29	140	139	607	874	19	12	6

* Not complete; information not available. † Six months only. ‡ Including staff officers.

No. 10.—Hebrew Congregation.

Name of District.	Number of Rabbis.	Number of Lay Readers or Local Preachers.	Number of Tabernacle Buildings.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Tabernacles and Buildings.	Number of Residences provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the year (including Week-day Services).	Number of Initiations.	Number of Persons Confirmed during the year.	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Coolgardie	...	2	1	...	180	1	20	2	...	...	1
Fremantle	1	2	1	1	110	...	60	3	1	3	1
Kalgoorlie	...	2	...	1	150	...	20	...	...	...	...
Perth	2	2	2	...	500	1	200	13	8	6	7
Total	3	8	4	2	940	2	300	18	9	9	9

No. 11.—Mohammedans.

Name of District.	Number of Priests.	Number of Lay Readers or Local Preachers.	Number of Mosques.	Number of other Buildings used for Public Worship.	Total Seating Accommodation in Mosques and Buildings.	Number of Residences provided.	Approximate Number of Public Services held during the Year.	Number of Marriages.	Number of Burials.
Coolgardie	1	3	2	5	300	...	1825	...	...
Fremantle	...	1	...	2	80	...	1825	...	...
Perth	1	3	...	3	120	...	1825	...	...
Total	2	7	2	10	500	...	5475	...	...

Part IX.—RELIGION, HOSPITALS, CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS, Etc.

I.—*Religion—(b.) Sunday Schools for the Year 1898.*

No. 12.—Anglican Church (Year ended Easter, 1899).

Name of Parish or District.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Teachers.			Scholars.					
					Number on Roll.			Average Attendance.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Albany	2	...	...	20	127	128	255	...	...	...
Beaconsfield	3	...	...	30	165	177	342	...	...	...
Beverley	1	...	...	4	35	45	80	...	...	...
Bridgetown	1	...	...	6	21	18	39	...	...	...
Broad Arrow	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bunbury	2	...	...	16	83	67	150	...	...	...
Busselton	1	...	...	3	18	15	33	...	...	...
Carnarvon	1	...	...	5	29	29	58	...	...	...
Claremont	1	...	...	6	35	40	75	...	...	...
Coolgardie	1	...	...	9	94	160	254	...	...	...
Cottesloe	1	...	...	6	23	27	50	...	...	...
Cue	2	...	...	2	15	17	32	...	...	...
Dongara	1	...	...	7	26	41	67	...	...	...
Donnybrook	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance	1	...	...	8	30	30	60	...	...	...
Fremantle	1	...	...	29	106	107	213	...	...	...
Geraldton	2	...	...	13	80	81	161	...	...	...
Gingin	3	...	...	6	29	40	69	...	...	...
Greenough	2	...	...	2	18	10	28	...	...	...
Guildford	1	...	...	11	50	52	102	...	...	...
Highgate	2	...	...	18	170	178	348	...	...	...
Jarrahdale	1	...	...	4	12	15	27	...	...	...
Kalgoorlie	3	...	...	20	203	292	495	...	...	...
Kanowna	1	...	...	3	32	36	68	...	...	...
Karridale	2	...	...	6	47	36	83	...	...	...
Katanning	2	...	...	7	36	46	82	...	...	...
Menzies	1	...	...	3	25	10	35	...	...	...
Mourambine	7	...	...	18	45	46	91	...	...	...
Newcastle	2	...	...	9	49	57	106	...	...	...
Northam	4	...	...	10	44	44	88	...	...	...
North Fremantle	1	...	...	11	55	65	120	...	...	...
Perth	7	...	...	66	383	479	862	...	...	...
Pinjarrah	1	...	...	4	20	30	50	...	...	...
Southern Cross	1	...	...	2	12	17	29	...	...	...
Subiaco	1	...	...	10	39	61	100	...	...	...
Swan	7	...	...	32	163	113	276	...	...	...
Victoria Park	3	...	...	12	97	106	203	...	...	...
York	2	...	...	12	50	66	116	...	...	...
Total	77	*	*	430	2466	2781	5247	*	*	*

No. 13.—Roman Catholic Church.

Name of Parish or District.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Teachers.			Scholars.					
					Number on Roll.			Average Attendance.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Albany	3	4	2	6	105	88	193	85	68	153
Boulder	2	1	5	6	155	175	330	120	135	255
Bunbury	2	...	11	11	159	216	375	120	187	307
Busselton	3	...	8	8	20	30	50	15	25	40
Coolgardie	1	1	4	5	22	30	52	15	22	37
Cue*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dongara	4	1	6	7	26	32	58	21	27	48
Fremantle	2	...	15	15	150	300	450	100	220	320
Geraldton	1	...	8	8	100	100	200	80	100	180
Greenough	2	...	4	4	32	34	66	32	34	66
Guildford	2	...	4	4	45	57	102	36	40	76
Kalgoorlie	1	...	3	3	40	60	100	30	40	70
Kanowna*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Katanning	3	1	2	3	14	11	25	12	10	22
Kimberley, West	3	6	...	6	164	33	197	155	30	185
Murchison, South and East	1	...	2	2	15	12	27	12	10	22
Newcastle ‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North-West District	1	...	2	2	9	6	15	9	6	15
Northam	3	...	7	7	50	50	100	35	35	70
Northampton	1	...	3	3	20	30	50	20	30	50
Perth	4	4	16	20	...	...	...	280	370	650
Southern Cross	1	...	1	1	22	29	51	15	20	35
Subiaco †	2	6	6	12	110	34	144	94	13	107
York	3	1	5	6	57	63	120	26	30	56
Total	45	25	114	139	1315	1390	2705	1312	1452	2764

* Details not available.

† Including Subiaco Orphanage.

‡ No particulars supplied.

Part IX.—RELIGION, HOSPITALS, CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS, Etc.

I.—*Religion*—(*b.*) *Sunday Schools for the Year 1898*—continued.

Name of Parish, Circuit, or District.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Teachers.			Scholars.					
					Number on Roll.			Average Attendance.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
No. 14.—Presbyterian Church.										
Albany	1	5	4	9	38	42	80	28	32	60
Boulder	1	4	4	8	50	35	85	35	25	60
Coolgardie	1	4	4	8	35	44	79	28	36	64
Cottesloe	1	6	2	8	32	40	72	26	34	60
Fremantle	3	14	14	28	175	185	360	127	151	278
Geraldton	1	5	3	8	34	37	71	24	30	54
Kalgoorlie	1	5	4	9	54	62	116	35	25	60
Leederville	1	4	5	9	54	67	121	37	45	82
Northam	1	2	6	8	30	41	71	21	34	55
Perth	4	35	33	68	228	188	416	156	121	277
Perth, West	1	2	4	6	40	54	94	27	42	69
Subiaco	1	3	6	9	26	63	89	19	41	60
Total	17	89	89	178	796	858	1654	563	616	1179
No. 15.—Wesleyan Methodist Church (Year ended 30th September, 1898).										
Albany	3	17	18	35	175	199	374	129	140	269
Bridgetown Mission ...	1	1	4	5	25	20	45	20	18	38
Bunbury	1	4	3	7	40	53	93	30	40	70
Canning Mills Mission ...	4	6	4	10	41	59	100	30	52	82
Coolgardie	6	15	15	30	127	163	290	103	128	231
Cue	2	4	3	7	30	23	53	22	13	35
Dongara	4	7	7	14	44	41	85	40	37	77
Esperance Mission	1	2	4	6	30	20	50	25	18	43
Fremantle	6	40	34	74	400	479	879	300	380	680
Geraldton	2	5	5	10	35	43	78	25	35	60
Gingin	4	9	4	13	40	47	87	31	35	66
Great Southern Mission ...	1	...	2	2	10	12	22	5	7	12
Guildford	2	9	10	19	90	150	240	65	95	160
Jarrahdale Mission... ...	3	4	9	13	66	75	141	50	58	108
Kalgoorlie	5	39	32	71	414	434	848	305	369	674
Kanowna	2	13	8	21	85	33	118	55	23	78
Kurawa	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†	†
Menzies	2	9	6	15	48	47	95	36	40	76
Mt. Magnet	2	4	...	4	30	35	65	20	25	45
Newcastle Mission	2	3	3	6	11	21	32	8	14	22
Norseman	1	3	2	5	35	30	65	24	20	44
Northam	2	7	5	12	70	80	150	50	65	115
Northampton Mission ...	1	2	1	3	12	18	30	9	13	22
Perth	9	60	56	116	633	779	1412	†	†	†
Perth Chinese Mission ...	3	16	34	50	71	1	72	51	1	52
Southern Cross	1	8	7	15	47	56	103	29	28	57
Yarloop Mission	3	5	5	10	35	40	75	25	30	55
York	1	3	4	7	38	49	87	25	25	50
Total	74	295	285	580	2682	3007	5689	1512	1709	3221
No. 16.—Congregational Church.										
Bunbury	1	2	3	5	20	35	55	15	21	36
Claremont	1	3	7	10	60	60	120	45	45	90
Cottesloe	1	6	2	8	40	50	90	30	35	65
Donnybrook	2	5	6	11	33	41	74	23	29	52
Fremantle	2	18	22	40	160	210	370	130	150	280
Fremantle, North	1	5	4	9	65	70	135	48	50	98
Leederville	1	4	6	10	70	90	160	40	57	97
Perth	1	15	12	27	100	150	250	80	130	210
Wellington	1	...	3	3	9	14	23	8	12	20
Total	11	58	65	123	557	720	1277	*419	*529	948
No. 17.—Baptist Church.										
Bayswater	1	5	...	5	15	25	40	12	20	32
Claremont	1	3	3	6	10	10	20	9	9	18
Fremantle	1	3	4	7	19	16	35	10	15	25
Katanning District ...	3	4	4	8	29	20	49	20	15	35
Perth	1	5	8	13	66	66	132	41	43	84
Perth, South	1	3	2	5	25	35	60	15	30	45
Perth, Wanneroo Road ...	1	...	4	4	41	44	85	33	27	60
Wagin	1	1	3	4	17	16	33	13	13	26
Total	10	24	28	52	222	232	454	153	172	325

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* Proportion of sexes given is approximate only, as full details cannot be obtained. † Information not available.

I.—*Religion—(b.) Sunday Schools for the Year 1898*—continued.

NAME OF PARISH OR DISTRICT.	No. of Sabbath Schools.	TEACHERS.			SCHOLARS.					
					Number on Roll.			Average Attendance.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
No. 18.—CHURCH OF CHRIST.										
Coolgardie	1	1	2	3	18	12	30	14	10	24
Fremantle	1	5	4	9	40	53	93	32	43	75
Kalgoorlie	1	...	1	1	5	3	8	5	3	8
Perth	1	7	9	16	85	75	160	61	54	115
Subiaco	1	4	5	9	20	19	39	16	15	31
Total	5	17	21	38	168	162	330	* 128	* 125	253

CORPS AND OUTPOSTS.	No. of Sunday Schools (Junior Corps).	TEACHERS (Sergeants).			SCHOLARS (Recruits).					
					Number on Company Roll.			Average Attendance.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
No. 19.—SALVATION ARMY (JUNIOR CORPS).										
Albany	1	3	3	6	20	30	50	15	20	35
Boulder	1	...	1	1	4	4	8	3	3	6
Broad Arrow	1	...	1	1	5	7	12	5	7	12
Bunbury	1	2	1	3	22	30	52	13	17	30
Coolgardie	1	2	2	4	18	26	44	13	17	30
Cue	1	...	1	1	4	7	11	3	5	8
Dongara	1	2	...	2	15	16	31	10	10	20
Fremantle	1	3	5	8	35	50	85	20	25	45
Fremantle, North	1	2	1	3	20	27	47	15	15	30
Geraldton	1	2	2	4	20	27	47	14	16	30
Guildford	1	1	1	2	17	20	37	10	15	25
Horseshoe	1	1	...	1	10	16	26	10	10	20
Kalgoorlie	1	2	1	3	15	18	33	10	15	25
Kanowna	1	2	1	3	5	8	13	5	5	10
Leederville	1	4	4	8	43	43	86	30	30	60
Menzies	1	1	1	2	11	11	22	8	9	17
Mount Magnet	1	...	1	1	10	11	21	7	8	15
Northam	1	2	1	3	20	20	40	15	15	30
Perth	1	2	4	6	30	33	63	20	30	50
Southern Cross	1	...	2	2	10	19	29	7	7	14
Wagin	1	...	1	1	5	5	10	4	4	8
York	1	1	1	2	8	9	17	5	6	11
Total	22	32	35	67	347	437	784	242	289	531

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Number of Sabbath Schools.	TEACHERS.			SCHOLARS.					
					Number on Roll.			Average Attendance.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
No. 20.—SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS (SABBATH SCHOOLS).										
Perth	1	3	3	6	25	35	60	20	30	50
No. 21.—HEBREW CONGREGATION (SABBATH SCHOOLS).										
Fremantle	2	2	...	2	13	7	20	13	7	20
Kalgoorlie	1	1	...	1	12	6	18	12	6	18
Perth	2	4	2	6	50	30	80	45	25	70
Total	5	7	2	9	75	43	118	70	38	108

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II.—HOSPITALS.

No. 22.—Indoor and Outdoor Relief furnished during 1898 by each of the Public Hospitals of Western Australia.

Locality.	INDOOR RELIEF.																								OUTDOOR RELIEF.		
	CASES TREATED.								DISCHARGES AND DEATHS.											Patients remaining in Hospital on 31st Dec., 1898.			Average daily number Resident.	Average duration of residence of discharged Patients.	Number of Patients.		
	Inmates on 1st January, 1898, from previous Year.			Admitted during 1898.		Total Cases treated.			Cured.		Relieved.		Unrelieved.		Deceased.		Total.										
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.			M.	F.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Days.	No.	No.	No.
Albany	8	4	12	110	23	118	27	145	84	15	13	2	4	2	14	4	115	23	138	3	4	7	9	21	...	...	...
Bunbury ...	13	1	14	255	28	268	29	297	211	17	20	3	7	2	21	3	259	25	284	9	4	13	15	28	314	59	373
Carnarvon ...	10	1	11	60	5	70	6	76	48	3	10	2	4	...	3	...	65	5	70	5	1	6	6·3	28·96	...	...	...
Coolgardie ...	...	...	†	§1145	§344	1145	344	1489	‖941	‖265	‖100	‖35	‖4	‖2	54	21	‖1099	‖323	1422	46	21	67	†	†	...	...	†
Cue	...	...	†	§185	§30	185	30	215	148	23	11	1	...	...	15	2	174	26	200	11	4	15	13	21	...	...	*
Derby	2	...	2	20	1	22	1	23	17	1	3	...	...	...	1	...	21	1	22	1	...	1	1·18	18·72	3	...	3
Esperance ...	...	...	...	3	2	3	2	5	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	2	5	...	...	...	†	†	...	...	...
Fremantle ...	31	12	43	557	166	588	178	766	454	130	40	24	10	2	59	16	563	172	735	25	6	31	45	14	600	100	700
Geraldton ...	15	...	15	205	49	220	49	269	161	34	30	7	...	2	17	3	208	46	254	12	3	15	14·27	19·36	...	...	*
Guildford ...	13	2	15	180	24	193	26	219	167	22	10	1	1	...	7	3	185	26	211	8	...	8	8·79	20·73	48	10	58
Hall's Creek † ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kalgoorlie ...	43	6	49	820	117	863	123	986	676	96	48	7	2	1	96	13	822	117	939	41	6	47	60	22	2102	236	2338
Katanning ...	1	...	1	26	3	27	3	30	18	1	4	1	...	...	5	...	27	2	29	...	1	1	†	†	...	...	...
Newcastle ...	2	1	3	34	9	36	10	46	22	7	10	3	...	...	4	...	36	10	46	...	...	...	2	18	...	...	...
Northam ...	10	...	10	112	32	122	32	154	108	25	4	...	...	...	5	2	117	27	144	5	5	10	9	15	142	34	176
Onslow † ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth	62	35	97	1383	617	1445	652	2097	‡1176	‡562	‡76	‡9	‡35	‡2	96	33	1383	606	1989	62	46	108	107·19	19·26	3168	989	4157
Pilbarra ...	1	1	2	30	...	31	1	32	20	...	11	...	...	...	...	1	31	1	32	...	...	...	†	†	...	...	...
Pinjarrah ...	...	...	...	12	9	12	9	21	10	8	...	...	...	...	2	1	12	9	21	...	...	...	1	9	...	...	...
Roebourne ...	8	...	8	106	...	114	...	114	92	...	9	...	2	...	6	...	109	...	109	5	...	5	3·2	10·2	...	...	...
Southern Cross	2	1	3	96	34	98	35	133	86	34	2	...	...	...	8	1	96	35	131	2	...	2	6	30	...	...	...
Vasse	1	2	3	40	7	41	9	50	25	6	8	1	2	1	4	1	39	9	48	2	...	2	3·37	24·58	...	...	*
Williams ...	...	...	...	15	...	15	...	15	9	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	15	...	15	...	...	...	2·13	65·5	...	...	*
Wyndham ...	1	...	1	16	...	17	...	17	3	...	12	...	1	...	1	...	17	...	17	...	...	...	†	19	...	...	*
York	12	1	13	95	13	107	14	121	87	12	4	1	...	...	9	1	100	14	114	7	...	7	4	8	...	...	*
Grand Total ...	235	67	302	5505	1513	5740	1580	7320	4565	1262	429	97	72	14	430	106	5496	1479	6975	244	101	345	...	...	6377	1428	7805

* No record kept. † No information available. ‡ The figures given here are approximate only, as details cannot be obtained. § Inclusive of inmates on 1st January, 1898, from previous year. ‖ Proportion of sexes given is approximate only, as full details cannot be obtained.

II.—*Hospitals*—continued.

NO. 23.—ACCOMMODATION IN EACH OF THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Locality.	Description of Wards.					Greatest Number of Patients in the Ward at any one time during the Year 1898.	Windows and Ventilating Openings in each Ward.	
	Name or Number.	Length.	Breadth.	Height.	Number of Beds in the Ward.		Area.	Area capable of opening.
		Feet.	Feet.	Feet.	No.	No.	Square ft.	Square feet.
Albany	Male No. 1	16	13	11	3	3	32	16
	Do. No. 2 ‡	31·6	26	14	9	9	143	85
	Do. do. (Bay)	15	7·3	14				
	Female Ward	38·6	26	14	8	5	192	101
	Do. (Bay) ‡	15	5	14				
Bunbury	Male ‡	41·6	22	12	12	9	303	199
	Do. (Bay)	11·9	3	12				
	Female	26·6	15	12	4	4	95	68
	Surgical ‡	56·3	22	12	18	4	387	246
	Do. (Bay)	11·9	3	11·3				
	Do. do.	14	6	12				
	Do. do.	14	4·9	12				
	Paying Ward	18	12	12	2	2	85	67
	Do. do.	12·5	10	12	1	1	49	38
	Do. do.	26·6	15	12	*	*	95	68
Carnarvon	No. A Ward	25	14	14·6	6	7	126	69
	No. B do.	25	14	14·6	4	5	126	69
Coolgardie	No. 1, Casualty	20	14·7	13	...	...	95	75
	No. 2, Surgical	33·3	20	13	10	10	166	119
	No. 3	26·6	17	9	10	10	61	61
	No. 4	34·6	15·6	8·10	12	12	71	71
	No. 5, Surgical	61	15·6	8·10	17	17	91	91
	No. 6	61	15·6	8·10	14	14	71	71
	No. 7, Medical	96	19·7	10	15	15	418	418
	No. 8, do.	96	19·7	10	15	15	418	418
	No. 9, do.	96	19·7	10	15	15	418	418
	No. 10, do.	96	19·7	10	15	15	418	418
	No. 11, Medical and Surgical	60	19·7	10·4	20	20	241	241
	No. 1, Children	24·6	15·10	13·8	2	2	113	87
	No. 2, do.	24·6	15·10	13·8	7	7	94	69
Cue	Male Ward	33·3	20	13·6	12	12	179	103
	Do. do.	20	14·6	13·6	4	4	98	66
	Female do.	18	14	12	4	4	87	66
	Temporary do.	45	18	14	*	*	128	128
Derby	No. 1	20	18	12	4	3	108	54
Esperance	No. 1	12·6	10	9·6	*	*	30	24
	No. 2	12·6	10	9·6	2	2	30	24
Fremantle	Ward A on ground floor.	24	18	13·9	*	*	134	106
	Ward B	31	15	13·9	6	6	106	85
	Ward C	24	18	13·9	6	6	106	85
	Ward D ‡	20	17	13·9	6	6	98	56
	Ward D (Bay)	11	3·6	11·6				
	Ward E	18·6	9	9·6	6	6	33	27
	Ward F	18·6	9	9·6	6	6	46	33
	Fever Ward on first floor.	75	25	12·9	22	22	401	272
	Ward G	24	18	11	6	6	120	92
	Ward H	24	18	11	*	*	134	106
	Ward I (Infectious)	31	15	11	3	3	106	85
	Ward J do.	24	18	11	2	3	106	85
Geraldton	No. 1 (Surgical)	29	19	16	6	8	204	141
	No. 2 (Medical)	25	18	16	6	8	138	89
	No. 3 (Fever)	29	19	14	6	8	204	141
	No. 4 (Female)	25	18	14	6	7	138	89
	Maitland Ward ‡	77·3	25	14	†	†	502	363
	Maitland Bay ‡	16	10	14				
	Arthur Ward ‡	75·5	25	13	†	†	502	363
	Arthur Bay ‡	16·4	10	13				
	Operating Ward	12	10	12·6	†	†	60	49
Guildford	Infectious do.	40	20	13	12	12	197	134
	Female do.	15	12	10·6	3	3	36	25
Hall's Creek	No. 1 do.	22	16	9·3	4	2	69·6	69·6
Kalgoorlie	No. 1 Medical	67·3	25·9	13	18	20	368	248
	No. 2 do.	67·3	25·9	13	18	21	368	248
	No. 3 do.	67·3	25·9	13	18	21	368	248
	No. 4 do.	67·3	25·9	13	18	20	368	248
	Women's Ward	31	17	9	10	13	80	80
	No. 1, Surgical	31	17	9	10	12	80	80
	No. 2, do.	31	17	9	10	12	80	80
Katanning	General Ward	32	20	12·6	6	4	143	135

* Not used during 1898. † New wards, not furnished or used during 1898. ‡ Irregularly-shaped room.

II.—*Hospitals*—continued.

No. 23.—ACCOMMODATION IN EACH OF THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898—*continued.*

Locality.	Description of Wards.					Greatest Number of Patients in the Ward at any one time during the Year 1898.	Windows and Ventilating Openings in each Ward.	
	Name or Number.	Length.	Breadth.	Height.	Number of Beds in the Ward.		Area.	Area capable of opening.
		Feet.	Feet.	Feet.	No.	No.	Square ft.	Square feet.
Newcastle ...	No. 1	33	20	12·6	8	4	175	135
	No. 2	16·6	16	12·6	3	3	110	96
	No. 3	10	9	9·6	1	1	38	38
Northam ...	No. 1 (Infectious)	26	20	15	8	8	98	80
	No. 2 do.	20	18	15	4	4	116	104
	No. 3 Ward	24	18	12	4	4	82	56
	No. 4 do.	12	12	12	2	1	78	64
Onslow ...	Male Ward	24·6	24	14	§	§	190	190
	Female do....	16	14	14	§	§	90	90
Perth	No. 1 Ward	42	20	12	11	11	144	144
	No. 1*a* do.	27	20	12	7	7	125	125
	No. 2 do.	32	20	12	9	9	118	118
	No. 2*a* do.	20	17	12	4	4	120	120
	No. 3 do.	42	20	12	11	11	144	144
	No. 3*a* do.	27	20	12	7	7	125	125
	No. 4 do.	32	20	12	9	9	118	118
	No. 4*a* do.	20	17	12	4	4	120	120
	No. 5 do. (Temporary) ...	84	25	14	22	22	414	274
	No. 6 do. do. ...	84	25	14	22	22	414	274
Perth	Cottage (Infectious)	38	16	11	13	11	136	104
	Ground floor, new wing. Surgical Ward ‡	104·5	26	13·6	28	26	921	645
	Do. Bay	20	15	13·6				
	Reception Ward	16·3	15	13·6	4	*	54	30
	Mens' One-bed Ward ...	13·5	12·9	13·6	1	*	27	15
	Do. do.	14	12·9	13·6	*	*	27	15
	First floor, new wing. Women and Children's Ward‡	104·5	26	13	14	7	893	630
	Women and Children's Bay	20	15	12				
	Reception Ward	16·10	12·9	13	*	*	54	30
	Sick Nurses Ward	16·3	15	13	*	*	92	66
	Women's One-bed Ward ...	14	12·9	13	1	*	27	15
	Children's Ward	12·9	12·1	13	1	*	27	15
	Bungalow Ward	†	†	†	14	14	†	†
Pilbarra ...	No. 1 Ward	42	22	13	12	12	300	300
Pinjarrah ...	No. 1 do.	18	15	12	2	2	49	39·6
	No. 2 do.	18	15	12	2	2	49	39·6
Roebourne ...	No. 1 do.	31	24	14	7	7	231	147
	No. 2 do.	31	24	14	6	6	231	147
	No. 3 do.	18	8	9	*	*	58	58
Southern Cross	Male Ward	66	24	16	16	16	390	264
	Female Ward	24	18	16	6	5	100	82
Vasse (Busselton)	Male Ward	28	20	15	6	6	212	187
	Female Ward	20	20	15	4	4	177	165
	Male Fever Ward	15	13	11	*	*	40	22
	Female Fever Ward	14	13	11	*	*	40	22
Williams ...	No. 1 Ward	18	14	13	3	3	64	64
	No. 2 do.	16·6	14	14	1	1	44	33
Wyndham ...	No. 1 do.	18	15	10	4	2	129	129
York	Male Ward	47·3	20	13	12	12	267	177
	Female Ward	35	20	13	9	6	177	123

* Not used during 1898. † Details not available. ‡ Irregularly-shaped room. § No information available.

II.—*Hospitals*—continued.

No. 24.—STAFF OF EACH OF THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Locality.		Nursing Staff.				Attendants and Servants.			Total.
		Matrons and Sub-Matrons.	Nurses.	Wardsmen.	Probationers.	Orderlies.	Cooks.	Other Servants.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Albany	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	4
Bunbury	Males	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	Females	1	3	...	...	...	1	1	6
Carnarvon ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3
	Females	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Coolgardie ...	Males	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	5
	Females	1	12	...	4	...	3	12	32
Cue	Males	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2
	Females	1	3	...	...	...	...	1	5
Derby	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Esperance ...	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Fremantle ...	Males	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
	Females	1	4	...	8	...	1	9	23
Geraldton ...	Males	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
	Females	1	3	...	1	...	1	1	7
Guildford ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	5
Hall's Creek ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kalgoorlie ...	Males	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	3
	Females	1	10	...	2	...	2	8	23
Katanning ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Newcastle ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	4
Northam	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2
Onslow *	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth	Males	...	...	...	...	3	3	3	9
	Females	1	10	...	20	...	1	14	46
Pilbarra ...	Males	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pinjarrah ...	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Roebourne ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	3
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern Cross ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	5
Vasse	Males	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Williams	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Wyndham ...	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
York	Males	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
	Females	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	3
Total		11	57	9	36	22	22	56	213

* Information not obtainable.

II.—*Hospitals*—continued.

No. 25.—Water Supply and Sanitation of each of the Public Hospitals of Western Australia during 1898.

Locality.	Water Supply.			Sanitation.				
	Quantity of Water available Daily for each Patient.	Source of Water Supply.	Quality of Water.	No. of Baths available.	No. of each kind of Baths (plunge, shower, hip, etc.).	No. of Lavatories available.	Sanitary System.	Condition of Privies.
Albany	*Ad libitum*	Well and tank	Good	2	2 hip	2	Pail system	Sanitary.
Bunbury	Sufficient	Well and rain	Well, very hard	5	5 plunge	6	Pan system	Perfect order.
Carnarvon	*Ad libitum*	Tank, rain water, and Municipal supply	Rain, good; Municipal, hard	2	2 plunge and shower	4	Pan system	Good.
Coolgardie	*Ad libitum*	Private condensers	Good	21	2 plunge and shower; 19 galv. iron tubs	11	Pan system	Good.
Cue	*Ad libitum*	Town	Fairly good	2	2 plunge and shower	4	Cremation	Good.
Derby	*Ad libitum*	Rain in tanks and well	Good	2	2 plunge	2	Dry earth	Good.
Esperance	*Ad libitum*	Rain in tanks and well	Good	1	1 hip	...	Soil pan	Good.
Fremantle	*Ad libitum*	Fremantle Gaol	Good	3	3 plunge and shower	6	Bucket and dry pan	Good.
Geraldton	*Ad libitum*	Rain water	Excellent	4	4 hip and plunge	2	Dry earth	Good.
Guildford	*Ad libitum*	Well and tanks (rain)	Fair	1	1 plunge	1	Double pan	Good.
Hall's Creek	*Ad libitum*	Well and creek	Good	*	*	*	*	*
Kalgoorlie	*Ad libitum*	Condenser	Good	2	2 plunge	10	Sealed pan	Good.
Katanning	*Ad libitum*	Rain in tank	Good	1	1 slipper	1	Pan system	Good.
Newcastle	*Ad libitum*	Rain water	Good	2	1 plunge, 1 hip	2	Earth closet	Very clean.
Northam	*Ad libitum*	Rain in tanks	Good	3	3 shower and plunge	4	Pan system	Good.
Onslow *	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perth	*Ad libitum*	Metropolitan water supply	Good	17	17 plunge, shower, and hip	17	Pan system	Good.
Pilbarra	*Ad libitum*	Rain in tanks	Good	1	1 plunge	2	Pan system	Satisfactory.
Pinjarrah	*Ad libitum*	Well	Good	...	...	...	Dry earth	Good.
Roebourne	*Ad libitum*	Well	Good	1	1 plunge and shower	2	Dry pan system	Fair.
Southern Cross	*Ad libitum*	Rain in tanks	Good	2	2 plunge	2	Dry earth closets	Very good.
Vasse	*Ad libitum*	Rain and well	Well, very hard	4	3 plunge, 1 hip	2	Dry earth and sawdust	Satisfactory.
Williams	15 gallons	Rain in tank	Good	2	1 plunge, 1 hip	...	Pan system	Good.
Wyndham	*Ad libitum*	Rain and well	Well, not drinkable	3	Plunge, shower, and hip	...	*	Good.
York	*Ad libitum*	Rain and well	Very good	2	2 plunge and shower	2	Bucket system	Good.

* Information not available.

II.—*Hospitals*

No. 26.—*Number of Cases of each kind of Disease treated in each of the Public Hospitals of*

	Disease or Cause of Death.	Albany.		Bunbury.		Carnarvon.		Coolgardie.		Cue.		Derby.		Esperance.		Fremantle.		Geraldton.		Guildford.		*Hall's Creek.	
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Class I.	SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																						
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Miasmatic Diseases.*																						
	1. Small-pox (a.) Vaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(b.) Unvaccinated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	(c.) Not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Chicken-pox	1	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Measles	...	...	7	...	...	...	109	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	10	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Epidemic Rose Rash	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Typhus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Relapsing Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Influenza	4	...	9	...	...	...	13	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	15	...	...	...	...	...
	9. Whooping Cough	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10. Mumps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	11. Diphtheria	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	12. Cerebro-spinal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Simple continued Fever	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	14. Typhoid, Enteric Fever	12	2	21	6	7	1	388	31	51	1	1	...	1	...	198	24	25	..	52	...	...	...
	15. Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Diarrhœal Diseases.*																						
	1. Cholera, Sporadic, Simple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	1a. Cholera, Epidemic (Asiatic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diarrhœa	4	1	2	...	...	...	14	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	5	...	...	...
	3. Dysentery	1	...	9	...	1	...	53	7	4	...	...	...	...	...	15	4	8	3	5	1	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Malarial Diseases.*																						
	1. Remittent Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Intermittent Fever (Ague)	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Zoogenous Diseases.*																						
	1. Hydrophobia...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Glanders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Splenic Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Cow-pox and other effects of Vaccination	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 5.—*Venereal Diseases*																						
	1. Syphilis	...	...	...	...	2	...	25	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	10	...	7	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra ...	9	...	4	...	15	...	29	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 6.—*Septic Diseases.*																						
	1. Phagedæna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	..	1	...	...	...
	3. Pyæmia, Septicæmia	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	...
	4. Puerperal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class I.	32	3	62	6	25	1	657	39	71	1	11	...	1	...	278	28	69	3	67	3	...	...
II.	PARASITIC DISEASES.																						
	1. Thrush	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Other Diseases from Vegetable Parasites	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	1	...	...	..	...	...
	3. Hydatid Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Other Diseases from Animal Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	Total, Class II.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
III.	DIETETIC DISEASES.																						
	1. Starvation, Want of Breast Milk ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Scurvy	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Intemperance—																						
	a. Chronic Alcoholism	...	...	3	...	1	..	16	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	23	...	...	...	...	...
	b. Delirium Tremens	...	...	1	1	1	..	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Chronic Opium or Morphia Poisoning	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class III.	...	...	4	1	2	...	30	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	11	...	24	...	...	...	...	...
IV.	CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.																						
	1. Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism of Heart	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
	2. Rheumatism	6	...	11	...	1	...	40	...	5	1	..	...	...	...	42	...	9	...	8	...	...	...
	3. Gout	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	..	...	...	...	...
	4. Rickets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Cancer, Malignant Disease	2	...	4	2	1	...	6	2	1	...	..	.	...	..	13	4	5	1	2	...	...	.
	6. Tabes Mesenterica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Tubercular Meningitis (Acute Hydrocephalus)...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	8. Phthisis	3	3	5	1	3	...	...	...	3	3	1	...	...	...	21	4	6	1	...	...	...	...
	9. Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula, etc....	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	7	4	2	2	...	...	..	...
	10. Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	11. Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	1	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12. Diabetes, Mellitus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Other Constitutional Diseases	7	...	...	.	...	...	1	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class IV....	19	3	24	4	8	...	56	2	12	4	2	...	...	...	93	13	26	4	12	...	...	...

* Information not available.

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Western Australia during 1898, and Number of Deaths from each such Disease.

Kalgoorlie.		Katanning.		Newcastle.		Northam.		*Onslow.		Perth.		Pilbarra.		Pinjarra.		Roebourne.		Southern Cross.		Vasse.		Williams.		Wyndham.		York.		Totals.		
Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	%
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29	1	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	21	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	208	2	0·96
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38	1	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	104	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	277	2	0·72
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11	3	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	26	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	87	25	28·74
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* Information not available.

II.—*Hospitals*

No. 26.—*Number of Cases of each kind of Disease treated in each of the Public Hospitals of*

	Disease or Cause of Death.	Albany.		Bunbury.		Carnarvon.		Coolgardie.		Cue.		Derby.		Esperance.		Fremantle.		Geraldton.		Guildford.		* Hall's Creek.	
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
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Class V.	DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.																						
	1. Premature Birth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Atelectasis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Cyanosis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Spina Bifida	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Imperforate Anus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Cleft Palate, Harelip	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Congenital Defects	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Old Age	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class V.	1	1	1	..	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	...	...	...	...
VI.	LOCAL DISEASES.																						
	SUB-CLASS 1.—*Diseases of the Nervous System.*																						
	1. Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes	..	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Apoplexy	3	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Softening of Brain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Hemiplegia, Brain Paralysis	1	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Paralysis (undefined)	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...
	6. Insanity (General Paralysis of Insane)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Epilepsy	...	...	...	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
	9. Convulsions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10. Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11. Idiopathic Tetanus	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12. Paraplegia, Disease of Spinal Cord	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Other Diseases of Nervous System	2	...	...	...	3	...	21	...	8	...	...	...	...		19	1	2	...	2	...	.	...
	SUB-CLASS 2.—*Diseases of the Organs of Special Sense.*																						
	1. Otitis, Otorrhœa, and Diseases of Ear	2	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	2. Epistaxis and Diseases of Nose	...	...	1	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Ophthalmia and Diseases of Eye	...	...	6	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	5	...	7	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Diseases of the Circulatory System.*																						
	1. Endocarditis, Valvular Diseases	1	1	...	..	3	1	10	4	.	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Pericarditis	..	...	4	...	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Hypertrophy of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Syncope	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
	6. Aneurism	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	.	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Senile Gangrene	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	8. Embolism, Thrombosis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	9. Phlebitis	1	...	...	...	...	..	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	10. Varicose Veins	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	4	...	.	...
	11. Heart Disease (undefined)	...	...	4	3	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	3	2	...	...	..	..
	SUB-CLASS 4.—*Diseases of the Respiratory System.*																						
	1. Laryngitis	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Croup	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	2*a*. Croup (Diphtheritis)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	.	...
	3. Other Diseases of Larynx and Trachea	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	.	...
	4. Asthma, Emphysema	1	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Bronchitis	2	...	10	...	...	...	32	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	19	1	3	...	15	1	...	...
	6. Pneumonia	5	2	12	3	...	...	49	9	5	1	...	...	...	...	20	4	4	2	4	...	...	...
	6*a*. Congestion of Lungs	...	...	...	...	..	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	...	...	2	1	...	...
	7. Pleurisy	...	...	5	...	1	.	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	1	...	3	...	...	...
	8. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	2	1	...	...	...	1	1	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 5.—*Diseases of the Digestive System.*																						
	1. Stomatitis	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Dentition	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Sore Throat, Quinsy	1	...	5	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	8	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Dyspepsia	...	...	3	...	...	...	15	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Hæmatemesis	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Melæna	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Diseases of Stomach	7	...	5	...	1	...	2	2	16	1	...	..	...	...	4	...	4	2	4	...	...	...
	8. Enteritis	...		...		...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	...	...	16	...	...	...
	9. Ulceration of Intestine	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	10. Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	1	...	3	1	...	...
	11. Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	2	1	2	1	...	...
	12. Intussusception of Intestine	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13. Hernia	1	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
	14. Fistula	...	...	..	...	1	...	8	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	15. Peritonitis	2	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...
	16. Ascites	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	17. Gallstones	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	18. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	.
	19. Other Diseases of Liver	...	...	5	...	...	...	6	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	20. Other Diseases of Digestive System	2	..	...	...	...	...	11	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	
	SUB-CLASS 6.—*Diseases of the Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.*																						
	1. Diseases of Lymphatic System	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diseases of Spleen	...	...	...		...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	3. Bronchocele	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	4. Addison's Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Information not available.

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Western Australia during 1898, and Number of Deaths from each such Disease—continued.

Kalgoorlie.		Katanning.		Newcastle.		Northam.		Onslow.*		Perth.		Pilbarra.		Pinjarra.		Roebourne.		Southern Cross.		Vasse.		Williams.		Wyndham.		York.		Totals.		
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* Information not available.

II.—*Hospitals*

No. 26.—*Number of Cases of each kind of Disease treated in each of the Public Hospitals of*

	Disease or Cause of Death.	Albany.		Bunbury.		Carnarvon.		Coolgardie.		Cue.		Derby.		Esperance.		Fremantle.		Geraldton.		Guildford.		*Hall's Creek.	
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Class VI.	LOCAL DISEASES—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
	SUB-CLASS 7.—*Diseases of the Urinary System.*																						
	1. Nephritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	1	...	...	...
	2. Bright's Disease (Nephria)	1	1	2	2	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	7	5	...	...	2	1	...	...
	3. Uræmia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Suppression of Urine	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
	5. Calculus	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Hæmaturia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	7. Diseases of Bladder, Prostrate, etc. ...	...	...	4	...	1	...	7	1	12	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
	8. Other Diseases of Urinary System ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	30	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 8.—*Diseases of the Organs of Generation.*																						
	1. Ovarian Disease	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Diseases of Uterus and Vagina... ...	...	...	2	...	...	...	17	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	13	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Disorders of Menstruation	...	...	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Pelvic Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Perineal Abscess	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Diseases of the Testes, Penis, Scrotum, etc.	3	...	3	...	4	...	52	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	4	...	3	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 9.—*Diseases of Parturition.*																						
	1. Abortion, Miscarriage	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Puerperal Mania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Puerperal Convulsions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Placenta Prævia, Flooding	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Phlegmasia Dolens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Other Accidents of Child-birth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Confinement	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 10.—*Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion.*																						
	1. Caries, Necrosis	1	...	3	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	1	...	3	...	...	...
	2. Arthritis, Ostitis, Periostitis	...	...	1	...	2	...	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	4	...	4	...	...	...
	3. Other Diseases of Organs of Locomotion	4	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 11.—*Diseases of the Integumentary System*																						
	1. Carbuncle	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
	2. Phlegmon, Cellulitis	1	...	...	...	3	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	3. Lupus	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Ulcer, Bedsore	...	...	9	...	...	...	16	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	9	...	2	...	...	...
	5. Eczema	...	...	2	...	...	...	7	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Pemphigus	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Other Diseases of Integumentary System	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	2	...	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class VI.	53	8	113	8	29	2	522	29	91	9	5	...	2	2	292	28	95	10	107	6	...	...
VII.	VIOLENCE.																						
	SUB-CLASS 1—*Accident or Negligence.*																						
	1. Fractures, Contusions	29	2	46	4	8	...	114	...	16	3	3	1	1	...	53	3	30	...	24	1	...	...
	2. Gunshot Wounds	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...
	3. Cuts, etc.	...	...	28	...	1	...	41	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
	4. Burn, Scald	3	1	3	...	...	...	20	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	7	1	4	...	...	...	...	...
	4*a*. Sunstroke	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
	4*b*. Lightning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Poison	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5*a*. Bite of Snake or Insect	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Drowning (apparent)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7. Suffocation (apparent)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Otherwise	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	SUB-CLASS 3.—*Attempted Suicide.*																						
	1. Gunshot Wounds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	2. Cut, Stab	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Poison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Drowning	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Hanging	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6. Otherwise	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class VII.	35	3	78	4	9	...	198	2	32	3	3	1	2	...	72	4	39	...	30	1	...	...
VIII.	ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.																						
	1. Dropsy	...	...	2	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2. Debility, Atrophy, Inanition	...	...	...	...	1	...	14	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
	3. Mortification	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4. Tumor	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5. Abscess	3	...	13	...	2	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	6	1	2	...	...	...
	6. Hæmorrhage...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8. Not Specified or Ill-defined	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total, Class VIII.	5	...	15	1	3	...	23	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	20	2	7	1	2	...	...	...
	GRAND TOTAL	145	18	297	24	76	3	1489	75	215	17	23	1	5	2	766	75	269	20	219	10	...	...
	Percentage of Deaths to Number of Cases Treated...	% 12·41		% 8·08		% 3·95		% 5·04		% 7·91		% 4·35		% 40·00		% 9·79		% 7·43		% 4·57		% ...	

* Information not available.

—continued.

Western Australia during 1898, and Number of Deaths from each such Disease—continued.

Kalgoorlie.		Katanning.		Newcastle.		Northam.		Onslow. *		Perth.		Pilbarra.		Pinjarra.		Roebourne.		Southern Cross.		Vasse.		Williams		Wyndham.		York.		Totals.		
Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	No.	%
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2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...
10	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	41	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	108	1	0·93
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218	31	9	3	19	2	52	4	...	...	662	41	8	...	9	1	38	2	35	2	21	2	8	1	3	...	56	5	2447	196	8·01
61	9	3	1	4	...	21	1	...	...	128	1	1	...	2	...	2	...	10	1	2	...	3	...	1	...	11	2	573	29	5·06
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4	2	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	18	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	70	9	12·86
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96	13	8	1	4	...	33	1	...	...	226	4	2	...	6	...	15	...	21	1	4	...	4	1	4	1	15	3	936	43	4·59
1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	3	37·50
...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	40	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	80	3	3·75
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7	...	1	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	22	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	85	2	2·35
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3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	2	13·33
11	...	3	...	9	...	19	2	...	...	68	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	9	1	...	...	1	...	4	...	210	11	5·24
986	109	30	5	46	4	154	7	...	...	2097	129	32	1	21	3	114	6	133	9	50	5	15	2	17	1	121	10	7320	536	7·32
% 11·05		% 16·67		% 8·70		% 4·55		% ...		% 6·15		% 3·13		% 14·29		% 5·26		% 6·77		% 10·00		% 13·33		% 5·88		% 8·26		% 7·32		

* Information not available.

II.—*Hospitals*—continued.

No. 27.—*Return showing, for each of the Government Hospitals of Western Australia, the number of cases treated, the number of Deaths which occurred, and the Percentage of Deaths to Cases in each of the 10 Years, 1889 to 1898.*

Locality.	1889.			1890.			1891.			1892.			1893.			1894.			1895.			1896.			1897.			1898.		
	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.	Cases.	Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to Cases.
	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%	No.	No.	%
Albany	...	*	...	...	*	...	68	13	19·12	57	6	10·53	44	6	13·64	64	5	7·81	82	1	1·22	112	4	3·57	149	13	8·72	145	18	12·41
Bunbury	...	*	...	...	*	...	18	...	...	39	3	7·69	42	3	7·14	39	6	15·38	42	3	7·14	116	6	5·17	252	16	6·35	297	24	8·08
Carnarvon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	† 37	4	10·81	76	3	3·95
Coolgardie ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡	‡	‡	688	68	9·88	1221	127	10·40	‡	‡	‡	1489	75	5·04
Cue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	226	18	7·96	144	7	4·86	215	17	7·91
Derby	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	3	14·29	17	4	23·53	6	1	16·67	11	3	27·27	16	...	...	27	...	...	23	1	4·35
Esperance ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	17	3	17·65	5	2	40·00
Fremantle ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	17	10·97	433	34	7·85	672	54	8·04	766	75	9·79
Geraldton ...	...	*	...	...	*	...	132	10	7·58	131	19	14·50	128	13	10·16	171	22	12·87	230	23	10·00	257	26	10·12	293	11	3·75	269	20	7·43
Guildford ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	6	6·90	‡	‡	‡	124	7	5·65	219	10	4·57
Hall's Creek ‡ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡
Kalgoorlie ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	5	33·33	192	23	11·98	413	57	13·80	789	113	14·32	986	109	11·05
Katanning ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	22	1	4·55	20	3	15·00	30	5	16·67
Newcastle ...	...	*	...	...	*	...	20	5	25·00	32	3	9·38	35	3	8·57	41	3	7·32	47	1	2·13	50	4	8·00	54	3	5·56	46	4	8·70
Northam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	§ 40	4	10·00	113	7	6·19	181	8	4·42	154	7	4·55
Onslow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‖ 2	...	...	‡	‡	‡
Perth	207	22	10·63	228	27	11·84	300	29	9·67	385	51	13·25	301	32	10·63	368	31	8·42	455	59	12·97	809	92	11·37	1461	110	7·53	2097	129	6·15
Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡	‡	‡	32	1	3·13
Pinjarrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	9	2	22·22	21	3	14·29
Roebourne ...	...	*	...	...	*	...	105	9	8·57	84	7	8·33	64	9	14·06	59	3	5·08	79	4	5·06	56	7	12·50	94	11	11·70	114	6	5·26
Southern Cross ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	‡	‡	‡	170	20	11·76	184	19	10·33	109	6	5·50	133	9	6·77
Vasse	...	*	...	...	*	...	14	...	...	7	...	...	15	1	6·67	12	4	33·33	11	2	18·18	20	1	5·00	26	...	...	50	5	10·00
Williams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	1	10·00	10	1	10·00	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	15	2	13·33
Wyndham ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	‡	9	1	11·11	33	3	9·09	17	1	5·88
York	...	*	...	...	*	...	106	12	11·32	94	6	6·38	122	11	9·02	88	8	9·09	65	6	9·23	65	4	6·15	142	12	8·45	121	10	8·26
Total ...	207	22	10·63	228	27	11·84	763	78	10·22	852	98	11·50	778	83	10·67	873	89	10·19	2363	240	10·16	4143	408	9·85	4635	386	8·33	7320	536	7·32

* No record kept prior to 1891. † For last six months of 1897 only. ‡ No record available. § Opened 10th June, 1895. ‖ From 11th November, 1897, only.

III.—LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

No. 28.—Admissions, Discharges, Deaths, etc., of Insane during Year 1898.

Particulars.		Admitted during the Year.						Discharged, Deceased, etc., during the Year.							Absconded and recaptured during the year.	Remaining in the Asylum on 31st December, 1898.			Mean Number of Lunatics in Asylums during the year.
Locality.	Sex.	Remaining in Asylum on the 1st January, 1898, from previous year.	Re-admitted.	Patients admitted for the first time to any Government Asylum in the Colony.	Previous years' absconders recaptured.	Transferred during the year.	Total.	Patients cured.	Improved.	Absconded and not recaptured.	Removed by friends or otherwise.	Deceased.	Transferred during the year.	Total.		Supposed curable.	Supposed incurable.	Total.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Fremantle ...	Males	123	3	70	...	9	205	38	...	...	3	12	10	63	...	90	52	142	133
	Females	63	...	21	...	...	84	9	...	...	2	1	...	12	...	49	23	72	67
	Total ...	186	3	91	...	9	289	47	...	...	5	13	*10	75	...	139	75	214	200
Whitby Falls	Males	24	...	...	...	10	34	...	...	...	...	...	†9	9	...	2	23	25	25
Grand Total, Males and Females ...		210	3	91	...	19	323	47	...	...	5	13	19	84	...	141	98	239	225

* Transferred to Whitby Falls. † Transferred to Fremantle Asylum.

No. 29.—Number of Lunatics in Asylums on 31st December, 1897 and 1898, per 1,000 of estimated Total Population of the Colony on these dates.

Year.	Males.		Females.		Total.	
	No.	Per 1,000 of Male Population.	No.	Per 1,000 of Female Population.	No.	Per 1,000 of Population.
1897	147	1·33	63	1·22	210	1·30
1898	167	1·49	72	1·28	239	1·42

III.—*Lunatic Asylums*—continued.

NO. 30.—OBITUARY TABLE OF EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Locality.	Age of Deceased.	Sex of Deceased.	Bodily Condition when admitted.	Form of Mental Disorder.	Date of Admission.	Cause of Death.	Whether Coroner's Inquest held, and what Verdict.	Whether Post-mortem Examination held.
Fremantle	60	Female	Good	Mania	11–3–92	Dementia, Heart failure ...	No	No
	46	Male	Debility	Syphilis of Brain	9–2–98	Syphilitic Disease of Brain	No	Yes
	42	Do.	Do.	Delusional ...	10–3–97	Effusion (cerebro spinal) ...	No	Yes
	23	Do.	Good	Mania	17–2–96	Softening of Brain	No	Yes
	43	Do.	Debility	Dementia ...	18–8–97	Influenza, Insanity	No	Yes
	26	Do.	Do.	Acute Mania ...	12–5–98	Acute Mania	No	Yes
	46	Do.	Good	General Paralysis of Insane	2–5–97	Progressive Paralysis of Insane	No	Yes
	42	Do.	Do.	Mania	23–1–95	Insanity, Inflammation of the Brain	No	Yes
	28	Do.	Do.	Do.	13–8–97	Meningitis	No	Yes
	41	Do.	Do.	Delusional ...	7–4–97	Insanity, Dropsy	No	Yes
	34	Do.	Do.	Mania	4–6–98	General Paralysis of Insane	No	No
	40	Do.	Debility	General Paralysis of Insane	16–8–98	Do. do. do.	No	No
	45	Do.	Do.	Do. ...	27–5–98	Do. do. do.	No	No
Whitby Falls* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* No deaths at Whitby Falls during 1898.

NO. 31.—MANAGEMENT OF EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

RESTRAINT.

PARTICULARS.	FREMANTLE.			WHITBY FALLS.		
Restraint.	Seclusion under lock and key.	Restraint by Attendants.	Mechanical Restraint.	Seclusion under lock and key.	Restraint by Attendants.	Mechanical Restraint.
Number of times resorted to	35	None.	None.	13	None	None
Number of persons subjected to	22	Do.	Do.	6	Do.	Do.
Greatest duration of any single instance	8 hours	Do.	Do.	9 hours	Do.	Do.

(I.)—Person by whose authority patients are restrained ...	Chief Medical Officer ...	Chief Warder
(II.)—Restraints in use	Seclusion	Seclusion
(III.)—Number of cases of cruelty by attendants to Patients brought to notice of the proper authority	Three*	None
(IV.)—Number of cases of injury to patients:—		
(I.) Inflicted by themselves	Three	None
(II.) Inflicted by other patients	*Nil*	Do.
(III.) Inflicted by attendants	*Nil*	Do.

* Three cases in Female Department, resulting in dismissal of two Nurses.

NO. 32.—AREA OF EXERCISE COURTS, GARDENS, ETC., OF EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

PARTICULARS.	FREMANTLE.	WHITBY FALLS.
Area of airing courts	About 1 acre	950 square yards
Area of other grounds	Garden { for Males, 3 acres ... for Females, 2 acres ...	1,003 acres

III.—*Lunatic Asylums*—continued.

NO. 33.—DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PATIENTS EMPLOYED IN EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Character of Employment.	Fremantle.			Whitby Falls.			Grand Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Agriculture and gardening	6	...	6	23	...	23	29	...	29
Household work, drawing water, etc. ...	26	38	64	2	...	2	28	38	66
Total ...	32	38	70	25	...	25	57	38	95

NO. 34.—WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION IN EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Particulars.	Fremantle.	Whitby Falls.
Water Supply—		
Quantity of water available daily for each patient	Deficient	Unlimited
Source of water supply	Fremantle Prison Reservoir ...	Creek and well
Quality of water	Good	Excellent
Sanitation—		
Number of baths available	Nineteen	Two
Kind of baths	Fifteen tanks and 4 shower baths	Two plunge
Number of lavatories available	Four	One
Sanitary system	Dry earth closets, emptied daily...	Pan system, daily
Condition of privies	Good	Good

NO. 35.—STAFF OF EACH LUNATIC ASYLUM DURING 1898.

Locality.	Sex.	Managing Staff and Servants.											
		Secretary.	Chief Warders.	Warders.	Cooks.	Bakers.	* Gardener.	Farm Foreman.	Ploughman.	Matron.	Nurses.	Laundress.	Total.
Fremantle	Males ...	1	1	16	1	1	1	...	...	..	...	...	21
	Females ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	8	1	11
	Total ...	1	1	16	2	1	1	...	...	1	8	1	32
Whitby Falls ...	Males ...	...	1	2	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	6
	Grand Total	1	2	18	3	1	1	1	1	1	8	1	38

* Also acting as Warder.

NO. 36.—SPACE AND ACCOMMODATION IN EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Locality.	Description of Rooms.	The Number of such Rooms.	The Gross Cubic Space of all such Rooms.	The Gross Superficial Area of all such Rooms.	The Average Amount of Cubic Space available for each Patient.	The Amount of Window Space.
			cubic feet,	square feet,	cubic feet,	square feet,
Fremantle ...	MALE WARDS, ETC.					
	Dormitories	17	205205	15108	1668	1672
	Single Rooms	14	20116	2029	1275	70
	Dining-room	1	35700	2975	...	459
	FEMALE WARDS, ETC.					
	Dormitories	8	35680	2366	566	390
	Private Wards	3	13464	1122	1346	166
	Dining-room	1	29450	1550	...	166
Whitby Falls	MALE WARDS, ETC.					
	Dormitories	6	12056	1837	483	150
	Dining-room	1	5200	520	206	30

III.—*Lunatic Asylums*—continued.

NO. 37.—SPECIAL MEDICAL INSPECTION IN EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Condition of Patients examined.	Fremantle.			Whitby Falls.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
(I.)—Maniacal and dangerous	3	3	6	1	...	1	4	3	7
(II.)—Quiet chronic	5	4	9	22	...	22	27	4	31
(III.)—Melancholy and suicidal	2	1	3	...	...	...	2	1	3
(IV.)—Idiotic, paralytic, epileptic ...	1	1	2	2	...	2	3	1	4
Total	11	9	20	25	...	25	36	9	45

NO. 38.—NATIONALITY OF INMATES IN ASYLUMS ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Nationality.	Fremantle.			Whitby Falls.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Aboriginal natives	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3
Afghans	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Americans	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3
Austrians	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
British and Colonials	113	71	184	14	...	14	127	71	198
Chinese	4	...	4	4	...	4	8	...	8
Cingalese	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Egyptians	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Germans	4	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	4
Half castes	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Hindoos	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2
Italians	1	...	1	2	...	2	3	...	3
Javanese	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1
Malays	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Manilla men	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Negroes	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Portuguese	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Russians	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Swedish	5	1	6	1	...	1	6	1	7
Total	142	72	214	25	...	25	167	72	239

NO. 39.—PERCENTAGE OF DEATHS IN LUNATIC ASYLUMS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA TO NUMBER OF INMATES DURING 1897 AND 1898.

Year.	Fremantle Asylum (Males and Females).			Whitby Falls Asylum (Males only).		
	Total Number of Inmates during the Year.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to total number of Inmates.	Total number of Inmates during the Year.	Number of Deaths.	Percentage of Deaths to total number of Inmates.
			%			%
1897	289	25	8·65	29	...	...
1898	289	13	4·50	34	...	...

IV.—POOR HOUSES.

(Supported by Public Funds.)

No. 40.—ADMISSIONS, DISCHARGES, DEATHS, ETC., IN EACH OF THE POOR HOUSES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING 1898.

Locality.	Particulars.	Admission.			Discharges, Deaths, etc.				Inmates remaining on 31st December 1898.
		Inmates on the 1st January, 1898.	Admitted during the Year.	Total.	Discharged.	Deceased.	Removed by friends, etc.	Total.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Mount Eliza Poor House	Adult Males only	211	363	574	263	55	1	319	255
Perth Poor House ...	Adult Males only	9	18	27	15	1	...	16	11
Perth Female Home (Murray Street)	Adult Females ...	52	57	109	50	6	...	56	53
	Children, Male ...	7	10	17	8	3	...	11	6
	Do. Female	3	15	18	9	1	...	10	8
	Births, Male ...	...	15	15	15	...	...	15	
	Do. Female...	...	13	13	13	...	...	13	
	Total... ...	62	110	172	95	10	...	105	67
	Grand Total ...	282	491	773	373	66	1	440	333

No. 41.—WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION IN EACH OF THE POOR HOUSES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING 1898.

Particulars.	Mount Eliza Poor House. (Adult males only.)	Perth Poor House. (Adult males only.)	Perth Female Home, Murray street. (Females and children only.)
Water Supply—			
Quantity of water available daily for each inmate	Unlimited... ...	Unlimited	Unlimited
Source of water supply	Town supply ...	Town supply ...	Town supply
Quality of water	Good	Good	Good
Sanitation—			
Number of baths available	Four	One	Three
Kind of baths	Three plunge, one hip	One plunge ...	Three plunge
Number of lavatories available	None	One	None
Sanitary system in force	Double pan ...	Double pan ...	Double pan
Condition of privies	Good	Good	Good

No. 42.—BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN PERTH FEMALE HOME, MURRAY STREET (FEMALE INMATES AND CHILDREN ONLY) DURING 1898.

Births.				Deaths.			
Particulars.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Sex.	Adult Females.	Children.	Total.
Legitimate	7	2	9	Males	...	3	3
Illegitimate	8	11	19	Females ...	6	1	7
Total	15	13	28	Total ...	6	4	10

IV.—*Poor Houses*—continued.

(Supported by Public Funds.)

No. 43.—ACCOMMODATION IN EACH OF THE POOR HOUSES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Locality and Particulars.	Dormitories.					Greatest number of persons accommodated in each Dormitory at any one time during 1898.	Windows and Ventilating openings in Dormitories.	
	Name or Number.	Length in feet.	Breadth in feet.	Height in feet.	Number of Beds.		Total Area in square feet.	Total Area capable of opening, in square feet.
Mount Eliza Poor House (adult males only)	No. 1	101	24	16	54	54	179	107
	No. 2	86	27	17	48	48	148	128
	No. 3	87	27	17	40	40	148	128
	No. 4	74	32	15	76	76	260	228
	Infirmary ...	63	20	14	16	16	336	297
	No. 6	27	14	12	8	8	54	44
	No. 7	17	11	10	7	7	45	35
	No. 8	24	11	11	6	6	36	30
	Dining Room ...	51	24	11	...	...	94	90
Perth Poor House (adult males only)	No. 1	25	16	8′ 6″	6	7	13	13
	No. 2	21	17	9	5	5	12	12
Perth Female Home, Murray Street (female inmates and children only)	No. 1	40	22	14	7	7	73	36
	No. 2	40	22	10	17	17	78	37
	No. 3, Nursery...	32	15′ 4″	9′ 6″	15	15	54	32
	No. 4	29	16	9	18	18	65	54
	No. 5	21	16	10′ 6″	6	6	103	55
	No. 1, Maternity	22	18′ 6″	14′ 6″	6	6	61	37
	No. 2, Maternity	22	19	11′ 4″	7	7	53	33

No. 44.—STAFF IN EACH OF THE POOR HOUSES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Locality and Particulars.	Sex.	Managing Staff and Servants.							Nursing Staff.		Total.
		Master.	Clerks.	Matron.	Sub-Matron.	Orderlies.	Cooks.	Other Servants.	Nurses.	Probationers.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Mount Eliza Poor House (adult males only)	Males ...	1	1	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	7
	Females ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Total ...	1	1	...	...	3	2	...	2	...	9
Perth Poor House (adult males only)	Males ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Perth Female Home, Murray Street (female inmates and children only)	Females ...	...	...	1	1	...	..	1	1	...	4
Grand Total ...		1	1	1	1	3	3	1	3	...	14

IV.—*Poor Houses*—continued.

(Supported by Public Funds.)

NO. 45.—OBITUARY TABLE FOR EACH OF THE POOR HOUSES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING 1898.

Locality and Particulars.	Age of Deceased.	Sex of Deceased.	Bodily Condition when admitted.	Date of Admission.	Cause of Death.	Whether Coroner's Inquest held, and what Verdict.	Whether Post-mortem Examination held.
Mount Eliza Poor House (adult males only)	70	Male	Debility	6-2-97	Debility	No	No
	68	Do.	Chest Complaint ...	23-1-94	Chest Disease	No	No
	71	Do.	Bad Leg	15-10-94	Senile Decay	No	No
	47	Do.	Liver Disease ...	21-1-98	Disease of Liver	No	No
	40	Do.	Phthisis	15-1-98	Acute Phthisis	No	No
	84	Do.	Debility	18-1-98	Senile Debility	No	No
	56	Do.	Lung Disease ...	29-9-97	Phthisis	No	No
	76	Do.	Rheumatic... ...	8-1-96	Debility, Rheumatism ...	No	No
	75	Do.	Debility	19-1-98	Sudden Death	No	Yes
	70	Do.	Do.	30-12-97	Cancer	No	No
	60	Do.	Chest and Heart ...	23-7-97	Chest and Heart Disease	No	No
	50	Do.	Phthisis	6-3-98	Phthisis	No	No
	74	Do.	Blind	21-3-98	Sudden Death	No	Yes
	94	Do.	Senile	10-2-91	Senile Decay	No	No
	81	Do.	Debility	22-3-98	Dysentery	No	No
	33	Do.	Kidney Disease ...	24-3-98	Kidney Disease	No	No
	72	Do.	Bronchitis	16-2-98	Chronic Bronchitis ...	No	No
	68	Do.	Paralysis	20-5-97	Paralysis	No	No
	78	Do.	Blind and Debility	25-3-98	Debility	No	No
	47	Do.	Dropsy	5-4-98	Dropsy, Liver Disease ...	No	No
	74	Do.	Debility	24-8-96	Debility	No	No
	69	Do.	Phthisis	16-2-98	Cancer	No	No
	75	Do.	Rheumatic... ...	24-2-98	Debility, Rheumatism ...	No	No
	75	Do.	Heart Disease ...	15-11-97	Senile Debility	No	No
	71	Do.	Ophthalmia ...	23-1-94	Do.	No	No
	26	Do.	Phthisis	15-3-98	Phthisis	No	No
	72	Do.	Senile	8-10-97	Senile Decay	No	No
	59	Do.	Jaundice	12-5-98	Yellow Jaundice	No	No
	77	Do.	Debility	5-12-94	Senile Decay	No	No
	62	Do.	Bronchitis	14-5-97	Bronchitis	No	No
	60	Do.	Debility	23-5-98	Debility	No	No
	72	Do.	Do.	17-5-98	Do.	No	No
	59	Do.	Do.	24-12-97	Do.	No	No
	43	Do.	Rheumatic... ...	30-4-98	Dysentery	No	No
	67	Do.	Debility	22-5-97	Decay (senile)	No	No
	76	Do.	Do.	1-7-91	Do.	No	No
	73	Do.	Do.	20-9-95	Bronchitis	No	No
	79	Do.	Do.	16-8-94	Senile Decay	No	No
	67	Do.	Do.	12-2-98	Dysentery	No	No
	82	Do.	Senile	24-4-98	Senile Decay	No	No
	66	Do.	Debility	26-3-98	Phthisis	No	No
	72	Do.	Rheumatic	5-8-98	Pneumonia	No	No
	66	Do.	Chest Complaint ...	20-10-97	Cancer	No	No
	57	Do.	Ruptured	30-6-98	Heart Disease	No	No
	79	Do.	Debility	19-4-98	Bronchitis	No	No
	67	Do.	Softening of Brain	15-2-98	Senile Decay	No	No
	60	Do.	Senile	24-8-98	Cachexia	No	No
	67	Do.	Alcoholic	11-10-98	Alcholic Gastritis ...	No	No
	67	Do.	Paralysis	8-3-86	Paralysis	No	No
	75	Do.	Debility	2-7-98	Senile Decay	No	No
	81	Do.	Do.	10-11-97	Bronchitis	No	No
	72	Do.	Do.	16-3-98	Cachexia	No	No
	70	Do.	Senile	16-7-98	Senile Decay	No	No
	66	Do.	Blind and Debility	25-3-95	Paralysis	No	No
	75	Do.	Debility	29-11-94	Senile Decay	No	No
Perth Poor House (adult males only)	75	Do.	Do.	2-5-96	Senility and Heart Disease	Yes	Yes
Perth Female Home, Murray Street (female inmates and children only)	75	Female	Do.	10-10-95	Senile Decay	No	No
	60	Do.	Do.	Feb., 1898	Diarrhœa	No	No
	79	Do.	Senility	2-7-97	Senile Decay	No	No
	75	Do.	Healthy	1879	Do.	No	No
	72	Do.	Debility	5-1-85	Pneumonia	No	No
	1¼	Male	Pneumonia ...	Aug., 1898	Do.	No	No
	3½	Do.	Do.	Oct., 1896	Do.	No	No
	69	Female	Dementia	1883	Senile Decay	No	No
	3 days	Do.	Inanition	19-3-98	Premature Birth	No	No
	3 days	Male	Do.	19-3-98	Do.	No	No

IV.—*Poor Houses*—continued.

(Supported by Public Funds.)

No. 46.—PERCENTAGE OF DEATHS IN EACH OF THE POOR HOUSES OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING 1897 AND 1898 TO NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS. *

Year.	Mount Eliza Poor House (Adult Males only).			Perth Poor House (Adult Males only).			Perth Female Home (Females and Children only).			Total.		
	* Total Number of Admissions.	Number of Deaths.	*Percentage of Deaths to Number of Admissions.	* Total Number of Admissions.	Number of Deaths.	*Percentage of Deaths to Number of Admissions.	* Total Number of Admissions.	Number of Deaths.	*Percentage of Deaths to Number of Admissions.	* Total Number of Admissions.	Total Number of Deaths.	*Percentage of Deaths to Number of Admissions.
			%			%			%			%
1897	530	74	13·96	26	1	3·85	219	13	5·94	775	88	11·35
1898	574	55	9·58	27	1	3·70	172	10	5·81	773	66	8·54

* Including as admissions those remaining in each Institution on the 1st January in each year.

V.—REFORMATORY AND INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL DURING 1898.

(Supported by Public Funds.)

No. 47.—ADMISSIONS, DISCHARGES, DEATHS, ETC., IN EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Locality and Particulars.	Sex.	Admissions.			Discharges, Deaths, etc.					Inmates remaining on 31st December 1898.
		Inmates on the 1st January, 1898.	Admitted during the year.	Total.	Discharged	Removed to other Institutions.	Deceased.	Removed by friends, etc.	Total.	
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Rottnest Reformatory for Boys	Boys ...	9	21	30	4	4	...	5	13	17
Subiaco Industrial School for Boys and Girls	Boys ...	17	36	53	...	19	...	6	25	28
	Girls ...	10	14	24	...	1	...	3	4	20
Total	... ...	27	50	77	...	20	...	9	29	48
Grand Total ...	... ...	36	71	107	4	24	...	14	42	65

No. 48.—WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION IN EACH INSTITUTION DURING 1898.

Particulars.	Rottnest Reformatory for Boys.	Subiaco Industrial School for Boys and Girls.
Water Supply—		
Quantity of water available daily for each inmate	Unlimited supply	Altogether inadequate
Source of water supply	Well	Well, and tanks for rain
Quality of water	Brackish	Very good
Sanitation—		
Number of baths available	Three	Four
Kind of baths	Three plunge	Four plunge
Number of lavatories available	Three	Two
Sanitary system in force	Dry earth system	Open pan system
Condition of privies	Good	Good

V.—*Reformatory and Industrial School*—continued.

(Supported by Public Funds.)

No. 49.—Accommodation in each Institution on 31st December, 1898.

Locality.	Particulars.	Name or Number of Dormitories, etc.	Length.	Breadth.	Height.	Number of Beds in the Ward.	Greatest number of Inmates accommodated in each Dormitory at any one time during the Year.	Windows and Ventilating Openings in each Compartment.	
								Area.	Area capable of opening.
			Feet.	Feet.	Feet.	No.	No.	Square ft.	Square feet.
Rottnest ...	Reformatory for Boys	Dining-room	34	19·9	11·7	...	...	30	15
		Workshop	23·6	16	11·7	...	...	20	10
		Dayroom	23·6	16	11·7	...	...	20	10
		Dormitory	36	24	11·7	15	15	48	33
		Do.	27	24	11·7	10	10	46	31
		Bathroom	10	9	9	...	...	15	7·6
		Kitchen	19·9	18	11·7	...	...	30	15
Subiaco ...	Industrial School for Boys and Girls	Boys:							
		Dormitory	50	20	12	26	30	121	81
		Dining-room and kitchen	28	20	12	...	...	54	36
		Scullery	10	10	11	...	...	13½	13½
		Bathroom	12	9	9	...	...	10½	10½
		Girls:							
		Dormitory	50	20	12	19	22	121	81
		Dining-room and kitchen	28	20	12	...	...	54	36
		Scullery	10	10	11	...	...	13½	13½
		Bathroom	12	9	9	...	...	10½	10½

No. 50.—Staff of each Institution during 1898.

Locality.	Particulars.	Managing Staff and Servants.						
		Male Superintendents.	Matrons.	Assistant Matrons.	Male School Teachers.	Male Teachers and General Assistants.	Work Masters.	Total.
Rottnest ...	Reformatory for Boys	1	...	...	1	...	1	3
Subiaco ...	Industrial School for Boys and Girls	1	1	1	...	1	...	4
	Total	2	1	1	1	1	1	7

VI.—ORPHANAGES.

(Supported by Public Funds and Private Subscriptions.)

No. 51.—Number of Children in Orphanages in Western Australia on 31st December, 1898.

Locality.	Denomination.	Sex.	Supported by Government.	Supported by Private Means.	Total.
Swan	Anglican	Boys	57	5	62
Perth	„	Girls	42	3	45
	Total		99	8	107
Subiaco... ...	Roman Catholic	Boys	74	5	79
Perth	„	Girls	76	21	97
	Total		150	26	176
	Grand Total		249	34	283

VII.—NATIVE INSTITUTIONS.

(Supported by Public Funds and Private Subscriptions.)

No. 52.—NUMBER OF ABORIGINALS AND HALF-CASTE NATIVES IN THE INSTITUTIONS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING 1898.

Locality and Denomination.	Sex.	Married Adults.	Widowers and Widows.	† Children of 14 and over.	† Children under 14.	Total.
Swan (Anglican) ...	Males	...	...	4	15	19
	Females	...	...	14	14	28
	Total	...	...	18	29	47
*New Norcia (Roman Catholic)	Males	21	1	16	35	73
	Females	21	3	8	27	59
	Total	42	4	24	62	132
	Grand Total ...	42	4	42	91	179

* Benedictine Mission established for the civilisation of Aborigines and Half-castes. † These figures are only estimated, as the true age of the natives admitted to the Missions cannot be ascertained.

VIII.—GENERAL.

No. 53.—NUMBER OF DEATHS IN GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS, LUNATIC ASYLUMS, AND POOR HOUSES DURING 1898, AND PERCENTAGE OF SUCH DEATHS TO TOTAL DEATHS THROUGHOUT THE COLONY DURING THE YEAR.

Particulars of Institutions.	Deaths in Government Hospitals, Asylums, and Poor Houses, during 1898.			Percentage of Deaths in Government Hospitals, Asylums, and Poor Houses to Total Deaths.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	%	%	%
Government Hospitals	430	106	536	23·98	11·48	19·73
Government Lunatic Asylums...	12	1	13	0·67	0·11	0·48
Government Poor Houses	59	7	66	3·29	0·76	2·43
Total for all Government Hospitals, Lunatic Asylums, and Poor Houses	501	114	615	27·94	12·35	22·64

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PART X.—EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART.

No. 1.—* *State Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue on Education, Science, and Art during the Financial Years ended 30th June, 1896, 1897, and 1898.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount Expended.		
	1895-6.	1896-7.	1897-8.
	£	£	£
From Educational Vote—Salaries	24511	31174	42161
Contingencies	3853	9086	6986
Erection of Schools and Repairs	21748	49713	59361
Purchase and Improvement of School Sites	...	1571	925
Annual Subsidy to High School	500	500	750
Grant in Aid of High School	...	...	2000
Abolition Act (Assisted Schools)	7500	7500	...
Home Teaching Society for the Blind	150	1200	...
Grant to Deaf and Dumb Institute	...	...	200
Observatory—Maintenance	253	2583	2968
Building, Instruments, etc.	773	6615	8954
Victoria Public Library—Maintenance	1400	2500	4500
Museum and Art Gallery—Maintenance	3501	4000	4000
Museum and Library—Buildings	659	6936	11557
Grants for erection of Halls and Institutes	10494	18575	11859
Subsidies to Mechanics' Institutes, etc.	905	940	1320
Agricultural Societies, Grants, etc.	1200	3065	2015
Establishment of Zoological Gardens	...	...	4000
Total	£77447	£145958	£163556

* Return compiled from particulars published in the Colonial Treasurer's Statements for the Years 1895-6, 1896-7, and 1897-8.

No. 2.—*Decennial Return of the Cost of Public Instruction (exclusive of Expenditure on School Buildings)—1889 to 1898.*

Year.	Amounts expended from		Total.	Year.	Amounts expended from		Total.
	Government Vote.	† School Fees.			Government Vote.	† School Fees.	
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1889	11125	1474	12599	1894	18532	1601	20133
1890	11494	1411	12905	1895	26106	2052	28158
1891	11986	1431	13417	1896	29427	2353	31780
1892	14897	1540	16437	1897	41664	3584	45248
1893	16347	1600	17947	1898	51085	3713	54798

† The amounts received from school fees are applied by the Department direct, without being paid into the Revenue.

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No. 3.—*Details of State Expenditure on Education and Schools during the Year 1898.*

(Particulars supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
DEPARTMENTAL:						
Salaries, Fixed	4144	7	6			
Salaries, Provisional and Temporary	1721	18	8			
Allowances, Travelling	840	18	7			
Postage and Telephone Rent	1015	19	11			
Foreign Telegrams and Stationery	178	6	7			
Printing and Advertising	128	15	9			
Incidental Expenses	109	19	8			
				8140	6	8
PUBLIC SCHOOLS:						
Salaries	27363	7	7			
Travelling Expenses	325	19	0			
Rents	271	5	9			
Repairs and Buildings	4711	7	1			
Furniture	1450	0	8			
Maintenance	542	12	2			
Apparatus	558	2	5			
				35222	14	8
SPECIAL SCHOOLS:						
Salaries	6744	19	11			
Travelling Expenses	91	9	4			
Rents	149	17	10			
Repairs and Buildings	116	6	7			
Furniture	315	18	1			
Maintenance	169	11	2			
Apparatus	16	14	2			
				7604	17	1
PROVISIONAL SCHOOLS:						
Salaries	1307	9	3			
Travelling Expenses	5	3	8			
Rents	32	1	7			
Repairs and Buildings	305	13	5			
Furniture	19	7	2			
Maintenance	30	2	8			
Apparatus	1	14	9			
				1701	12	6
HALF-TIME SCHOOLS:						
Salaries	596	14	3			
Travelling Expenses	8	14	3			
Rents	6	13	4			
Furniture	51	10	0			
Maintenance	8	15	0			
Repairs and Buildings	678	15	1			
				1351	1	11
EXHIBITIONS, SCHOLARSHIPS, ETC.:						
High School Scholarships	380	0	0			
Public Exhibitions	8	8	0			
Government Exhibitions	200	0	0			
				588	8	0
COMPULSION:						
Salaries — Compulsory Officers	788	17	8			
Travelling Expenses and Allowances	133	5	10			
				922	3	6
Carried forward				55531	4	4
Brought forward				55531	4	4
DISTRICT BOARDS:						
Clerical Services	113	15	0			
Rent	7	10	0			
Travelling Expenses	8	5	0			
				129	10	0
EXAMINING BOARD:						
Fees of Examiners	115	13	0			
Examiner of Needlework	50	0	0			
Travelling Expenses-- Examinations	34	7	2			
Travelling Expenses — Sewing Lectures	33	4	0			
Apparatus	51	5	9			
Stationery, etc.	1	18	1			
Incidental Expenses	0	4	0			
				286	12	0
ORPHANAGES:						
Grants (December Quarter, 1897, and March Quarter, 1898)	...			240	3	1
EVENING SCHOOLS:						
Salaries	562	10	6			
Travelling Expenses	3	1	3			
				565	11	9
TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND MANUAL TRAINING:						
Salaries	173	15	0			
Travelling Expenses	5	4	2			
Furniture	33	13	8			
Maintenance	0	10	0			
Apparatus	30	12	5			
				243	15	3
DISTRICT BOARD ELECTIONS:						
Fees, etc., to Revisers	55	14	0			
Fees, etc., to Returning Officers	16	2	10			
Printing, Advertising, etc.	23	14	9			
				95	11	7
PURCHASES INTO STOCK:						
Furniture	39	4	4			
Apparatus	174	17	7			
				214	1	11
MISCELLANEOUS:						
Training of Teachers	48	15	0			
Sundry Expenses on Clay and Dual desks	2	14	2			
				51	9	2
TOTAL EXPENDITURE BY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT				£57357	19	1
EXPENDITURE BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS ON ACCOUNT OF NEW BUILDINGS AND REPAIRS				£32284	4	8
TOTAL				£89642	3	9

No. 4.—*Staff and Attendance in Government Schools for the Year 1898.*

(Particulars Supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

STATE SCHOOLS.

No.	School.	Staff.									Number on Roll last School Week, 1898.			Average Enrolment for Year.	Average Attendance.	Remarks.
		Head Teachers.		Assistants.		Pupil Teachers.		Monitors.		Sewing Mistresses.						
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		Boys.	Girls.	Total.			
1	Albany	1	...	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	242	206	448	455	318	
2	Baker's Hill	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	8	14	15	10	Opened 2nd February, 1898, closed 31st December, 1898.
3	Balingup	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8	22	19	15	
4	Bayswater	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	64	38	102	83	62	
5	Beaconsfield	1	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	265	210	475	490	364	
6	Do. Infants'	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	59	51	110	178	129	Opened 30th May, 1898.
7	Belmont	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19	25	44	36	23	
8	Beverley	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	34	72	74	57	
9	Bibra Lake	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	11	20	19	17	
10	Boyanup	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8	17	26	18	
11	Bridgetown	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	39	39	78	72	56	
12	Broome Hill	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	16	30	26	20	
13	Bunbury	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	132	96	228	216	168	
14	Do. Infants'	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	35	39	74	99	72	Opened 24th January, 1898.
15	Busselton	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	60	30	90	92	69	
16	Canning Mills	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	36	23	59	62	50	
17	Cannington	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*1	34	26	60	50	39	
18	Chidlow's Well	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	15	26	25	22	
19	Clackline	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	13	28	26	19	
20	Claremont	1	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	162	110	272	272	192	
21	Collie Mill	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	22	32	29	25	Opened 5th September, 1898
22	Cookernup	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	21	50	43	29	
23	Coolingup	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19	16	35	35	21	
24	Coolup	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	12	23	22	16	
25	Coondle	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	15	23	20	16	
26	Cottesloe	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	148	110	258	239	175	
27	Cranbrook	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	12	32	26	18	
28	Cuballing	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	14	29	24	21	
29	Dandarragan	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	23	14	37	37	30	
30	Dardanup	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	12	24	24	16	
31	Daudabin	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	9	21	20	13	
32	Denmark Hill	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	60	74	134	127	99	
33	Dongara	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	22	60	62	51	
34	Donnybrook	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	46	36	82	92	70	
35	Drakesbrook	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	21	33	29	21	Opened 26th January, 1898.
36	Ferguson, Upper	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	9	21	21	16	
37	Fremantle Boys'	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	299	...	299	264	208	
38	Do. Girls'	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	214	214	178	141	
39	Do. Infants'	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	93	60	153	171	131	
40	Do. North	1	...	2	3	1	1	...	...	...	224	175	399	405	317	
41	Geraldton	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	131	100	231	238	201	
42	Gingin	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	29	67	72	59	
43	Gooseberry Hill	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	19	35	28	24	

44	Greenbushes	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	11	21	16	16	Closed 15th February, 1898; re-opened 5th September, 1898.
45	Greenough, Central	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	26	16	42	42	30	
46	Do. North	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	9	25	22	17	
47	Do. South	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	7	24	25	16	
48	Guildford	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	75	55	130	143	104	
49	Hamelin	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	13	23	24	16	
50	Highgate	1	...	3	2	...	3	...	..	...	250	205	455	404	344	
51	Hoffman Mill	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	21	36	32	25	
52	Jarrahdale	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	56	67	123	113	95	
53	Do. 39-Mile Mill	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	27	12	39	36	29	
54	Do. No. 2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19	13	32	30	25	
55	Do. No. 5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	5	13	15	12	
56	Jennapullin	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	12	25	25	18	
57	Jurokine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	6	18	17	16	
58	Karridale	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	39	30	69	65	43	
59	Katanning	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	21	20	41	51	30	
60	Kelmscott	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*1	38	31	69	62	44	
61	King River	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	6	17	18	17	
62	Kojonup	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	8	23	25	18	
63	Leederville	1	...	2	1	...	2	...	...	...	130	98	228	281	208	
64	Leederville, West	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	77	56	133	120	99	Opened 1st November, 1898.
65	Lion Mill	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*1	15	25	40	50	29	
66	Malabaine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	16	28	24	18	
67	Mandurah	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	15	23	24	20	
68	Marbro ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	8	22	21	21	
69	Marracoonda	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	9	26	24	21	
70	Meckering	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	31	25	56	48	37	
71	Midland Junction	1	...	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	111	113	224	223	150	
72	Minginew	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	17	33	45	36	
73	Mogumber	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	16	23	23	21	Opened 14th February, 1898.
74	Momberkine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	12	28	25	19	
75	Moojebing	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	18	32	30	18	
76	Moonyoonooka...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11	32	32	26	
77	Mount Barker ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	23	16	39	37	31	
78	Mourambine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	21	18	39	36	31	
79	Mundaring	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	24	51	51	43	Opened 7th November, 1898.
80	Mundijong	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9	14	23	33	27	
81	Narrogin	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	20	32	34	27	
82	Narrogin Brook	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10	23	24	19	
83	Newcastle	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	50	33	83	73	59	
84	Northam	1	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	146	119	265	279	194	
85	Northampton ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	39	41	80	80	55	
86	Parkerville	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	9	15	14	12	Closed 31st October, 1898.
87	Perth Boys'	1	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	529	...	529	543	454	
88	Do. Girls'	...	1	...	7	...	4	...	...	...	...	526	526	501	388	
89	Do. Infants'...	...	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	86	81	167	242	167	
90	Do. East	1	...	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	187	133	320	311	249	
91	Do. South ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	40	26	66	56	49	Opened 20th July, 1898.
92	Do. Newcastle Street	1	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	106	110	216	274	207	
93	Do. do. Infants'	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	49	42	91	109	82	Opened 5th September, 1898.
94	Picton ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	23	20	43	38	30	
95	Pingelly	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	16	31	40	25	
96	Pinjarra	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	26	57	58	43	
97	Plympton	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	122	117	239	274	212	
98	Do. Infants'	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	85	68	153	170	132	Opened 1st October. 1898.
99	Quellington	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	10	18	18	15	

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* One person.

Staff and Attendance in Government Schools for the Year 1898—continued.

STATE SCHOOLS—*continued.*

No.	School.	Staff.									Number on Roll last School Week.			Average Enrolment for Year.	Average Attendance.	Remarks.
		Head Teachers.		Assistants.		Pupil Teachers.		Monitors.		Sewing Mistresses.						
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		Boys.	Girls.	Total.			
100	Quindanning	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9	19	17	14	
101	Rockingham Beach	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10	17	20	17	
102	Rottnest	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	14	22	22	17	
103	Sawyers' Valley	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	27	30	57	70	58	
104	Smith's Mill	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	36	35	71	64	52	
105	Stratham	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8	22	20	19	
106	Strawberry	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4	13	18	15	
107	Subiaco	1	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	187	163	350	379	284	
108	Swan, Middle	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	17	28	25	19	
109	Do. West	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	17	12	29	29	22	
110	Tipperary	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	25	7	32	28	25	
111	Victoria Park	1	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	111	105	216	230	171	
112	Wagin	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	35	44	79	78	55	
113	Wagerup	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	29	25	54	49	38	
114	Walkaway	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	18	36	39	24	
115	Wedgecarrup	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	20	20	15	Opened 26th April, 1898.
116	Wicklow Hills	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	10	18	19	14	
117	Williams	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	17	16	33	27	22	
118	Wongamine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	10	24	23	19	
119	Wooroloo	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	14	24	28	24	
120	Yardarino	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	9	22	21	15	
121	York, Mixed	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	92	78	170	186	149	
122	York, Infants'	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	41	37	78	83	64	
	Total, State Schools	82	39	38	67	3	38	3	9	35	6082	5172	11254	11466	8779	

SPECIAL SCHOOLS.

No.	School.	Head Teachers Male.	Head Teachers Female.	Assistants Male.	Assistants Female.	Pupil Teachers Male.	Pupil Teachers Female.	Monitors Male.	Monitors Female.	Sewing Mistresses.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Average Enrolment for Year.	Average Attendance.	Remarks.
1	Bardoc	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	13	20	16	Closed 30th September, 1898.
2	Black Flag	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11	22	17	13	Opened 4th April, 1898; closed 30th September, 1898.
3	Bonnievale	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	24	25	49	38	27	
4	Boulder	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	163	170	333	331	210	
5	Bulong	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	13	29	24	19	
6	Burbanks	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	19	46	30	24	Opened 9th February, 1898.
7	Carnarvon	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	26	64	58	54	
8	Coolgardie	1	...	3	3	...	2	...	...	...	242	215	457	504	316	
9	Cossack	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10	19	21	15	
10	Cue	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	43	42	85	78	56	
11	Day Dawn	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	21	24	20	

12	Doodlekine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	8	8	5	Opened 16th August, 1898; closed 31st October, 1898.
13	Esperance	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	46	40	86	108	81	
14	Gullewa	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	7	20	18	15	
15	Kalgoorlie	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	194	184	378	367	226	
16	Do. Infants'	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	86	66	152	138	81	Opened 1st August, 1898.
17	Kanowna	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	83	80	163	131	91	
18	Kunanalling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	7	16	13	11	Closed 30th September, 1898.
19	Kurrawa	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*1	42	36	78	68	42	
20	Menzies	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	82	48	130	96	78	
21	Mount Magnet	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*1	29	27	56	58	42	
22	Mullewa	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	12	34	36	27	
23	Nannine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5	17	17	15	Opened 6th April, 1898.
24	Norseman	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	*1	43	40	83	63	46	
25	Paddington	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	29	48	33	26	Opened 16th June, 1898.
26	Roebourne	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	13	29	35	26	
27	Sharks Bay	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	8	19	21	18	
28	Southern Cross	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	54	43	97	122	83	
29	Yalgoo	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	27	23	50	42	34	
	Total, Special Schools	21	4	7	14	...	5	1	7	1	1,386	1,216	2,602	2,519	1,717	

* One person.

PROVISIONAL SCHOOLS.

1	Bejoording	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	9	18	17	16	
2	Brunswick	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	31	59	38	22	
3	Coogee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	16	15	10	Closed 15th August, 1898.
4	Dingup	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11	17	14	12	
5	Dwalginup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	11	11	10	Closed 26th August, 1898.
6	Greenhills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8	21	16	11	Closed 4th October, 1898.
7	Greenough, N.B. Flats	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	13	20	16	12	Closed 30th September, 1898.
8	Irishtown	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	7	17	16	10	Closed 31st August, 1898.
9	Koojan	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	4	14	14	14	
10	Moora	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	13	25	20	18	
11	Oakabella	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	9	11	11	Closed 30th September, 1898.
12	Pell Mell	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	12	24	22	19	
13	Preston, Upper	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8	13	12	11	
14	Rudd's Gully	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2	11	13	11	Closed 30th November, 1898.
15	Serpentine	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	18	31	27	18	
16	Thomson's Brook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9	14	12	10	Closed 30th September, 1898.
17	Toodyay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	7	17	15	12	Closed 28th October, 1898.
18	Victoria Plains	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3	10	10	8	Closed 7th April, 1898.
19	Wandering	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	5	14	14	11	Closed 30th April, 1898.
20	Warren, Upper	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6	8	8	Closed 30th September, 1898.
21	Waterloo	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	16	15	12	
22	Westbrook	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8	17	17	13	
23	Wonnerup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	13	12	9	Closed 30th September, 1898.
	Total, Provisional Schools	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	209	204	413	365	288	

Staff and Attendance in Government Schools for the year 1898—continued.

HALF-TIME SCHOOLS.

No.	School.	Staff.									Number on Roll last School Week.			Average Enrolment for Year.	Average Attendance.	Remarks.
		Head Teachers.		Assistants.		Pupil Teachers.		Monitors.		Sewing Mistresses.						
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		Boys.	Girls.	Total.			
1	Bindoon, North	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	3	14	13	12	
2	Do. South										5	2	7	8	8	
3	Chittering, Upper	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	6	10	9	8	
4	Do. Lower										11	8	19	15	14	
5	Gingin Brook	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	11	11	10	Opened 29th March, 1898.
6	Moore River										7	5	12	10	9	,, 1st April, 1898.
7	Hope Valley	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7	12	14	11	
8	Rockingham										10	7	17	13	11	
9	Nabawah	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	12	11	10	
10	Narra Tarra										10	10	20	16	15	Opened 9th May, 1898.
11	Quindalup, Upper	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	12	12	
12	Do. Lower										12	2	14	13	11	
	Total, Half-time Schools	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	90	65	155	145	131	
	Grand Total	113	49	45	81	3	43	4	16	37	7,767	6,657	14,424	14,495	10,915	

Part X.—EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART.

No. 5.—*Private Schools, 1898.*

(Returns compiled from information obtained from the Principals of Private Schools.)

Towns.	Schools.	Number of Teachers.		Number of Scholars on Roll last School Week, 1898.								Grand Total.	Average daily Attendance.
		Males.	Females.	Males.				Females.					
				Under 6 years of age.	From 6 to 14.	Over 14.	Total.	Under 6 years of age.	From 6 to 14.	Over 14.	Total.		
UNDENOMINATIONAL SCHOOLS.													
Albany	1	1	1	2	34	2	38	...	19	3	22	60	48·21
	1	...	1	7	12	...	19	2	18	...	20	39	27·2
	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	3	11	11	11
	1	...	1	1	3	...	4	2	4	2	8	12	10
	1	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	4	4
	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	12	4	16	16	16
	1	...	1	2	4	...	6	3	11	...	14	20	12
Beaconsfield ...	1	...	1	3	17	...	20	2	13	...	15	35	25·7
	1	...	1	1	1	...	2	3	8	...	11	13	*10·3
	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	36	6	42	42	37
Beverley ...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	6	2	8	9	9
Bunbury ...	1	...	1	1	2	...	3	1	3	1	5	8	7·9
	1	...	1	...	3	...	3	...	5	...	5	8	*6·34
	1	...	1	...	3	...	3	...	8	1	9	12	11
Claremont ...	1	...	4	3	15	...	18	2	27	3	32	50	39
Coolgardie ...	1	...	2	2	2	...	4	...	5	...	5	9	7
Cottesloe ...	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	8	6	...	14	15	12
	1	...	1	...	6	...	6	...	14	...	14	20	18
	1	...	5	2	11	4	17	..	...	...	...	17	15
	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	9	1	11	12	9
	1	...	1	...	5	...	5	1	6	...	7	12	10
	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	23	2	27	27	22
Cue	1	...	2	...	6	...	6	...	9	...	9	15	10
Fremantle ...	1	...	3	...	17	...	17	...	28	4	32	49	46·97
	1	2	...	...	20	30	50	...	...	...	...	50	46
	1	...	2	4	16	...	20	3	27	...	30	50	43
	1	1	...	...	22	...	22	...	...	...	...	22	21
	1	1	7	4	2	...	6	2	15	26	43	49	37
	1	...	4	2	17	...	19	4	39	12	55	74	61
,, South	1	1	2	1	28	6	35	3	21	2	26	61	53
Geraldton ...	1	1	3	1	8	...	9	1	11	...	12	21	20
Guildford ...	1	...	3	...	13	...	13	...	22	6	28	41	40
	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	14	...	15	15	*11·89
Jarrahdale ...	1	...	1	...	4	...	4	...	5	1	6	10	8
Leederville ...	1	1	1	...	3	...	3	3	10	...	13	16	14
Mundaring ...	1	...	1	...	3	...	3	3	9	...	12	15	10
Northam ...	1	...	1	3	7	...	10	2	12	4	18	28	24
Perth	1	4	...	...	*53	*15	68	...	...	...	...	68	69
	1	...	2	5	9	...	14	2	18	...	20	34	30
	1	...	4	4	19	1	24	1	11	...	12	36	*28·53
	1	...	2	2	...	...	2	...	9	3	12	14	12
	1	1	5	1	...	...	1	31	25	22	78	79	71·5
	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	23	1	27	27	24
	1	...	2	3	10	...	13	5	20	4	29	42	39
	1	...	3	2	1	...	3	1	33	10	44	47	40
	1	1	...	...	17	...	17	...	...	...	...	17	13
	1	...	1	4	...	...	4	2	8	2	12	16	14
	1	...	7	1	6	...	7	1	18	8	27	34	32·3
	1	...	2	2	7	...	9	3	18	...	21	30	20
Perth, South ...	1	...	1	1	3	1	5	...	2	...	2	7	6
Richmond ...	1	...	1	2	3	...	5	2	6	...	8	13	*10·3
Sharks Bay ...	1	...	1	...	3	...	3	...	5	...	5	8	8
Southern Cross	1	...	1	2	2	...	4	4	17	...	21	25	20
Wandering ...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	3	...	4	5	5
York	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	6	14	20	20	*15·85
	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	2	11	11	10·2
Total ...	56	15	101	69	422	59	550	105	696	149	950	1,500	1282·19
CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOLS.													
Albany ...	1	2	...	...	40	...	40	...	...	...	...	40	36
Boulder ...	1	1	4	29	84	3	116	32	72	6	110	226	144·6
Leederville ...	1	...	1	6	8	...	14	8	11	...	19	33	27
Total ...	3	3	5	35	132	3	170	40	83	6	129	299	207·6

* Estimated.

No. 5.—*Private Schools, 1898*—continued.

Towns.	Schools.	No. of Teachers.		Number of Scholars on Roll last School Week, 1898.								Grand Total.	Average daily Attendance.
				Males.				Females.					
		Males.	Females.	Under 6 years of age.	From 6 to 14.	Over 14.	Total.	Under 6 years of age.	From 6 to 14.	Over 14.	Total.		
ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS.													
Albany ...	1	...	5	18	4	...	22	26	68	6	100	122	*96·69
Do. ...	1	2	...	...	66	2	68	...	...	...	...	68	55
Bunbury ...	1	...	6	10	43	...	53	21	57	...	78	131	86·70
Coolgardie ...	1	...	6	17	47	2	66	16	63	13	92	158	121
Fremantle ...	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	173	18	191	191	164·80
	1	...	5	81	16	...	97	79	16	...	95	192	152·70
	1	...	4	33	63	2	98	24	84	6	114	212	121·50
	1	1	1	...	87	4	91	...	...	...	...	91	62
Geraldton ...	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	43	94	14	151	151	130
	1	...	3	20	46	4	70	6	22	2	30	100	83
	1	...	3	3	9	2	14	5	27	8	40	54	47
Great Boulder	1	...	5	21	58	...	79	18	65	...	83	162	138
Do.	1	...	5	22	45	1	68	23	52	...	75	143	112
Guildford ...	1	...	4	11	36	1	48	17	50	3	70	118	91·50
Kalgoorlie ...	1	...	2	15	26	...	41	18	39	5	62	103	78
Newcastle ...	1	...	2	4	11	...	15	3	23	2	28	43	38
Northam ...	1	...	4	8	44	1	53	4	37	4	45	98	73·60
Perth	1	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	190	50	240	240	*190·20
	1	...	5	25	25	...	50	100	20	...	120	170	*134·73
	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	6	37	14	57	57	50
	1	...	17	50	49	98	197	138	79	68	285	482	325·50
	1	...	3	16	30	4	50	14	64	2	80	130	117
	1	4	...	...	148	12	160	...	...	...	...	160	145
	1	10	...	1	125	35	161	...	...	...	...	161	135
Southern Cross	1	...	1	5	27	...	32	6	19	...	25	57	49·60
Subiaco ...	1	...	4	5	34	1	40	10	44	5	59	99	55·30
York	1	...	3	1	25	...	26	6	31	2	39	65	56
Total ...	27	17	113	366	1,064	169	1,599	583	1,354	222	2,159	3,758	2909·82
PRESBYTERIAN SCHOOL.													
Perth	1	3	...	...	74	20	94	...	...	...	...	94	78·9
SUMMARY OF ALL PRIVATE SCHOOLS.													
Total for 1898	87	38	219	470	1,692	251	2,413	728	2,133	377	3,238	5,651	4,479
Total for 1897	58	34	147	368	1,306	211	1,885	554	1,866	241	2,661	4,546	3,612
Total for 1896	56	33	143	356	1,254	149	1,759	470	1,564	239	2,273	4,032	3,074

* Estimated.

No. 6.—*Decennial Return of Government Schools, showing Average Attendance of Scholars and Cost per Head, 1889 to 1898.*

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Year.	No. of Schools at the end of each year.	No. of Scholars enrolled last School week.	Average Attendance during each year.	Percentage.	† Cost per head of average attendance.
					£ s. d.
1889	78	3,310	2,517	76·04	3 6 4¼
1890	82	3,352	2,535	75·63	3 7 11
1891	85	3,566	2,630	73·75	3 6 9½
1892	96	4,032	2,902	71·97	3 3 1½
1893	106	4,280	3,088	72·15	3 8 8
1894	115	5,037	3,552	70·52	3 6 1
1895	133	6,451	4,685	72·62	3 14 6
1896	150	9,008	6,470	71·82	3 10 6
1897	167	12,257	8,976	73·23	3 10 6
1898	167	14,424	10,915	75·67	3 12 7

† Including schools closed during the year. Exclusive of administration.

Part X.—EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART.

No. 7.—*Decennial Return of *Private Schools, showing Average Attendance of Scholars, etc. (1889-1898).*

(Compiled partly from Returns supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Year.	No. of Schools at the end of each year.	No. of Scholars enrolled last school week.	Average Attendance during each year.	Percentage.	† Government Subsidy per head of average attendance.		
					£	s.	d.
1889	16	1434	1108	77·27	1	8	4½
1890	19	1662	1283	77·20	1	7	7½
1891	19	1779	1280	71·95	1	8	10¾
1892	21	1941	1422	73·26	1	6	7
1893	21	2058	1537	74·68	1	6	6½
1894	21	2294	1749	76·23	1	4	2
1895	19	2293	1708	74·49	1	4	4
1896	56	4032	3074	76·24		†	
1897	58	4546	3612	79·45		†	
1898	87	5651	4479	79·26		†	

* Comprising, for the seven years previous to 1896, only the *Assisted* Private Schools.

† By "The Assisted Schools Abolition Act, 1895" (59 Vict., No. 27), the grants to Private Schools were discontinued, but a compensation was made to the schools that had so far received subsidy, the sum of £15,000 being divided among them in proportion to the grants received during the year 1895.

No. 8.—*General Progress of Education during the 27 Years, 1872 to 1898.*

Return showing the ‡ Total number of Schools, Enrolment, and Average Attendance for each of the 27 years since the introduction of the Education Act of 1871.

(Compiled mainly from Returns supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Year.	No. of Schools.	Enrolment.	Average Attendance.	Percentage of Average Attendance to Enrolment.
1872	73	3,475	2,400	69·06
1873	79	3,431	2,523	73·54
1874	84	3,830	2,772	72·38
1875	78	3,758	2,921	77·73
1876	80	3,864	3,101	80·25
1877	78	3,861	3,096	80·19
1878	87	4,070	3,097	76·09
1879	91	4,053	3,156	77·87
1880	86	4,046	3,108	76·82
1881	90	4,004	3,109	77·65
1882	92	4,051	3,173	78·33
1883	93	4,061	3,193	78·63
1884	90	4,273	3,167	74·12
1885	94	4,479	3,349	74·77
1886	89	4,508	3,346	74·22
1887	90	4,673	3,600	77·04
1888	93	4,679	3,659	78·20
1889	94	4,744	3,625	76·41
1890	101	5,014	3,818	76·15
1891	104	5,345	3,910	73·15
1892	117	5,973	4,324	72·39
1893	127	6,338	4,625	72·97
1894	136	7,331	5,301	72·31
1895	152	8,744	6,393	73·11
1896	206	13,040	9,544	73·19
1897	225	16,803	12,588	74·92
1898	254	20,075	15,394	76·68

‡ Comprising Government and Assisted Schools only, except in the figures for the Years 1896, 1897, and 1898, where, to the schools which formerly ranked as "Assisted Schools," those carried on entirely on a privat basis are added.

No. 9.—*Orphanage Schools, 1898.*

	Enrolment at end of Year.			Average Enrolment.	Average Attendance.
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.		
Perth Protestant Girls'	...	44	44	42	40
Perth Roman Catholic Girls'	...	73	73	67	65
Subiaco Roman Catholic Boys'	68	...	68	74	69
Swan Boys'	65	...	65	60	57
Swan Native and Half-caste Mission ...	6	21	27	27	26
Total	139	138	277	270	257

No. 10.—*Return showing the Numbers and Ages of Scholars on the Rolls in Government and Private Schools during the last School Week in each of the Years 1894-1898, inclusive.*

(Compiled mainly from Returns supplied by the Education Department.)

Year.	Boys.				Girls.				All Scholars.			
	Under 6 years.	6 to 14 years.	Over 14 years.	Total.	Under 6 years.	6 to 14 years.	Over 14 years.	Total.	Under 6 years.	6 to 14 years.	Over 14 years.	Total.
GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS.												
1894	353	2237	112	2702	330	1862	143	2335	683	4099	255	5037
1895	451	2868	145	3464	423	2384	180	2987	874	5252	325	6451
*1896	679	4109	144	4932	543	3424	195	4162	1222	7533	339	9094
1897	856	5665	170	6691	715	4644	207	5566	1571	10329	377	12257
1898	853	6709	220	7782	741	5671	230	6642	1594	12380	450	14424
* Inclusive of Orphanages.												
PRIVATE SCHOOLS.												
†1894	225	731	10	966	243	1019	66	1328	468	1750	76	2294
†1895	208	711	13	932	271	1034	56	1361	479	1745	69	2293
1896	356	1254	149	1759	470	1564	239	2273	826	2818	388	4032
1897	368	1306	211	1885	554	1866	241	2661	922	3172	452	4546
1898	470	1692	251	2413	728	2133	377	3238	1198	3825	628	5651
† *Assisted* Schools only.												
ALL SCHOOLS.												
‡1894	578	2968	122	3668	573	2881	209	3663	1151	5849	331	7331
‡1895	659	3579	158	4396	694	3418	236	4348	1353	6997	394	8744
§1896	1035	5363	293	6691	1013	4988	434	6435	2048	10351	727	13126
1897	1224	6971	381	8576	1269	6510	448	8227	2493	13481	829	16803
1898	1323	8401	471	10195	1469	7804	607	9880	2792	16205	1078	20075

‡ Government and *Assisted* Schools only. § Inclusive of Orphanages.

No. 11.—*Cost per Head of Average Attendance in Government Schools—1897 and 1898.*

(Return supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Class of School.	No.	Average Attendance.	Direct Cost per Head.			Including Administration.		
1897.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
State Schools	113	7390	3	6	4	4	5	1
Half-Time Schools	8	77	6	3	7	7	2	4
Provisional Schools	22	258	5	9	4	6	8	1
Special Schools	24	1251	4	3	10	5	2	7
Total	167	8976	3	10	6	4	9	3
1898.								
State Schools	‖122	8779	3	8	11	4	5	9
Half-Time Schools	‖12	131	5	1	8	5	18	6
Provisional Schools	‖23	288	4	14	9	5	11	7
Special Schools	‖29	1717	4	5	6	5	2	4
Total	‖186	10915	3	12	7	4	9	5

‖ Including Schools closed during the year.

No. 12.—*Average Cost per Head of Enrolment in Government Schools—1897 and 1898.*

(Return supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Class of School.	Enrolment.	Direct Cost per Head.	Including Administration.
1897.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
State Schools	10,010	2 9 0	3 2 9
Half-time Schools	87	5 9 5	6 3 2
Provisional Schools	313	4 9 6	5 3 3
Special Schools	1,852	2 16 8	3 10 5
Total	12,262	2 11 7	3 5 4
1898.			
State Schools	11,254	2 13 9	3 6 10
Half-time Schools	155	4 5 11	5 0 1
Provisional Schools	413	3 6 1	3 17 9
Special Schools	2,602	2 16 5	3 7 6
Total	14,424	2 14 11	3 7 8

No. 13.—* *Bursaries—Return for the Years 1895, 1896, 1897, and 1898.*

(Particulars supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Year.	Bursaries for Boys.		Bursaries for Girls.	
	No. offered.	No. obtained.	No. offered.	No. obtained.
1895	5	3	5	3
1896	5	† 1	5	0
1897	5	0	5	0
1898	5	† 1	5	0

* Bursaries of the value of Ten pounds have been offered to the Girls attending the Elementary Schools of the Colony for several years past. In 1895 they were extended to the Boys also.

† The examination being similar to that laid down for the High School Scholarships, one of which happened to be vacant, this Scholarship was, in place of the bursary, offered to, and accepted by, the boy who had passed; no bursary was, therefore, actually given.

No. 14.—*Free Education.*

Number of Children for whom Free Education was claimed during the Years 1896, 1897, and 1898, and Nature of the Claims.

(Return supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Year.	Inability to pay fees.	Living over one mile from school.	Having made 400 Half-day attendances in previous Year.	Other reasons approved by Minister of Education.	Total.
1896	741	1,658	553	57	3,009
1897	931	2,111	701	66	3,809
1898	1,437	2,663	940	50	5,090

No. 15.—*Compulsion.*

Number of cases of Non-attendance reported, and of those dealt with by the Department or by Magistrates during the Years 1896, 1897, and 1898.

(Return supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Year.	Cases Reported.	Warnings Issued.	Prosecutions.	Cases in which Fines were imposed.	Withdrawn.	Dismissed.	Cautioned by Magistrate.	Sent to Industrial School.
1896	2,787	558	239	163	33	25	17	1
1897	3,597	755	358	295	23	32	...	8
1898	5,646	939	222	161	6	4	‡45	6

‡ Also mulcted in costs.

PART X.—EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART.

No. 16.—*University Examinations.*

MELBOURNE MATRICULATION.

Examinations were held in the Years 1893 and 1894, one scholar passing in each year.

ADELAIDE UNIVERSITY.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES FOR	1896.	1897.	1898.
Preliminary Examination	11	21	29
Junior Public Examination	7	5	8*
Senior Public Examination	—	1	6
Primary Examination in Theory of Music	—	—	4

* One candidate gained the University Prize of £10 for highest honours.

No. 17.—*Perth High School for Boys.*

RETURN FOR THE YEAR 1898.

(Particulars supplied by the Secretary to the Board of Governors.)

Number of regular teachers (males).	Scholarships on Roll last School Week, 1898.				Average daily attendance.	† Scholarships obtained during the year.	Scholarships current at the end of the year.	‡ Receipts.			‡ Expenditure.
	*Under 14 years.	14 Years and above.	Total.	No. of Boarders included in total.				Government Subsidy.	Other receipts.	Total.	
								£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4	§	§	68	15	69	2	5	1,250 0 0	1,332 8 1	2,582 8 1	2,486 4 9

* It is understood that, as a rule, no pupils are received under eight years of age. † Previous to 1896, two Government Scholarships of £50 each, lasting for three years, were awarded annually; the amount during 1896 was raised to £75. ‡ The financial returns of the High School relate to the year ended 30th June, 1899. § No record obtainable.

NOTE.—The Perth High School is subsidised by the Government, and under the supervision of a Board of Governors.

No. 18.—*Technical School (Evening Classes). Return of the subjects taught, number of Scholars, and number of Teachers employed during the year ended 31st December, 1898.*

(Return Supplied by Inspector General of Schools.)

Subjects.	Scholars.									Teachers.		
	Male.				Female.				Grand total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
	Age 14 to 18.	Age 18 to 21.	Age over 21.	Total.	Age 14 to 18.	Age 18 to 21.	Age over 21.	Total.				
English	12	12	10	34	30	56	30	116	150	1	1	2
Arithmetic	20	50	38	108	30	56	30	116	224	1	1	2
Geography	...	...	...	...	55	20	19	94	94	...	1	1
History	54	80	12	146	41	50	14	105	251	1	1	2
Algebra	...	21	50	71	...	...	...	...	71	1	...	1
Geometry	...	28	30	58	...	...	...	...	58	1	...	1
Mensuration ...	...	15	23	38	...	...	...	...	38	1	...	1
Chemistry	...	9	10	19	...	...	...	...	19	1	...	1
French	...	8	19	27	...	10	10	20	47	1	1	2
Latin	...	10	17	27	...	...	...	...	27	1	...	1
Drawing	12	50	10	72	12	24	...	36	108	1	1	2
Shorthand	...	30	38	68	...	...	...	...	68	1	...	1
Bookkeeping ...	...	15	30	45	...	...	...	...	45	1	...	1
Carpentry	15	15	25	55	...	...	1	1	56	1	...	1
Dress Cutting ...	...	...	...	...	20	7	6	33	33	...	1	1
First Aid	...	...	...	...	10	2	2	14	14	...	1	1
Singing	...	...	...	...	20	10	5	35	35	...	1	1
Physical Drill ...	...	...	...	...	60	25	24	109	109	...	1	1
Elementary Class ...	83	50	36	169	60	24	20	104	273	1	1	2
Total	196	393	348	937	338	284	161	783	1,720	‖	‖	‖

‖ More than one subject taught by same teachers,

No. 19.—*Victoria Public Library, Perth.*

(Founded in Commemoration of Her Majesty's Jubilee, 1887, opened on 26th January, 1889.)

Return for the Years ended 31st December, 1896, 1897, and 1898.

(Supplied by the Librarian, Victoria Public Library.)

Year.	Hours during which the Library was open.	Number of Visitors during year.	Number of Books				No. of Periodicals taken.	Estimated value on 31st Dec., of—		Amount for which the Library was insured.	Total amount paid as rent to end of year.			Amount granted by Government for the year.	Expenditure during the Year.																							
			In Library on 31st December.	Purchased during year.	Donated during year.	Copyright.		Books and Periodicals.	Furniture.						Books.			Furniture.			Salaries and Wages.			Maintenance of Library.			Rent.			Insurance Premium.			Other.			Total.		
								£	£	£	£	s.	d.	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1896	*a* 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	47678	15010	3295	681	5	*b* 16	5000	350	3500	841	13	4	2500	1279	17	2	73	4	3	576	8	0	41	15	10	100	0	0	8	15	0	96	4	0	2176	4	3
1897		52935	19671	4076	566	19	*b* 45	8000	500	3500	*c* 903	5	6	*d* 4500	1340	9	1	71	1	6	640	11	0	167	13	7	61	13	2	8	15	0	102	14	4	2392	17	8
1898		86801	29981	5724	4572	14	*b* 58	11303	1031	10000	*c* 903	5	6	2500	2410	10	4	161	17	5	809	4	8	333	18	2	*Nil*			22	19	0	232	9	6	3970	19	1

a On Sundays from 2 p.m. till 5 p.m. *b* Exclusive of Western Australian newspapers, all of which are forwarded to the Library in compliance with the Copyright Act. *c* Rent of the premises to 31st July, 1897, on which date the Library was removed to new premises. *d* Including £2,000 Special Grant for Books.

No. 20.—*The West Australian Museum and Art Gallery.*

(Founded 9th September, 1891.)

Return for the Years ended 30th June, 1897, 1898, and 1899.

(Supplied by the Curator, West Australian Museum.)

Hours during which the Museum and Art Gallery are open.	Year.	Number of visitors during the year ended 30th June.	Properties added during the Year to those previously collected.													Number of Specimens in the Museum at the end of Year.	Total estimated value of Specimens.	Estimated value of Furniture.	Amount for which Museum was Insured.	Amount granted by Government for the year.	Expenditure during the Year.							Total.
			Science Section.							Art Section.																		
			No. of Zoological Specimens.	No. of Botanical Specimens.	No. of Geological Specimens.	No. of Ethnological Objects.	No. of Books and Maps.	No. of Periodicals permanently kept.	No. of Objects donated during year.	No. of Pictures.	No. of Objects of Statuary.	No. of Black and White Drawings.	No. of Books.	No. of Periodicals.	No. of objects donated during year.						Salaries and Wages.	Pictures and Statuary.	Books and Periodicals.	Scientific objects.	Furniture.	Maintenance of Museum and Properties.	Insurance Premium.	
																	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Tuesday to Saturday: 10 to 5. Sundays: 2·30 to 5.	1896–7	12497	1486	55	980	38	138	3	2067	12	6	...	...	...	1	*	*	2000	5000	4000	586	1090	20	567	1238	181	7½	3690
	1897–8	37402	1742	9	312	358	44	2	1408	10	9	44	1	1	2	*	*	2300	8000	4000	803	1186	9	1481	362	174	10	4025
	1898–9	45983	4050	121	200	433	74	2	1159	...	1	9	...	1	1	25367	22000	3300	10000	3000	988	396	4	1113	560	223	14¼	3298

* Not given for these Years.

No. 21.—*Agricultural Halls, Mechanics' and Miners' Institutes.*

RETURN FOR THE YEAR 1898 OF THE AGRICULTURAL HALLS, MECHANICS', MINERS', AND OTHER INSTITUTES THROUGHOUT THE COLONY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA, OF WHICH RETURNS WERE FURNISHED TO THE REGISTRAR GENERAL.

Name of Hall or Institute.	Date of Foundation.	Number of Members, 31-12-98.	Number of Visitors, if any, during 1898.	Hours during which the Institution was open.	Number of Books in the Institution, 31-12-98.	Number of Periodicals permanently kept.	Estimated value of Properties (Books and Furniture).	Amount for which the Institute was insured.	Total cost of Building to 31st December, 1898.	Amount of Original or Special Government Grant.	Receipts during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.						Expenditure during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.						
											From Members' Fees.	Government Grant per year.	From Donations.	From Rents (letting Halls, Stalls, etc.)	Other Receipts.	Total.	Books.	Furniture.	Salaries and Wages.	Maintenance of Hall.	Insurance Premium.	All other Expenditure.	Total.
AGRICULTURAL HALLS.																							
							£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1. Balingup	1898	45	...	... ...	...	...	20	...	336	250	6	...	...	...	100	106	...	20	...	...	...	2	22
2. Beverley, East	21-3-96	30	100	When required	...	...	10	250	323	250	1	...	...	4	9	14	...	...	2	...	1	10	13
3. Blackwood, Lower ...	20-10-97	23	...	... ...	...	...	10	...	250	250	10	...	...	1	...	11	...	3	...	3	...	5	11
4. Blackwood, Upper ...	1-9-98	16	...	... ...	...	...	5	300	279	250	2	...	15	...	12	29	...	5	...	...	1	2	8
5. Brunswick	1894	...	...	When required	...	...	60	200	300	250	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	2	...	4
6. Cannington	6-7-97	36	...	Two nights every week ...	5	6	100	300	*a*	250	5	10	3	8	14	40	3	16	...	1	2	18	40
7. Capel (Coolingup) ...	1898	17	...	When required	...	...	12	...	278	250	2	...	20	...	...	22	...	12	...	...	...	...	12
8. Coogee	24-2-97	32	...	... ...	...	...	20	250	295	250	6	12	...	15	...	33	...	...	3	3	...	...	6
9. Cookernup	24-9-96	...	...	... ...	...	...	60	340	275	250	...	...	...	15	...	15	...	...	...	5	2	5	12
10. Coolup	13-8-97	30	...	All hours	8	1	56	200	313	250	...	...	23	11	...	34	...	46	...	6	1	3	56
11. Dardanup	18-3-94	5	...	When required	...	...	40	200	260	250	...	...	...	12	...	12	...	1	8	2	2	3	16
12. Dongara	30-9-98	...	...	Do.	...	...	10	...	387	300	...	...	...	28	...	28	...	...	...	10	...	...	10
13. Donnybrook	25-9-96	...	...	Do.	...	...	10	200	265	250	...	...	...	12	...	12	...	...	7	5	1	...	13
14. Goomalling	1-9-97	28	...	Once a month	...	...	14	...	388	250	8	...	2	...	1	11	...	14	1	...	...	...	15
15. Gooseberry Hill	11-12-97	27	...	... ...	50	...	20	200	350	250	3	...	40	9	...	52	...	2	5	2	1	...	10
16. Greenough	1897	45	...	... ...	...	...	25	...	200	250	19	50	19	20	35	143	...	...	10	5	...	109	124
17. Jandakot (Bibra Lake) ...	1-1-98	...	...	... ...	...	...	5	225	250	250	...	...	...	3	11	14	...	1	...	...	1	9	11
18. Jennapullen	16-3-97	26	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	30	7	55	...	571	300	13	20	14	...	64	111	...	5	4	3	...	36	48
19. Karridale	6-98	63	...	Evenings from 7·30 to 9·45	400	12	150	600	455	250	6	...	38	6	133	183	4	3	2	2	...	...	11
20. Kellerberrin	26-12-98	8	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	262	250	...	...	...	...	17	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Mandurah...	5-1-98	16	...	... ...	...	...	4	...	250	250	2	...	1	35	...	38	...	4	...	...	...	28	32
22. Mingenew	1-6-96	7	...	Tuesday and Saturday, 8 to 10 p.m.	110	...	73	...	250	275	7	...	...	26	4	37	...	21	12	3	...	1	37
23. Mourambine	17-3-97	6	...	Only for public meetings	...	...	56	...	245	250	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	2
24. Momberkine	17-11-97	...	...	... ...	...	...	6	...	254	250	...	...	5	...	27	32	...	7	...	...	...	...	7
25. Mundijong	20-4-98	...	...	... ...	...	...	75	350	288	250	...	...	9	34	...	43	...	65	...	...	2	...	67
26. Narrogin	22-11-98	...	150	... ...	...	1	32	...	288	250	...	...	29	...	14	43	...	5	...	...	...	...	5
27. Newtown	9-11-97	19	...	... ...	...	...	10	...	260	250	3	...	14	...	...	17	...	10	...	...	...	16	26
28. Northam (Temperance Hall & Bushmen's Home)	1876	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	1000	4500	10	...	5	...	249	...	254	...	5	23	10	45	171	254
29. Pingelly	9-93	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	246	250	...	...	...	12	...	12	...	...	2	9	...	...	11
30. Preston	8-96	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	259	250	...	...	1	7	10	18	1	...	2	1	...	15	19
31. Quindalup...	1897	...	...	... ...	...	...	5	250	249	250	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
32. Rockingham	1-9-97	8	60	... ...	3	1	14	250	298	250	3	...	...	34	...	37	1	13	67	...	2	...	83

33. Wagin	1896	45	...	Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.	140	8	32	400	413	250	11	20	...	17	2	50	26	12	...	4	1	3	46
34. Waigerup	9-11-97	...	...	...	4	...	11	...	260	250	...	...	...	...	26	26	...	...	...	...	...	26	26
35. Williams	1-6-98	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	250	250	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	6	12	...	...	...	18
36. Wongamine	12-1-96	16	4	1 to 7 p.m.	40	60	22	...	273	250	2	5	...	22	...	29	...	1	1	27	...	...	29
37. Wonnerup	12-8-97	19	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	250	...	...	...	...	*b* 34	*b* 34	...	1	...	...	...	30	31
				1898—Total for 37 Halls				...	14620	9135	109	122	233	590	513	1567	35	278	161	104	67	493	1138
				1897—Total for 34 Halls				...	13135	8010	108	415	422	437	396	1778	30	339	117	41	13	1664	2204
				1896—Total for 19 Halls				...	12661	3670	82	...	142	608	291	1123	16	214	114	40	15	656	1055

a. Not given. *b*. Probably inclusive of receipts under foregoing heads.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTES, Etc.

							£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1. Albany	1852	200	250	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	3000	46	200	750	450	*	97	25	...	5	22	149	35	...	45	...	2	58	140
2. Armadale	25-10-97	33	...	When required	80	...	100	300	325	250	21	...	30	10	30	91	3	60	6	15	...	43	127
3. Boogardie	25-5-98	37	...	7 to 11 daily	104	10	36	150	241	250	13	...	...	1	...	14	23	13	...	1	3	...	40
4. Boulder	10-11-97	16	5000	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	300	5	300	1250	1700	750	16	...	...	800	...	816	30	17	180	250	41	35	553
5. Bridgetown	1877	48	...	9 a.m. to 9 p.m.	...	8	260	...	900	250	14	7	...	46	54	121	20	16	26	24	...	35	121
6. Broome Hill *e*	1-7-98	18	...	When required	100	...	12	...	350	250	4	12	3	17	10	46	9	...	...	4	...	26	39
7. Bunbury	...	75	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	1173	12	75	325	750	...	35	25	...	31	3	94	...	...	25	28	2	57	112
8. Busselton (Weld Institute)	1862	9	...	9 a.m. to 6 p.m.	100	11	190	...	735	...	4	10	...	22	...	36	6	5	...	30	...	12	53
9. Do. (Working Men's Association)	1867	32	...	10 a.m. to 9·30 p.m.	800	8	175	...	500	225	22	30	...	...	27	79	54	18	...	...	...	7	79
10. Coolgardie	1-11-96	170	20000	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	2600	33	700	1785	1500	1000	250	45	21	162	52	530	105	41	215	...	27	171	559
11. Dongara	1876	34	12	8 to 10 p.m.	330	4	105	...	320	25	15	8	...	13	...	36	...	3	10	...	...	5	18
12. Esperance	8-6-96	45	6	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	288	8	100	150	250	250	31	...	38	...	...	69	...	...	13	26	4	2	45
13. Fremantle	10-8-68	435	21900	Do.	3008	74	700	1500	1004	1050	301	25	...	139	...	465	136	12	96	97	9	162	512
14. Fremantle, North	21-6-97	20	...	Do.	285	5	86	400	478	500	5	25	14	...	3	47	12	1	...	6	1	17	37
15. Gascoyne (Jubilee Library)	1887	25	...	All day	300	12	100	500	500	150	12	...	10	10	...	32	...	...	12	6	5	15	38
16. Geraldton	1869	110	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	1000	20	150	800	900	*a* 500	50	15	...	50	...	115	...	...	40	100	5	17	162
17. Greenough (St. Catherine's Hall)	1892	9	...	Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday	500	7	50	...	400	100	...	20	1	6	17	44	...	2	1	2	...	2	7
18. Guildford	1846	93	...	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	1450	30	200	400	600	*b*	45	12	...	40	...	97	30	...	14	30	1	22	97
19. Katanning	27-9-94	57	...	7 p.m. to 10 p.m.	400	...	50	50	*f*	...	16	30	...	...	7	53	14	2	16	...	1	18	51
20. Kunanalling	1898	35	...	Afternoons	200	12	31	...	288	250	26	...	8	7	18	59	10	16	5	15	...	6	52
21. Menzies	19-6-95	72	250	7·30 to 10 p.m., except Sundays	480	10	90	500	628	500	67	150	...	243	...	460	93	86	10	33	30	170	422
22. Newcastle	1874	44	...	9 a.m. to 9 p.m.	950	12	170	450	625	250	21	25	...	2	...	48	10	...	23	5	2	1	41
23. Northam	1-8-63	82	1200	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	1296	10	300	1000	880	25	37	13	...	68	35	153	21	...	34	20	3	54	132
24. Norseman	8-5-97	89	3000	Do.	550	...	120	350	425	500	72	187	...	1	7	267	64	...	50	...	13	25	152
25. Northampton	1878	45	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	376	16	50	...	763	15	18	15	...	10	1	44	7	...	7	26	...	39	79
26. Pinjarrah	1885	...	...	When required	...	...	...	300	820	350	...	8	...	6	...	14	...	60	...	5	1	10	76
27. Roebourne *c*	1884	20	...	9 a.m. to 9 p.m.	400	8	200	500	400	20	7	12	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...	5	15	20
28. Rottnest	1884	...	...	5 to 9 p.m	100	...	6	...	*f*	10	9	5	...	...	...	14	...	...	3	...	...	11	14
29. Southern Cross	*b*	...	...	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	450	9	159	...	625	525	10	12	41	58	8	129	46	33	58	20	...	4	161
30. Swan River	28-1-51	386	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	8000	83	1022	10000	10721	*d*	230	75	...	45	...	350	79	417	241	...	50	647	1434
31. Williams River	1887	10	...	6 to 9·30 p.m.	130	17	10	...	*f*	15	3	15	...	...	...	18	17	...	2	...	...	...	19
32. Wyndham	30-11-97	90	...	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	190	10	65	...	375	350	21	15	10	...	7	53	26	27	27	15	...	...	95
33. York	1-8-63	55	...	Do.	506	11	175	700	1050	*b*	16	37	12	69	12	146	60	128	20	7	2	5	222
				1898—Total for 33 Institutes				...	29503	8360	1488	858	188	1861	314	4709	910	957	1179	765	207	1691	5709
				1897—Total for 30 Institutes				...	14613	6120	1248	640	74	1237	486	3685	1210	985	785	281	82	2069	5412
				1896—Total for 23 Institutes				...	13313	1370	501	...	331	629	653	2114	678	198	357	133	30	767	2163

* Land on which Institute is built. *a* Grant of land in 1869, and £500 in 1896. *b* No record. *c* Return partly compiled from previous returns. *d* Grant of land in 1850, on which the Institute stands. *e* From 1st July to 31st December. *f* Not given.

No. 21.—**Agricultural Halls, Mechanics' and Miners' Institutes*—continued.

RETURN FOR THE YEAR 1898 OF THE AGRICULTURAL HALLS, MECHANICS', MINERS', AND OTHER INSTITUTES THROUGHOUT THE COLONY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA, OF WHICH RETURNS WERE FURNISHED TO THE REGISTRAR GENERAL—*continued.*

Name of Hall or Institute.	Date of Foundation.	Number of Members, 31-12-98.	Number of Visitors, if any, during 1898.	Hours during which the Institution was open.	Number of Books in the Institution, 31-12-98.	Number of Periodicals permanently kept.	Estimated value of Properties (Books and Furniture).	Amount for which the Institute was insured.	Total cost of Building to 31st December, 1898.	Amount of original or Special Government Grant.	Receipts during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.						Expenditure during the Year ended 31st December, 1898.						
											From Members' Fees.	Government Grant per year.	From Donations.	From Rents (letting Halls, Stalls, etc.)	Other Receipts.	Total.	Books.	Furniture.	Salaries and Wages.	Maintenance of Hall.	Insurance Premium.	All other Expenditure.	Total.
MINERS' INSTITUTES.																							
							£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1. Balagundi	8-98	23	...	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	214	7	56	300	391	500	2	...	...	...	1	3	40	16	8	6	14	5	89
2. Black Flag	5-97	26	...	2 to 10 p.m.	25	12	35	250	387	350	...	...	...	30	...	30	1	10	...	...	9	3	23
3. Bulong	2-10-97	18	135	7 to 9 p.m.	243	10	210	...	612	500	22	13	6	131	14	186	9	20	67	30	6	53	185
4. Cuddingwarra	3-5-97	12	150	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	50	7	40	200	322	350	6	...	...	20	...	26	15	7	...	...	9	1	32
5. Cue	12-12-94	60	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	596	9	210	300	693	250	32	45	...	96	3	176	3	...	78	...	5	117	203
6. Day Dawn	25-7-96	14	...	Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, from 7 to 9 p.m.	250	3	95	600	560	500	16	25	...	22	17	80	33	...	18	...	11	34	96
7. Goongarrie	12-95	16	...	Sunday and Wednesday, from 7·30 to 9·30 p.m.	200	3	125	...	242	250	14	...	...	14	...	28	26	...	26	8	...	...	60
8. Greenbushes	13-12-95	...	...	Any time	...	...	10	...	250	250	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
9. Kalgoorlie	3-95	164	3500	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	1310	37	873	1800	2624	500	119	15	...	1536	...	1670	156	60	390	191	63	346	1206
10. Kurnalpi	1-2-97	15	...	Do.	97	6	100	500	480	500	9	...	...	2	2	13	...	...	12	2	20	...	34
11. Lawlers	30-5-98	15	21	Do.	280	14	36	300	378	300	14	...	14	6	25	59	16	13	...	4	14	10	57
12. Mt. Leonora	20-4-98	41	...	...	...	...	8	...	263	250	5	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Mulgarrie	2 2-98	12	...	10 a.m. to 10 p.m.	350	...	20	...	202	250	5	...	...	11	...	16	...	...	18	10	...	...	28
14. Nannine	29-8-96	78	...	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.	490	24	85	...	510	500	66	12	5	20	10	113	38	10	40	15	...	7	110
15. Peak Hill	10-97	41	6	7 to 9 p.m.	...	6	70	...	*a*	250	10	...	179	...	...	189	65	5	...	...	...	51	121
16. Yalgoo	1-10-97	8	...	...	...	...	80	...	520	500	1	...	1	43	5	50	...	38	1	...	...	10	49
17. Yerilla	24-10-98	46	...	7 to 10 p.m.	250	14	35	...	347	350	11	...	3	2	...	16	18	...	...	7	...	...	25
1898—Total for 17 Institutes									8781	6350	332	110	208	1936	77	2663	420	179	658	273	151	639	2320
1897—Total for 13 Institutes									7881	5600	301	425	176	1943	135	2980	362	500	500	269	146	398	2175
1896—Total for 5 Institutes									4069	2250	92	...	45	366	118	621	56	440	181	100	105	67	949

a. Building not completed.

* This return is necessarily very incomplete, no particulars having been supplied by the following:—(1.) Agricultural Halls: Arthur River, Belmont, Drakesbrook, Greenhills (Northam), Katanning, Marradong, Mount Barker, Quellington, Smith's Mill, Wandering, and Waterloo; (2.) Mechanics' Institutes: Beverley, Broome, Kelmscott, Leederville, Mount Malcolm; and (3.) Miners' Institutes: Bardoc, Kanowna, Kimberley (Hall's Creek), Marble Bar, Mount Magnet, and Niagara. In addition, from the following places replies were received to the effect that the Institutes were being used for other purposes: (1.) Agricultural Halls: Meckering (District Roads Board and Church), Nabawah (Education Department); (2.) Mechanics' Institutes: Broad Arrow (Municipal Council), Victoria Park (Municipal Council).

The following were in course of erection at the end of 1898:—(1.) Agricultural Halls: Boyanup, Chittering Brook, Culham, Grass Valley, Harvey, Jurokine, and Moodiarrup; (2.) Mechanics' Institutes: Cottesloe and Helena Vale; (3.) Miners' Institute: Mount Jackson. An Agricultural Hall exists at Kojonup, but is not yet equipped as an Institute.

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No. 1.—Area, Population, Valuation, etc.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Date when Municipality was first gazetted.	Date on which latest Alteration of Boundaries was gazetted.	Incorporated Area of the Municipality on the 31st October, 1898.†	Population and Dwellings. Date when Inquiry was made.	Estimated Population within the Municipal Boundaries. Males.	Females.	Total.	Estimated Number of Dwellings within the Municipal Boundaries. Occupied.	Unoccupied.	Total.	Valuation of Ratable Property in force for Year 1897-98. Annual Value. Date when completed.	Improved Property. £	s.	d.	Unimproved Property. £	s.	d.	Total Annual Value. £	s.	d.
				Acres.		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	Albany ...	21-2-71	25-10-88	5540	March, 1899 ...	1900	1300	3200	...	...	(*a*)	Dec., 1897 ...	21284	0	0	7390	0	0	28674	0	0
2	Beverley ...	31-3-92	...	1280	November, 1898...	138	108	246	34	...	34	Dec., 1897 ...	542	0	0	683	0	0	1225	0	0
3	Boulder ...	6-8-97	17-9-97	391	July, 1899 ...	3000	1000	4000	...	...	(*a*)	...	...			...			(*e*)		
4	Broad Arrow ...	26-2-97	...	362	July, 1899 ...	650	400	1050	...	...	(*a*)	...	...			...			(*e*)		
5	Bulong ...	13-11-96	...	117	November, 1898...	400	200	600	80	16	96	Dec. 8, 1897	6890	0	0	724	7	6	7614	7	6
6	Bunbury ...	21-2-71	22-10-97	2188	Oct. & Nov., 1898	1613	1401	3014	348	...	348	Aug. 2, 1897	(*a*)			(*a*)			18718	0	0
7	Busselton ...	21-2-71	...	800	November, 1898...	278	250	528	84	9	93	Sept. 22, 1897	2723	12	9	91	15	0	2815	7	9
8	Carnarvon ...	4-6-91	...	2560	November, 1898...	242	87	329	...	...	(*a*)	Dec., 1896 ...	(*a*)			(*a*)			1600	0	0
9	Claremont ...	17-6-98	...	1158	Sept. to Nov., 1898	878	834	1712	367	5	372	...	...			...			(*e*)		
10	Coolgardie ...	6-7-94	13-9-95	1239	July, 1899 ...	3600	2000	5600	...	...	(*a*)	Oct. 31, 1897	97589	0	0	3494	0	0	101083	0	0
11	Cossack ...	1-12-87	...	491	March, 1899 ...	173	49	222	...	...	(*a*)	Oct., 1895 ...	2610	0	0	162	0	0	2772	0	0
12	Cue	1-6-94	...	160	September, 1898	413	133	546	66	2	68	Dec. 14, 1897	...			...			14612	10	0
13	Day Dawn ...	21-12-94	...	109	December, 1898...	108	66	174	22	9	31	Dec. 19, 1897	3696	5	0	140	0	0	3836	5	0
14	Esperance ...	27-9-95	...	200	Sept. & Oct., 1898	270	221	491	137	39	176	(*a*)	(*a*)			(*a*)			9905	0	0
15	Fremantle ...	21-2-71	8-9-92	1280	Sept. to Dec., 1898	6172	5084	11256	...	...	(*a*)	Dec. 16, 1897	(*a*)			(*a*)			129349	15	0
16	Fremantle, East	2-4-97	17-6-98	755	July, 1899 ...	1021	981	2002	...	...	(*a*)	...	...			...			(*e*)		
17	Fremantle, North	13-9-95	...	640	Sept. & Oct., 1898	1335	1168	2503	431	22	453	Dec 16, 1897	14999	0	0	4657	0	0	19656	0	0
18	Geraldton ...	21-2-71	...	1920	March, 1899 ...	1348	1153	2501	...	...	(*a*)	Nov. 22, 1897	22343	16	11	3924	0	0	26267	16	11
19	Gingin ...	23-2-93	...	336	December, 1898...	125	125	250	...	...	(*a*)	...	...			...			(*g*)		
20	Guildford ...	21-2-71	...	960	November, 1897...	698	650	1348	239	7	246	...	...			...			(*e*)		
21	Helena Vale ...	8-11-95	26-2-97	781	October, 1897 ...	729	495	1224	...	...	(*a*)	...	...			...			(*e*)		
22	Kalgoorlie ...	15-2-95	22-10-97	364	Oct. to Dec., 1898	882	751	1633	140	49	189	Nov. 17, 1897	(*a*)			(*a*)			117463	15	0
23	Kanowna ...	28-2-96	...	185	July, 1899 ...	1200	800	2000	...	...	(*a*)	...	...			...			(*e*)		
24	Leederville ...	3-4-96	...	906	Aug. to Oct., 1898	893	868	1761	553	40	593	...	...			...			(*e*)		
25	Menzies ...	30-8-95	12-2-97	955	March, 1899 ...	1600	400	2000	...	...	(*a*)	Nov. 12, 1897	29728	0	0	2290	0	0	32018	0	0
26	Mount Magnet	1-5-96	30-7-97	448	September, 1898	279	116	395	56	3	59	Dec. 7, 1897	6825	0	0	406	0	0	7231	0	0
27	Nannine ...	24-7-96	...	83	November, 1898..	89	26	115	27	1	28	Jan. 21, 1898	(*a*)			(*a*)			2455	15	0
28	Newcastle ...	2-10-77	...	800	December, 1898...	170	191	361	64	4	68	Dec. 6, 1897	(*a*)			(*a*)			2538	10	0
29	Norseman ...	17-1-96	...	308	Nov. & Dec., 1898	394	214	608	87	3	90	Dec. 1, 1897	9651	8	0	1396	17	6	11048	5	6
30	Northam ...	4-11-79	27-8-97	1337	October, 1898 ...	872	754	1626	257	57	314	Nov. 19, 1897	14430	0	0	4347	0	0	18777	0	0
31	Perth	*f* 2-1-71	17-12-97	1640	December, 1898...	13800	12800	26600	...	...	(*a*)	Dec. 17, 1897	(*a*)			(*a*)			268972	0	0
32	Roebourne ...	1-12-87	...	1920	November, 1898...	242	90	332	32	2	34	Dec. 19, 1895	2724	6	3	388	2	0	3112	8	3
33	Southern Cross	16-6-92	...	363	December, 1898...	302	201	503	32	6	38	(*a*)	5701	0	0	200	0	0	5901	0	0
34	Subiaco ...	26-3-97	...	1280	December, 1897...	2017	1389	3406	637	33	670	...	...			...			(*e*)		
35	Victoria Park	30-4-97	12-8-98	3923	December, 1898...	1126	891	2017	...	...	(*a*)	Sep., 1897 ...	(*a*)			(*a*)			11058	0	0
36	York	7-3-71	2-8-95	3120	Nov. & Dec., 1898	822	606	1428	255	3	258	...	...			...			(*e*)		

* On the 28th of October, 1879, the town of Northampton was declared to be a Municipality. No advantage, however, having been taken of the Proclamation, the name of the Municipality has been excluded from the present returns. † Supplied by Lands Department.

(*a*) Not stated. (*b*) No capital valuation made. (*c*) Unimproved land only. (*d*) Including improvements. (*e*) No return furnished when applied for. (*f*) Constituted a Municipality by "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1871" (34 Vict., No. 6). (*g*) No valuation made.

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NO. 2.—RATES LEVIED.

No.	Name of Municipality.	* Rates levied during the Year ended 31st October, 1898.			
		General Rate in the £.	Special Rates in the £.		Total Rates in the £.
			Loan Rate.	Water Rate.	
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1	Albany	1 3	0 7	...	1 10
2	Beverley	1 0	...	...	1 0
3	Boulder (*a*)				
4	Broad Arrow (*a*)				
5	Bulong	1 6	...	...	1 6
6	Bunbury	1 4	0 1	...	1 5
7	Busselton	0 9	...	...	0 9
8	Carnarvon	1 0	...	1 0	2 0
9	Claremont (*a*)				
10	Coolgardie	1 6	...	...	1 6
11	Cossack	1 0	...	...	1 0
12	Cue	1 0	...	...	1 0
13	Day Dawn	1 0	...	...	1 0
14	Esperance	1 0	...	...	1 0
15	Fremantle	1 2½	0 7½	...	1 10
16	Fremantle, East (*a*)				
17	Fremantle, North	1 6	...	...	1 6
18	Geraldton	1 0	1 0	...	2 0
19	Gingin				(*b*)
20	Guildford (*a*)				
21	Helena Vale (*a*)				
22	Kalgoorlie	1 6	0 5	...	1 11
23	Kanowna (*a*)				
24	Leederville (*a*)				
25	Menzies...	1 0	...	...	1 0
26	Mount Magnet...	1 3	...	...	1 3
27	Nannine	0 9	...	...	0 9
28	Newcastle	1 0	...	...	1 0
29	Norseman	1 2	...	...	1 2
30	Northam	1 6	0 3	...	1 9
31	Perth	1 6	0 6	...	2 0
32	Roebourne	0 9	...	...	0 9
33	Southern Cross	1 0	...	...	1 0
34	Subiaco (*a*)				
35	Victoria Park	1 0	...	...	1 0
36	York (*a*)				

* For Public Health Rates, *see* Table No. 26, page 34. (*a*) No returns furnished when applied for. (*b*) No Rates levied.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 3.—REVENUE.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Rates.				Government Grants received.			
		General Rate.	Special Rates.		Total Rates.	Ordinary Subsidy.	Road Grant.	Special Grants and Advances.	Total Grants.
			Loan Rate.	Water Rate.					
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	1792 6 7	837 11 11	...	2629 18 6	1711 10 5	3800 0 0	50 0 0	5561 10 5
2	Beverley	74 4 0	...	...	74 4 0	76 18 6	50 0 0	525 0 0	651 18 6
3	Boulder (*a*)	1570 16 8	...	...	1570 16 8	1418 15 4	...	2800 0 0	4218 15 4
4	Broad Arrow (*b*)								
5	Bulong	545 13 4	...	...	545 13 4	537 17 3	...	50 0 0	587 17 3
6	Bunbury	1100 17 9	68 16 1½	...	1169 13 10½	979 17 2	1050 0 0	50 0 0	2079 17 2
7	Busselton	117 14 1	...	...	117 14 1	122 12 1	100 0 0	...	222 12 1
8	Carnarvon	95 9 0	...	194 19 0	290 8 0	109 6 6	50 0 0	200 0 0	359 6 6
9	Claremont (*a*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	100 0 0
10	Coolgardie	5517 10 2	...	...	5517 10 2	5249 5 9	...	150 0 0	5399 5 9
11	Cossack	131 6 4	...	...	131 6 4	125 14 0	50 0 0	150 0 0	325 14 0
12	Cue	677 12 6	...	...	677 12 6	667 8 9	...	...	667 8 9
13	Day Dawn	185 12 9	...	...	185 12 9	190 8 8	200 0 0	...	390 8 8
14	Esperance	390 6 5½	...	...	390 6 5½	273 12 7	2000 0 0	...	2273 12 7
15	Fremantle	7310 0 1	3618 1 8	...	10928 1 9	7121 12 1	100 0 0	251 16 8	7473 8 9
16	Fremantle, East (*a*)	1192 14 9	...	...	1192 14 9	911 19 7	1000 0 0	756 10 0	2668 9 7
17	Fremantle, North	1371 19 9	...	...	1371 19 9	1317 17 10	...	1264 10 0	2582 7 10
18	Geraldton	1257 5 3	1234 17 0	...	2492 2 3	1316 2 2	550 0 0	1050 0 0	2916 2 2
19	Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	50 0 0	...	50 0 0
20	Guildford (*a*)	596 2 10	...	...	596 2 10	666 5 2	100 0 0	...	766 5 2
21	Helena Vale (*a*)	1043 13 0	...	...	1043 13 0	917 18 5	...	...	917 18 5
22	Kalgoorlie	6463 9 8	1269 13 3	...	7733 2 11	4988 10 3	1750 0 0	...	6738 10 3
23	Kanowna (*a*)	1561 15 2	...	...	1561 15 2	1421 11 10	...	962 10 0	2384 1 10
24	Leederville (*a*)	911 16 1	...	...	911 16 1	824 6 4	1931 13 2	306 0 0	3061 19 6
25	Menzies	1573 12 0	...	...	1573 12 0	1482 1 0	...	...	1482 1 0
26	Mount Magnet	503 4 11	...	...	503 4 11	473 4 6	100 0 0	500 0 0	1073 4 6
27	Nannine	81 13 8	...	...	81 13 8	72 14 10	...	...	72 14 10
28	Newcastle	136 16 6	...	...	136 16 6	139 14 8	50 0 0	500 0 0	689 14 8
29	Norseman	740 17 10½	...	...	740 17 10½	689 8 1	750 0 0	...	1439 8 1
30	Northam	1406 17 1	208 18 7	...	1615 15 8	1338 1 3	50 0 0	770 0 0	2158 1 3
31	Perth	20338 0 1	6679 7 0	(*e*) 36 13 2	27054 0 3	19045 17 10	100 0 0	13798 9 9	32944 7 7
32	Roebourne (*c*)	(*d*) 163 2 7	...	...	163 2 7	141 5 7	100 0 0	400 0 0	641 5 7
33	Southern Cross	303 3 11	...	...	303 3 11	226 19 6	25 0 0	500 0 0	751 19 6
34	Subiaco (*b*)								
35	Victoria Park	612 17 5	...	...	612 17 5	543 14 9	1075 0 0	300 0 0	1918 14 9
36	York (*b*)								

(*a*) Compiled from Annual Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette*. (*b*) No returns furnished when applied for. No statement for 1897-8 published.
(*c*) Including Board of Health Receipts. (*d*) Including Health Rate. (*e*) Arrears.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 3.—REVENUE—*continued.*

No.	Name of Municipality.	Gross Proceeds of Loans raised during the Year.	Income from Town Hall.	Income from all other Property belonging to or under the control of the Council.	Licensing and Registration Fees.	Fines and Penalties.	Interest.			All other Receipts (including Transfers and Refunds).	Total.
							From Sinking Fund.	From other Investments or Deposits.	Total Interest.		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	4000 0 0	100 10 0	...	201 17 1	8 14 6	95 7 11	23 6 0	118 13 11	25 16 0	12647 0 5
2	Beverley	...	...	...	9 17 6	4 1 9	...	...	...	30 0 0	770 1 9
3	Boulder (*a*)	...	...	430 13 4	21 11 3	35 0 0	...	...	...	1106 18 9	7383 15 4
4	Broad Arrow (*b*)										
5	Bulong	...	...	9 15 0	6 5 0	17 15 0	...	...	...	41 4 10	1208 10 5
6	Bunbury	6034 2 6	14 10 0	93 13 8	203 7 0	49 16 3	...	...	...	188 14 6	9833 14 11½
7	Busselton	...	...	5 2 5	45 11 6	5 15 0	...	...	...	...	396 15 1
8	Carnarvon	...	...	...	254 17 7	53 17 6	...	...	...	...	958 9 7
9	Claremont (*a*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69 6 9	169 6 9
10	Coolgardie	...	...	1288 3 1	428 14 9	167 18 3	...	...	...	749 11 1	13551 3 1
11	Cossack	...	...	1 15 0	25 5 9	5 10 6	...	...	...	32 8 1	521 19 8
12	Cue	...	...	3 3 0	90 15 0	45 16 6	...	...	...	85 0 1	1569 15 10
13	Day Dawn	...	...	1 0 0	8 8 9	8 1 6	...	...	...	0 1 0	593 12 8
14	Esperance	...	12 0 0	5 0 5	28 3 9	6 9 6	...	...	...	52 13 9	2768 6 5½
15	Fremantle	...	587 4 6	1262 17 2	1012 13 3	223 12 0	79 5 8	150 0 0	229 5 8	1413 4 5	23130 7 6
16	Fremantle, East (*a*)	...	...	...	45 16 3	...	...	...	...	160 16 11	4067 17 6
17	Fremantle, North	5940 0 0	...	6 11 0	102 4 3	24 11 0	...	...	...	343 11 11	10371 5 9
18	Geraldton	...	...	83 2 3	178 5 0	23 17 3	...	...	...	113 13 11	5807 2 10
19	Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50 0 0
20	Guildford (*a*)	...	...	80 0 0	84 1 3	5 5 0	...	...	...	12 15 1	1544 9 4
21	Helena Vale (*a*)	...	...	55 0 3	25 3 6	...	...	...	...	87 10 7½	2129 5 9½
22	Kalgoorlie	10029 4 8	67 2 0	1142 6 1	296 4 2	149 8 6	...	...	...	3680 2 8	29836 1 3
23	Kanowna (*a*)...	...	...	802 15 6	40 1 2	200 8 0	...	...	...	63 9 4	5052 11 0
24	Leederville (*a*)	...	...	...	73 2 8	...	...	...	...	180 2 3	4227 0 6
25	Menzies	...	...	22 14 0	37 17 6	34 0 0	...	...	...	36 15 2	3186 19 8
26	Mount Magnet	...	...	...	21 13 9	10 2 3	...	...	...	50 5 3	1658 10 8
27	Nannine	...	...	...	23 2 6	9 10 0	...	...	...	1 1 0	188 2 0
28	Newcastle	...	...	0 2 0	32 5 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	862 8 2
29	Norseman	...	6 0 0	...	28 11 3	28 12 6	...	...	...	255 8 2	2498 17 10½
30	Northam	...	186 14 8	62 12 6	149 6 6	83 1 5	...	...	...	273 8 1	4529 0 1
31	Perth	17885 0 0	664 6 0	2476 4 10	2525 15 10	462 0 8	320 17 1	344 15 2	665 12 3	4069 8 3	88746 15 8
32	Roebourne	...	10 0 0	...	142 1 0	5 11 6	...	...	...	156 11 6	1118 12 2
33	Southern Cross	...	...	219 14 2	19 12 6	32 3 9	...	...	...	...	1326 13 10
34	Subiaco (*b*)										
35	Victoria Park	...	...	...	62 9 6	...	...	...	...	0 14 0	2594 15 8
36	York (*b*)										

(*a*) Compiled from Annual Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette.* (*b*) No returns furnished when applied for. No statement for 1897-8 published.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 4.—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Salaries.	Office Expenses (Office Rent, Petty Cash, Postage, etc.).	Stationery, Printing, and Advertising.	Works and Improvements (including Salaries and Wages in direct connection therewith, and cost of Material, etc.).	Street Lighting.	Street Watering.	Disbursements in respect of Loans.				
								Flotation Expenses.	Repayment of Loans.	Interest on Loans.	Paid into Sinking Fund.	Total Disbursements.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	389 12 0	18 0 0	83 12 6	7384 4 0	279 7 0	...	...	4000 0 0	660 0 0	295 7 11	4955 7 11
2	Beverley	25 0 0	12 11 10	6 2 9	136 17 10	16 9 9						
3	Boulder (*b*)	(*a*) 1655 16 10	75 3 5	197 8 6	2191 16 5	10 10 0						
4	Broad Arrow (*c*)											
5	Bulong	136 19 5	23 18 9	35 12 2	258 15 1	34 18 6						
6	Bunbury	418 1 2	69 8 10	86 17 4	6068 10 0	149 8 9	...	...	...	12 0 0	...	12 0 0
7	Busselton	47 2 0	5 9 6	16 13 9	366 13 6	16 8 6						
8	Carnarvon	274 18 0	4 2 3	15 11 6	166 16 7							
9	Claremont (*b*)	25 5 4	2 13 6	7 3 6	85 11 3	6 10 6						
10	Coolgardie	1988 8 0	65 0 0	318 6 1	2779 10 4	1223 17 2	151 16 11					
11	Cossack	32 14 0	9 15 8	12 5 0	378 1 7							
12	Cue	224 1 10	8 0 0	40 3 9	1185 2 10	24 9 9						
13	Day Dawn	130 1 6	18 2 8	16 18 0	164 6 2	54 2 7						
14	Esperance	192 0 0	16 6 7	52 8 2	2112 14 10							
15	Fremantle	1075 1 0	...	265 12 0	27019 12 1	484 18 3	1191 8 8	...	...	2680 0 0	1279 5 8	3959 5 8
16	Fremantle, East (*b*)	187 13 4	36 5 10	73 7 0	2922 3 4	56 19 11						
17	Fremantle, North	326 6 7	44 2 1	188 16 8	3773 16 1	200 8 7	60 8 10					
18	Geraldton	470 13 9	6 8 11	117 6 2	1185 2 9	217 6 2	65 0 10	...	...	532 10 0	525 0 0	1057 10 0
19	Gingin	...	...	...	12 16 6							
20	Guildford (*b*)	172 18 4	28 17 10	43 3 4	1019 2 8	61 4 0						
21	Helena Vale (*b*)	180 0 2	25 14 3	95 18 7	1660 17 0	110 0 10						
22	Kalgoorlie	1664 0 11	231 0 0	296 17 0	17439 8 2	231 11 5	87 7 4	52 9 3	...	450 0 0	1424 13 2	1927 2 5
23	Kanowna (*b*)	394 17 6	29 2 10	181 19 6	1734 2 11							
24	Leederville (*b*)	254 8 9	24 9 4	145 12 9	3628 17 7	94 1 2½	84 9 4					
25	Menzies	551 1 7	27 5 0	156 15 4	338 7 7	29 5 0						
26	Mount Magnet	79 9 0	19 10 3	51 12 10	122 13 6	95 1 3						
27	Nannine	27 6 10	18 18 1	2 8 0	43 4 6							
28	Newcastle	10 1 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	162 8 7	21 5 0						
29	Norseman	325 17 0	29 8 11	65 13 3	1800 1 9	10 0 6						
30	Northam	317 18 0	48 9 5	96 18 1	1239 8 9	68 9 9	...	...	...	135 0 0	...	135 0 0
31	Perth	2195 6 7	183 0 7	641 2 8	73654 18 9	2282 5 1	616 16 3	44 13 9	...	3864 0 0	1820 17 1	5729 10 10
32	Roebourne	88 11 1	22 5 3	43 10 4	505 4 5	36 6 0						
33	Southern Cross	234 18 4	12 8 0	53 5 5	331 2 9	53 10 4						
34	Subiaco (*c*)											
35	Victoria Park	122 14 4	15 0 0	123 11 1	1674 18 11	25 1 9						
36	York (*c*)											

(*a*) Salaries and Wages. (*b*) Compiled from Annual Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette*. (*c*) No returns furnished when applied for. No statement for 1897-8 published.

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No. 4.—EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

No.	Name of Municipality.	Water Supply.	Grant to Local Board of Health.	Expenditure in connection with Town Hall.	Expenditure in connection with other Property belonging to or under control of the Council.	Grants and other Expenses in connection with Local Fire Brigade.	Additions to Working Plant and Office Furniture.	Interest paid on Bank Overdraft.	All other Expenditure (including Transfers and Refunds).	Total.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	...	...	216 11 10	...	...	...	...	186 1 1	13512 16 4
2	Beverley	...	...	12 16 8	1 0 0	...	0 18 6	150 2 9	...	362 0 1
3	Boulder (*c*)	...	...	...	1695 12 3	...	157 15 1	...	1379 2 9	7363 5 3
4	Broad Arrow (*d*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	Bulong	...	39 10 11	...	71 17 3	185 0 5	64 8 7	...	192 10 2	1043 11 3
6	Bunbury	...	317 6 4½	66 19 11	13 15 6	...	...	...	186 8 1	7388 15 11½
7	Busselton	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	...	87 11 10	544 19 1
8	Carnarvon	72 8 3	25 0 0	...	127 7 6	...	...	...	45 3 7	731 7 8
9	Claremont (*c*)	...	4 11 4	...	3 0 0	...	6 10 7	...	...	141 6 0
10	Coolgardie	...	277 1 0	170 13 4	901 15 4	2038 16 2	184 19 6	80 14 8	2865 5 11	13046 4 5
11	Cossack	...	...	...	7 0 0	...	86 4 0	...	62 1 9	588 2 0
12	Cue	...	100 0 0	...	...	17 10 0	101 11 9	...	148 18 8	1849 18 7
13	Day Dawn	...	80 14 9	33 2 0	...	...	1 10 0	1 1 0	38 3 2	538 1 10
14	Esperance	...	2 17 5½	5 17 0	14 0 0	316 8 4	7 11 6	10 19 9	147 17 9	2879 1 4½
15	Fremantle	...	150 0 0	2538 6 2	11233 18 2	350 0 0	921 0 11	86 2 8	765 1 0	50040 6 7
16	Fremantle, East (*c*)	...	...	...	135 4 10	...	39 12 5	...	223 17 2	3675 3 10
17	Fremantle, North	...	72 6 0	...	1059 8 8	95 17 0	101 5 0	...	395 17 1	6318 12 7
18	Geraldton	...	...	13 0 0	797 8 8	662 2 9	...	17 15 0	500 19 11	5110 14 11
19	Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	4 9 4	...	...	17 5 10
20	Guildford (*c*)	...	234 19 3	18 9 8	389 12 3	...	18 10 0	4 4 0	106 11 1	2097 12 5
21	Helena Vale (*c*)	...	30 14 8	...	...	...	...	...	197 9 6	2300 15 0
22	Kalgoorlie	132 14 8	(*a*) 630 0 0	...	674 17 8	176 18 6	1414 8 3	182 15 10	3174 12 2	28263 14 4
23	Kanowna (*c*)	...	351 15 2	...	2309 14 4	101 0 0	76 15 6	10 10 9	1224 1 11	6414 0 5
24	Leederville (*c*)	...	...	...	34 4 1	...	26 15 4	...	329 16 1	4622 14 5½
25	Menzies	...	201 11 7	...	...	250 15 1	23 15 9	47 9 3	419 18 3	2046 4 5
26	Mount Magnet	...	320 18 6	313 2 0	...	...	...	...	235 3 10	1237 11 2
27	Nannine	...	...	...	72 3 0	...	5 15 6	...	26 4 9	196 0 8
28	Newcastle	...	...	2 0 0	...	...	0 6 0	4 9 6	12 6 0	219 5 1
29	Norseman	...	...	9 16 0	307 17 8	...	162 2 10	...	425 2 9	3136 0 8
30	Northam	110 4 9	450 18 2	1894 12 3	95 10 10	296 8 0	...	52 6 0	350 2 8	5156 6 8
31	Perth	...	...	1331 2 4	4165 5 4	1339 15 9	843 3 10	...	7192 5 7	100174 13 7
32	Roebourne	...	(*b*) 45 5 6	6 15 0	153 7 6	...	...	...	34 4 7	935 9 8
33	Southern Cross	164 12 2	64 16 8	535 3 2	...	...	...	...	262 9 8	1712 6 6
34	Subiaco (*d*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Victoria Park	...	...	49 18 6	...	...	45 11 6	...	271 7 11	2328 4 0
36	York (*d*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(*a*) Loan to Local Board of Health. (*b*) Night-cart repairs and sanitary pans. (*c*) Compiled from Annual Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette.* No statement for 1897-8 published. (*d*) No returns furnished when applied for.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 5.—FINANCIAL STATEMENT.—ASSETS ON 31ST OCTOBER, 1898.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Assets.												
		Bank Balance.	Unpresented Cheques.	Cash in hand.	All Arrears of Rates still on the Books.	Accounts due to the Council.	Estimated present Value of Town Hall.	Estimated present Value of other Property owned by the Municipality.			Accrued Sinking Funds for the Redemption of Loans.	Fixed Deposits.	All other Assets.	Total Assets.
								Houses, Works, and Land.	Plant, Furniture, and other Property.	Total Value.				
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	2400 12 1	...	...	231 17 11	...	10000 0 0	...	350 0 0	350 0 0	2046 0 8	...	...	15028 10 8
2	Beverley ...	494 8 8	...	0 3 1	25 2 0	...	...	60 0 0	...	60 0 0	...	...	...	579 13 9
3	Boulder (*c*)													
4	Broad Arrow (*c*)													
5	Bulong	110 17 7	...	23 7 1	75 18 5	372 6 10	...	184 14 11	119 19 0	304 13 11	...	...	...	887 3 10
6	Bunbury	2080 10 4	...	16 7 2	(*a*)	...	750 0 0	200 0 0	...	200 0 0	...	...	...	3046 17 6
7	Busselton	51 15 3	...	...	28 11 10	...	...	650 0 0	30 0 0	680 0 0	...	...	...	760 7 1
8	Carnarvon ...	406 14 0	...	...	(*a*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	406 14 0
9	Claremont (*c*)													
10	Coolgardie ...	...	...	14 4 7	2063 14 4	91 10 6	1045 0 0	10297 18 0	4499 17 7	14797 15 7	...	...	...	18012 5 0
11	Cossack	59 10 3	...	...	9 3 8	...	...	...	57 10 0	57 10 0	...	...	...	126 3 11
12	Cue	511 15 10	...	...	134 15 0	...	600 0 0	...	330 7 2	330 7 2	...	...	...	1576 18 0
13	Day Dawn ...	58 17 4	...	...	20 8 6	92 16 7	712 19 0	200 0 0	115 0 0	315 0 0	...	...	...	1200 1 5
14	Esperance ...	37 17 10½	...	1 10 4	190 0 0	...	...	1000 0 0	100 0 0	1100 0 0	...	...	98 18 5	1428 6 7½
15	Fremantle ...	...	...	...	1000 0 0	...	20000 0 0	10500 0 0	900 0 0	11400 0 0	3794 14 11	...	...	36194 14 11
16	Fremantle, East (*c*)													
17	Fremantle, North	4358 11 2	...	...	265 9 3	...	220 0 0	1500 0 0	210 0 0	1710 0 0	...	...	...	6554 0 5
18	Geraldton ...	556 17 8	...	...	574 3 0	74 10 4	1500 0 0	1700 0 0	1200 0 0	2900 0 0	2440 17 8	...	...	8046 8 8
19	Gingin	92 15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 10 0	...	...	...	97 5 9
20	Guildford (*c*)													
21	Helena Vale (*c*)													
22	Kalgoorlie ...	718 7 8	...	47 12 4	2875 11 5	...	1400 0 0	14650 0 0	1550 0 0	16200 0 0	1424 13 2	...	...	22666 4 7
23	Kanowna (*c*)													
24	Leederville (*c*)													
25	Menzies	351 2 3	...	15 3 1	*b* 1106 7 6	436 12 0	400 0 0	1700 0 0	275 0 0	1975 0 0	...	...	45 15 2	4330 0 0
26	Mount Magnet ...	607 2 10	...	2 0 0	40 0 0	20 0 0	305 0 0	55 0 0	63 0 0	118 0 0	...	...	...	1092 2 10
27	Nannine	69 15 10	...	...	37 6 7	...	...	...	10 0 0	10 0 0	...	...	...	117 2 5
28	Newcastle ...	612 1 0	...	2 0 0	51 5 0	...	...	200 0 0	5 0 0	205 0 0	...	...	...	870 6 0
29	Norseman ...	251 18 1	...	12 16 8	124 11 2½	481 19 11	230 0 0	400 0 0	150 0 0	550 0 0	...	...	...	1651 5 10½
30	Northam	...	...	...	155 11 1	17 0 0	4500 0 0	140 0 0	330 0 0	470 0 0	...	...	77 15 6	5220 6 7
31	Perth	12561 10 3	...	...	6778 14 10	5206 10 8	80000 0 0	4378 6 0	8247 13 9	12625 19 9	13266 5 1	6053 5 2	...	136492 5 9
32	Roebourne ...	842 14 8	1 5 0	5 19 0	25 4 1	...	100 0 0	100 0 0	50 0 0	150 0 0	...	...	...	1125 2 9
33	Southern Cross ...	430 2 4	...	...	47 13 9	...	650 0 0	150 0 0	200 0 0	350 0 0	...	...	...	1477 16 1
34	Subiaco (*c*)													
35	Victoria Park ...	427 8 0	...	1 3 8	*b* 437 2 3	...	40 0 0	...	50 0 0	50 0 0	...	...	...	955 13 11
36	York (*c*) ...													

(*a*) Not stated. (*b*) Including arrears of Health Rates. (*c*) No returns furnished when applied for.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 6.—FINANCIAL STATEMENT—LIABILITIES ON 31ST OCTOBER, 1898.

No.	Name of Municipality.	LIABILITIES.								
		Bank Overdraft (unsecured).	Outstanding Cheques.	Outstanding Debentures and Bonds.	Accounts rendered but not paid.	Amounts owing on Mortgage or other Security given.	Approximate Amounts owing on Contracts not yet completed.	Contractors' Deposits.	All other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	...	...	10000 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	10000 0 0
2	Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	410 0 0	20 0 0	...	430 0 0
3	Boulder (*b*)									
4	Broad Arrow (*b*)									
5	Bulong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
6	Bunbury	...	...	6600 0 0	214 14 6	...	931 0 0	148 19 6	...	7894 14 0
7	Busselton	...	2 9 6							2 9 6
8	Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
9	Claremont (*b*)									
10	Coolgardie	808 2 3	...	...	...	1091 11 6	...	300 0 0	...	2199 13 9
11	Cossack	...	0 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 10 0
12	Cue	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0 0	...	25 0 0
13	Day Dawn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
14	Esperance	...	4 12 0	...	...	...	100 8 6	...	...	105 0 6
15	Fremantle	4254 17 1	...	60000 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	64254 17 1
16	Fremantle, East (*b*)									
17	Fremantle, North	...	...	6000 0 0	20 0 0	...	552 13 0	81 5 0	...	6653 18 0
18	Geraldton	...	...	10500 0 0	267 1 2	...	503 7 6	49 0 0	...	11319 8 8
19	Gingin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
20	Guildford (*b*)									
21	Helena Vale (*b*)									
22	Ka'goorlie	...	1168 15 3	10000 0 0	44 11 8	...	6297 19 8	12 0 0	...	17523 6 7
23	Kanowna (*b*)									
24	Leederville (*b*)									
25	Menzies	...	5 2 6	...	123 2 6	...	...	...	21 15 0	150 0 0
26	Mount Magnet	...	4 10 0	...	...	...	290 0 0	...	...	294 10 0
27	Nannine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
28	Newcastle	...	4 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	50 0 0	54 5 0
29	Norseman	...	7 5 8	...	...	...	680 17 0	117 6 0	7 10 0	812 18 8
30	Northam	733 5 11	85 17 10	3000 0 0	126 15 7	...	24 2 6	6 10 0	60 0 0	4036 11 10
31	Perth	..	...	75000 0 0	1763 12 9	...	4397 10 2	7668 9 11	(*a*) 17885 0 0	106714 12 10
32	Roebourne	...	...	...	...	...	330 19 10	30 0 0	46 14 8	407 14 6
33	Southern Cross	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
34	Subiaco (*b*)			...						
35	Victoria Park	...	...	...	...	...	277 0 0	...	215 0 0	492 0 0
36	York (*b*)									

(*a*) Deposits on Debentures not issued. (*b*) No returns furnished when applied for.

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NO. 7.—MUNICIPAL LOANS—AMOUNTS, DATES OF ISSUE, CURRENCIES, RATES OF INTEREST, ETC.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Loan No.	Amount Authorised.	Amount raised by issue of Debentures.	Where floated.	Date of Issue.	Currency.	Rate of Interest.	Amount paid off during the year under review.	Purpose for which the Loan was raised.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.			Years.	°/o	£ s. d.	
1	Albany	1	9000 0 0	4000 0 0	Albany ...	25-5-86	28	6	...	Works.
				2000 0 0	Do. ...	1-6-86	28	6	...	Town Hall.
				800 0 0	Do. ...	24-1-88	10	6	3000 0 0	Town Hall.
				500 0 0	Do. ...	12-3-88	10	6		
				1000 0 0	Do. ...	12-4-88	10	6		
				700 0 0	Do. ...	20-4-88	10	6		
				9000 0 0						
		2	2000 0 0	2000 0 0	Do. ...	1-10-88	10	6	2000 0 0	Do.
		3	4000 0 0	4000 0 0	Perth	1-3-98	16	4½	...	Part redemption of Loans 1 and 2.
	Total—Albany ...	...	15000 0 0	15000 0 0						
2	Bunbury	1	6000 0 0	600 0 0	Bunbury ...	20-9-97	20	4	...	Permanent Works.
		2	6000 0 0	6000 0 0	Do. ...	1-6-98	25	5	...	Do.
	Total—Bunbury		12000 0 0	6600 0 0						
3	Fremantle (*a*)	1	1000 0 0	500 0 0	Fremantle ...	18-4-83	27	5	...	Public Works.
				500 0 0	Do. ...	18-4-83	27	6	...	Do.
				1000 0 0						
		5	5000 0 0	5000 0 0	Do. ...	31-7-89	20	5½	...	Roads.
		6	19000 0 0	19000 0 0	Do. ...	5-12-94	27	5	...	Repayment of Loans and New Works.
		7	35000 0 0	35000 0 0	Do. ...	27-7-97	27	4	...	Repayment of Loan No. 4 and Public Works.
	Total—Fremantle	...	60000 0 0	60000 0 0						
4	Fremantle, North	1	6000 0 0	6000 0 0	N. Fremantle	1-9-98	15	5	...	Construction of various Streets.
5	Geraldton	1	4000 0 0	4000 0 0	Melbourne ...	June, 1889	20	6	200 0 0	Roads and Fire Engine.
		2	6500 0 0	6500 0 0	Geraldton ...	Jan., 1897	20	4½	325 0 0	Roads, Machinery, and Sanitary Plant.
	Total—Geraldton	...	10500 0 0	10500 0 0						
6	Kalgoorlie	1	10000 0 0	10000 0 0	Adelaide, S.A.	2-2-98	5	6	...	Purchase and Installation of Electric Lighting Plant.
7	Northam	1	3000 0 0	3000 0 0	Perth	19-6-97	10	4½	...	Works.

8	* Perth	1	6000 0 0	3000 0 0	Do. ...	16-5-81	27	6	...	Road Construction, Lamps, Tar-paving, Public Baths, Municipal Yard, Plant, Parks and Reserves, etc.
				1500 0 0	Do. ...	2-9-81	27	5	...	
				1500 0 0	Do. ...	16-11-81	27	5	...	
				6000 0 0						
		2	6000 0 0	1400 0 0	Do. ...	15-5-82	27	5	...	
				2500 0 0	Do. ...	16-11-82	27	5	...	
				2100 0 0	Do. ...	15-5-84	27	6	...	
				6000 0 0						
		3	8000 0 0	4000 0 0	Do. ...	15-11-85	27	6	...	
				1900 0 0	Do. ...	2-3-87	27	6	...	
				2100 0 0	Do. ...	2-9-87	27	6	...	
				8000 0 0						
		4	10000 0 0	10000 0 0	Do. ...	6-4-88	27	5	...	
		5	15000 0 0	15000 0 0	Do. ...	1-7-93	27	5	...	
		6	30000 0 0	30000 0 0	Do. ...	25-4-97	27	5	...	
	Total—Perth	...	75000 0 0	75000 0 0						

(a) Loans No. 2, 3, and 4 have been repaid.

* Deposits to the amount of £17,885 had also been received prior to 31st October, 1898, in respect of a loan of £80,000 issued in Perth at 4 per cent.

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No. 8.—MUNICIPAL LOANS—SINKING FUNDS.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Loan No.	Amount of Loan current on 31st October, 1898.	*Accrued Sinking Funds on 31st October, 1898.		Net Liability on Loan, 31st October, 1898.
				Amount.	At Rate %	
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1	Albany	1	6000 0 0	1966 0 8	3½	4033 19 4
		3	4000 0 0	80 0 0	3½	3920 0 0
	Total, Albany	...	10000 0 0	2046 0 8	...	7953 19 4
2	Bunbury	1	600 0 0	...	...	600 0 0
		2	6000 0 0	...	..	6000 0 0
	Total, Bunbury	...	6600 0 0	...	...	6600 0 0
3	Fremantle	1	1000 0 0	402 4 8	3½	597 15 4
		5	5000 0 0	1088 16 0	3½	3911 4 0
		6	19000 0 0	1603 14 3	3½	17396 5 9
		7	35000 0 0	700 0 0	3½	34300 0 0
	Total, Fremantle	...	60000 0 0	3794 14 11	...	56205 5 1
4	Fremantle, North	1	6000 0 0	...	...	6000 0 0
	Total, Fremantle (North) ...	...	6000 0 0	...	...	6000 0 0
5	Geraldton	1	4000 0 0	2115 17 8	3½	1884 2 4
		2	6500 0 0	325 0 0	3½	6175 0 0
	Total, Geraldton	...	10500 0 0	2440 17 8	...	8059 2 4
6	Kalgoorlie	1	10000 0 0	1424 13 2	3½	8575 6 10
	Total, Kalgoorlie	...	10000 0 0	1424 13 2	...	8575 6 10
7	Northam	1	3000 0 0	...	...	3000 0 0
	Total, Northam	...	3000 0 0	...	...	3000 0 0
8	Perth	1	6000 0 0	2974 12 3	3½	3025 7 9
		2	6000 0 0	2637 0 8	3½	3362 19 4
		3	8000 0 0	2577 16 8	3½	5422 3 4
		4	10000 0 0	2551 10 6	3½	7448 9 6
		5	15000 0 0	1614 17 4	3½	13385 2 8
		6	30000 0 0	910 7 8	3½	29089 12 4
	Total, Perth	...	75000 0 0	13266 5 1	...	61733 14 11

* Placed in banks at fixed deposit.

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No. 9.—Lengths of Roads and Streets.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Roads and Streets, 31st October, 1898.																									
		Lengths Constructed during the Year ended 31st October, 1898.												Total Lengths in Existence on 31st October, 1898.													
		Wood-paving.		Metalling.		Gravelling.		Forming.		Clearing.		New Roads and Streets surveyed.		Wood-paved.		Metalled.		Gravelled.		Formed; but not paved, metalled, or gravelled.		Cleared only.		Not cleared.		Total.	
		Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains
1	Albany	...		2	13¼	...		...		...		...		...		14	6¼	...		...		...		21	37¼	35	43½
2	Beverley... ...	...		...		0	24	0	43	...		...		...		...		1	74	0	59	1	12	5	0	8	65
3	Boulder (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
4	Broad Arrow (b)	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
5	Bulong	...		(a)		(a)		(a)		(a)		(a)		...		0	7	...		0	45	3	10	...		3	62
6	Bunbury ...	...		3	37	...		...		1	62	...		...		5	52	...		0	20	1	0	8	0	14	72
7	Busselton ...	...		0	18	...		0	41	0	4	...		...		3	37	0	45	3	6	1	38	9	55	18	21
8	Carnarvon ...	...		...		...		0	40	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		(a)	
9	Claremont (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
10	Coolgardie ...	...		0	31	1	16	3	41	4	57	1	14	...		0	76	1	16	8	73	24	57	13	31	49	13
11	Cossack	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		1	16	...		0	2	...		...		1	18
12	Cue	...		0	20	...		...		...		2	22	...		0	38	...		...		3	7	2	22	5	67
13	Day Dawn ...	...		0	10	0	12	0	18	1	0	...		...		0	30	0	40	0	40	1	40	1	0	3	70
14	Esperance (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
15	Fremantle (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
16	Fremantle, E. (b)	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
17	Fremantle, North	...		0	40	...		...		...		...		...		5	53	...		...		...		5	1	10	54
18	Geraldton ...	...		(a)		(a)		(a)		(a)		(a)		...		11	10	...		0	70	2	0	15	0	29	0
19	Gingin (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
20	Guildford (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
21	Helena Vale (b)	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
22	Kalgoorlie ...	...		1	16	...		...		3	40	...		...		2	8	...		...		10	12	...		12	20
23	Kanowna (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
24	Leederville (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
25	Menzies	...		0	56½	...		...		0	40	9	28¼	...		2	19¼	...		...		4	20	11	0	17	39¼
26	Mount Magnet ...	...		0	5	0	18	0	20	2	12	...		...		0	45	0	18	0	70	3	13½	1	34	6	20½
27	Nannine ...	...		...		...		...		0	40	...		...		...		...		...		1	22	1	52	2	74
28	Newcastle ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		1	50½	1	10	0	56	0	20½	0	13½	3	70½
29	Norseman ...	...		0	30	...		...		0	70	...		...		0	30	...		...		5	47	3	68	9	65
30	Northam ...	...		0	16	0	16	0	20	0	75	2	21	...		3	34	2	67	1	6	9	4	7	21	23	52
31	Perth	...		8	37½	...		8	37½	2	6	...		...		37	68	...		...		24	60	1	30	63	78
32	Roebourne ...	...		...		0	40	0	40	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		(a)	
33	Southern Cross...	0	30	0	60	...		...		0	35	...		0	66	0	66	...		...		4	70	...		6	42
34	Subiaco (b) ...	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
35	Victoria Park (b)	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	
36	York (b)	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...	

(a) Not stated. (b) No return of roads and streets supplied.

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No. 10.—WORKS UNDER CONTROL OF COUNCIL ON 31ST OCTOBER, 1898.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Waterworks.			Electric Lighting Works.	Municipal Wharves.		
		Total Length of Mains.		Estimated Value of Waterworks on 31st October, 1898.	Estimated Value of Electric Lighting Works and Plant on 31st October, 1898.	No.	Wharfage and Rent collected during year ended 31st October, 1898.	Estimated Value of Wharves on 31st October, 1898.
		Miles.	Chains.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Bulong	0	12	100 0 0				
2	Carnarvon	2	20	500 0 0				
3	Kalgoorlie	...		...	5011 1 5			
4	Norseman	0	42	706 0 0				
5	Perth	...		...	...	3	183 18 2	*

* Not stated.

No. 11.—PUBLIC LIGHTING.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Oil.	Gas.	Electricity.	Total Number of Lamps.
		Number of Lamps.	Number of Lamps.	Number of Lamps.	
1	Albany	34	11	...	45
2	Beverley	7	...	...	7
3	Boulder (*a*)				
4	Broad Arrow (*a*)				
5	Bulong	9	...	...	9
6	Bunbury	62	...	...	62
7	Busselton	7	...	...	7
8	Carnarvon	...	...	...	*Nil*
9	Claremont (*a*)				
10	Coolgardie	...	...	19	19
11	Cossack	...	...	...	*Nil*
12	Cue	8	...	1	9
13	Day Dawn	13	...	...	13
14	Esperance	...	...	...	*Nil*
15	Fremantle	27	73	...	100
16	Fremantle, East (*a*)				
17	Fremantle, North ...	17	2	...	19
18	Geraldton	...	29	...	29
19	Gingin	...	...	...	*Nil*
20	Guildford (*a*)				
21	Helena Vale (*a*)				
22	Kalgoorlie	5	...	10	15
23	Kanowna (*a*)				
24	Leederville (*a*)				
25	Menzies	6	...	...	6
26	Mount Magnet	18	...	...	18
27	Nannine	...	...	...	*Nil*
28	Newcastle	6	...	...	6
29	Norseman	2	...	...	2
30	Northam	32	...	...	32
31	Perth	61	358	...	419
32	Roebourne	7	...	...	7
33	Southern Cross ...	14	...	...	14
34	Subiaco (*a*)				
35	Victoria Park	6	...	16	22
36	York (*a*)				

(*a*) No returns furnished when applied for.

PART XI.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 12.—NATURE AND NUMBER OF REGISTRATIONS AND LICENSES ISSUED, AND AMOUNT OF FEES COLLECTED DURING THE YEAR.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Building Permits.		Commonage Licenses.		Cowkeepers' and Dairymen's Licenses.		Dog Licenses.		Hawkers' Licenses.	
		No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1	Albany	22	8 17 4	...	...	19	9 12 6	141	52 17 6	7	1 10 0
2	Beverley	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1 2 6		
3	Boulder (*e*)										
4	Broad Arrow (*e*)										
5	Bulong	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	6 5 0		
6	Bunbury	23	19 0 9	58	15 2 6	...	...	126	45 1 3		
7	Busselton	...	...	57	6 9 0	...	...	21	8 12 6		
8	Carnarvon	...	...	905	226 5 1	...	...	15	5 2 6	6	1 10 0
9	Claremont (*e*)										
10	Coolgardie	150	5 8 6	...	...	4	8 0 0	362	126 13 9	18	22 10 0
11	Cossack	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	16 5 0		
12	Cue	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	21 15 0		
13	Day Dawn	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	4 3 9		
14	Esperance	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	10 3 9		
15	Fremantle	117	259 14 9	1	3 0 0	29	36 2 6	280	102 10 0	298	105 0 0
16	Fremantle, East (*e*)										
17	Fremantle, North	33	37 1 9	...	...	12	5 5 0	88	29 7 6		
18	Geraldton	14	7 4 0	69	19 11 0	...	...	130	54 7 6		
19	Gingin (*g*)										
20	Guildford (*f*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	34 1 3		
21	Helena Vale (*f*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	6 12 6		
22	Kalgoorlie	12	99 19 6	...	...	(*a*)	(*b*) 24 19 8	(*a*)	12 5 0	...	(*c*)
23	Kanowna (*f*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	12 16 8		
24	Leederville (*f*)	(*a*)	6 3 6	...	...	(*a*)	12 1 8	(*a*)	21 2 6	(*a*)	10 0 0
25	Menzies	10	(*d*)	...	...	...	...	92	37 17 6		
26	Mount Magnet	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	11 8 9		
27	Nannine	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	6 2 6		
28	Newcastle	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	6 15 0		
29	Norseman	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	8 1 3		
30	Northam	...	...	...	...	31	13 17 6	93	33 15 0	14	10 15 0
31	Perth	(*a*)	793 13 6	...	...	(*a*)	24 5 0	(*a*)	194 7 6	(*a*)	289 13 9
32	Roebourne	...	...	(*a*)	89 9 6	..	...	(*a*)	22 1 6		
33	Southern Cross	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	6 2 6		
34	Subiaco (*e*)										
35	Victoria Park	...	...	...	...	3	6 14 6	41	16 0 0		
36	York (*e*)										

(*a*) Not stated. (*b*) Including hawkers' licenses. (*c*) Included with cowkeepers. (*d*) No fees charged. (*e*) No returns furnished when applied for. (*f*) Taken from Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette*. (*g*) No Licenses issued.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Stallholders' Licenses.		Vehicle Licenses.		Wood and Timber Cutters' Licenses.		Drivers' Licenses.		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
		No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.	No.	Fees.
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1	Albany	...	...	176	114 10 0	33	3 0 0	45	2 5 0	(*k*) 96	9 4 9	539	201 17 1
2	Beverley	...	...	7	8 0 0	3	0 15 0	...	...	...	...	13	9 17 6
3	Boulder (*h*)												
4	Broad Arrow (*h*)												
5	Bulong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	6 5 0
6	Bunbury	...	...	142	101 10 0	17	4 5 0	...	...	(*b*) 63	18 7 6	429	203 7 0
7	Busselton	...	...	41	30 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	45 11 6
8	Carnarvon	...	...	27	19 10 0	10	2 10 0	...	...	...	...	963	254 17 7
9	Claremont (*h*)												
10	Coolgardie	12	17 5 0	312	195 2 6	...	...	70	18 7 6	(*c*) 46	35 7 6	974	428 14 9
11	Cossack	...	...	14	9 0 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	25 5 9
12	Cue	...	...	98	69 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	153	90 15 0
13	Day Dawn	...	...	9	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	1	0 5 0	22	8 8 9
14	Esperance	...	...	30	18 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	28 3 9
15	Fremantle	36	35 10 0	586	398 10 0	183	45 15 0	144	18 0 0	(*d*) 16	8 11 0	1690	1012 13 3
16	Fremantle, East (*h*)												
17	Fremantle, North	...	...	56	30 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	189	102 4 3
18	Geraldton	...	...	160	97 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	373	178 5 0
19	Gingin (*j*)												
20	Guildford (*i*)	...	...	(*a*)	50 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	84 1 3
21	Helena Vale (*i*)	...	...	(*a*)	18 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	25 3 6
22	Kalgoorlie	(*a*)	68 0 0	(*a*)	34 10 0	...	...	(*a*)	38 7 6	(*a*)	(*e*) 18 2 6	(*a*)	296 4 2
23	Kanowna (*i*)	...	...	(*a*)	27 4 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	40 1 2
24	Leederville (*i*)	...	...	(*a*)	23 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	73 2 8
25	Menzies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	102	37 17 6
26	Mount Magnet	...	...	33	10 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	21 13 9
27	Nannine	(*a*)	1 0 0	...	...	(*a*)	16 0 0	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	23 2 6
28	Newcastle	...	...	37	25 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	32 5 0
29	Norseman	...	...	33	20 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	28 11 3
30	Northam	2	2 9 0	107	80 0 0	5	2 10 0	...	...	(*f*) 12	6 0 0	264	149 6 6
31	Perth	(*a*)	88 0 0	(*a*)	815 7 6	...	...	(*a*)	119 17 6	(*a*)	(*g*) 200 11 1	(*a*)	2525 15 10
32	Roebourne	...	...	(*a*)	30 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*a*)	142 1 0
33	Southern Cross	...	...	19	13 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	19 12 6
34	Subiaco (*h*)												
35	Victoria Park	...	...	72	39 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	116	62 9 6
36	York (*h*)												

(*a*) Not stated. (*b*) 28 Tent Licenses, £7, and 35 Miscellaneous Licenses, £11 7s. 6d. (*c*) Six Piggery Licenses, £10; 10 Condensers' Licenses, £10; three Slaughtering Licenses, £6; 17 Carters' Licenses, £5 17s. 6d.; 10 Bakery Licenses, £2 10s. (*d*) Three Shooting Gallery Licenses, £3 1s.; three Riding Gallery Licenses, £3; five Porters' Licenses, £1 5s.; five Bill-posters' Licenses, £1 5s. (*e*) Carters' Licenses. (*f*) Water Carters' Licenses. (*g*) Dancing Saloon Licenses, £1; Bill-posters' Licenses, £10 14s.; Hoarding Licenses, £173 17s. 1d.; Boat Licenses, £15. (*h*) No returns furnished when applied for. (*i*) Taken from Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette*. (*j*) No Licenses issued. (*k*) Sand, Stone, and Gravel.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 13.—NUMBER OF MEMBERS AND MEETINGS OF MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Number constituting Municipal Council, inclusive of the Mayor.	Municipal Meetings held during the Year.					
			Meetings of Ratepayers.		Meetings of Council.			
			General.	Special.	Ordinary.	Average No. of Members present.	Special.	Average No. of Members present.
		Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
1	Albany	10	2	...	23	(*a*)	8	(*a*)
2	Beverley	7	2	2	12	5	11	4
3	Boulder (*b*)							
4	Broad Arrow (*b*) ...							
5	Bulong	7	2	...	26	5	6	4
6	Bunbury	10	2	...	25	9	7	6
7	Busselton	7	2	...	12	5	8	5
8	Carnarvon	7	...	2	12	4	2	4
9	Claremont (*b*)... ...							
10	Coolgardie	10	2	...	25	8	43	7
11	Cossack	7	2	...	12	4	10	4
12	Cue	7	2	...	23	5	8	5
13	Day Dawn	7	2	...	13	4	3	5
14	Esperance	7	2	...	26	5	3	5
15	Fremantle	13	2	...	12	9	24	8
16	Fremantle, East (*b*) ...							
17	Fremantle, North ...	10	2	1	16	8	23	8
18	Geraldton	10	2	...	24	7	10	6
19	Gingin	7	(*d*)	(*d*)	(*d*)	(*d*)	(*d*)	(*d*)
20	Guildford (*b*)							
21	Helena Vale (*b*) ...							
22	Kalgoorlie	10	2	...	25	7	17	6
23	Kanowna (*b*)							
24	Leederville (*b*) ...							
25	Menzies	10	2	...	26	6	12	6
26	Mount Magnet ...	7	2	...	26	6	15	4
27	Nannine	7	2	...	24	4	1	3
28	Newcastle	7	2	...	12	4	10	4
29	Norseman	7	2	1	22	6	10	5
30	Northam	10	2	1	22	8	15	7
31	Perth	16	3	1	25	(*a*)	27	(*a*)
32	Roebourne	7	(*c*)	...	12	6	1	4
33	Southern Cross ...	7	1	2	12	4	21	4
34	Subiaco (*b*)							
35	Victoria Park ...	10	2	...	25	8	8	7
36	York (*b*)							

(*a*) Not stated. (*b*) No returns furnished when applied for. (*c*) Two Meetings called. No attendance. (*d*) No record.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 14.—MUNICIPAL COUNCIL—COMMITTEES.

No.	Name of Municipality.	MUNICIPAL COMMITTEES OF COUNCILLORS.																	
		Finance.		Public Works.		General Purposes.		Fire Brigade.		Health.		Town Hall and By-laws.		Lighting.		Miscellaneous.		Market.	
		Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.	Members, including Chairman.	Meetings held during the Year.
		Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.
1	Albany	6	2	6	12	...	...	6	6	...	...	7	1	...	...	3	1		
2	Beverley (*a*)																		
3	Boulder (*i*)																		
4	Broad Arrow (*i*)																		
5	Bulong	4	26	4	14														
6	Bunbury	5	10	5	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*b*)			
7	Busselton (*a*)																		
8	Carnarvon (*a*)																		
9	Claremont (*i*)																		
10	Coolgardie	3	38	3	54	4	16	3	17	3	10	...	...	...	...	(*c*) 3	8		
11	Cossack (*a*)																		
12	Cue (*a*)																		
13	Day Dawn (*a*)																		
14	Esperance (*a*)																		
15	Fremantle	4	12	4	18	6	9	4	12	...	...	...	...	6	12				
16	Fremantle, East (*i*)																		
17	Fremantle, North	4	9	4	13	...	...	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*d*) 5	1		
18	Geraldton	3	24	3	12	4	8	...	...	3	18								
19	Gingin (*j*)																		
20	Guildford (*i*)																		
21	Helena Vale (*i*)																		
22	Kalgoorlie	5	25	(*h*) 6	27														
23	Kanowna (*i*)																		
24	Leederville (*i*)																		
25	Menzies	4	18	4	4	...	...	4	5	4	4	4	5	...	...	(*e*) 3	1		
26	Mount Magnet	...	...	3	1														
27	Nannine (*a*)																		
28	Newcastle	3	3	3	9														
29	Norseman	3	22	3	22														
30	Northam	3	26	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	1	3	2						
31	Perth	7	30	9	39	9	29	...	...	7	29	...	...	...	...	(*f*)	23	5	18
32	Roebourne	...	...	3	6														
33	Southern Cross	3	12	3	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*g*) 3	10		
34	Subiaco (*i*)																		
35	Victoria Park	4	17	5	50														
36	York (*i*)																		

(*a*) No Committees. (*b*) Recreation Ground—five members, four meetings; Private Streets—five members, four meetings; Loan—six members, two meetings; Special Committees—five meetings. (*c*) Swimming Baths. (*d*) Private Streets. (*e*) Cemetery. (*f*) Special Committees. (*g*) Building Committee. (*h*) Public Works and Health. (*i*) No returns furnished when applied for. No record.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 15.—MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS—MAYOR AND AUDITORS.

No.	Name of Municipality.	Date of Election.	Number of Electors on the Roll.					GENERAL ELECTION OF MAYOR.						GENERAL ELECTION OF AUDITORS.					
			Entitled to					Number of Candidates.	Number of Electors actually voting.					Number of Candidates.	Number of Electors actually voting.				
									Entitled to						Entitled to				
			One Vote.	Two Votes.	Three Votes.	Four Votes.	Total.		One Vote.	Two Votes.	Three Votes.	Four Votes.	Total.		One Vote.	Two Votes.	Three Votes.	Four Votes.	Total.
1	Albany	15-11-97	473	225	54	118	870	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
2	Beverley	15-11-97	24	6	3	2	35	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
3	Boulder §																		
4	Broad Arrow §																		
5	Bulong	22-11-97	5	9	21	35	70	‡	...	...	...	...	‡	‡	...	...	...	...	‡
6	Bunbury	15-11-97	320	134	41	42	537	3	206	112	37	40	395	2	...	...	...	...	*
7	Busselton	10-11-97	81	10	10	5	106	1	...	...	...	...	*	3	...	...	...	...	‖
8	Carnarvon	15-11-97	...	...	...	...	†	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
9	Claremont §																		
10	Coolgardie	15-11-97	210	159	79	296	744	1	...	...	...	...	*	3	119	77	50	220	466
11	Cossack	15-11-97	30	7	1	4	42	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
12	Cue	15-11-97	18	40	13	46	117	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
13	Day Dawn	15-11-97	8	26	9	14	57	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
14	Esperance	15-11-97	...	...	...	...	†	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
15	Fremantle	15-11-97	1347	705	351	570	2973	2	423	293	149	319	1184	2	...	...	...	...	*
16	Fremantle, East §																		
17	Fremantle, North	15-11-97	234	167	34	54	489	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
18	Geraldton	15-11-97	158	52	18	60	288	2	136	48	16	53	253	3	121	42	12	46	221
19	Gingin ¶																		
20	Guildford §																		
21	Helena Vale §																		
22	Kalgoorlie	15-11-97	13	51	41	174	279	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
23	Kanowna §																		
24	Leederville §																		
25	Menzies	15-11-97	189	1	31	103	324	2	117	1	27	92	237	2	...	...	...	...	*
26	Mount Magnet	15-11-97	8	11	4	29	52	2	7	10	4	29	50	2	...	...	...	...	*
27	Nannine ‡																		
28	Newcastle ‡																		
29	Norseman	15-11-97	11	25	13	53	102	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
30	Northam	15-11-97	177	44	17	33	271	1	...	...	...	...	*	3	...	...	...	...	‡
31	Perth	15-11-97	1814	1055	246	444	3559	1	...	...	...	...	*	3	...	...	...	...	†
32	Roebourne	15-11-97	24	10	2	10	46	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
33	Southern Cross	15-11-97	22	16	10	23	71	2	19	10	9	20	58	3	19	10	9	20	58
34	Subiaco §																		
35	Victoria Park	15-11-97	575	42	10	15	642	1	...	...	...	...	*	2	...	...	...	...	*
36	York §																		

* No contest. † Not stated. ‡ No record. § No returns furnished when applied for. ‖ Elected by show of hands. ¶ No elections held.

Part XI.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Returns relating to Municipalities for the Year ended 31st October, 1898—continued.

No. 16.—Municipal Elections—Councillors.

No.	Name of Municipality.	The General Election of Councillors for each Ward for the Year.									
		Name of Ward.	Date of Election.	Number of Vacancies to fill.	Number of Candidates.	Number of Electors on the Roll.			Number of Electors actually voting.		
						Entitled to			Entitled to		
						One Vote.	Two Votes.	Total.	One Vote.	Two Votes.	Total.
1	Albany	North	15-11-97	1	2	488	63	551	...	...	‡
		East ...	15-11-97	1	1	149	73	222	...	...	*
		West...	15-11-97	1	2	190	52	242	...	...	‡
	Total, Albany	...	...	3	5	827	188	1015			
2	Beverley	...	15-11-97	2	2	30	5	35	...	...	*
3	Boulder §										
4	Broad Arrow §										
5	Bulong	...	22-11-97	‡	‡	14	56	70	...	...	‡
6	Bunbury	North	15-11-97	1	2	126	36	162	107	32	139
		Central	15-11-97	1	3	50	17	67	44	13	57
		South	15-11-97	1	3	345	27	372	202	23	225
	Total, Bunbury ...	...	...	3	8	521	80	601	353	68	421
7	Busselton	...	15-11-97	2	2	91	15	106	...	...	*
8	Carnarvon	...	†	†	†	...	...	†	...	...	†
9	Claremont §										
10	Coolgardie	...	15-11-97	3	3	369	375	744	...	...	*
11	Cossack	...	16-11-97	3	2	37	5	42	...	...	*
12	Cue	...	15-11-97	2	2	58	59	117	...	...	*
13	Day Dawn	...	15-11-97	3	3	34	23	57	...	...	*
14	Esperance	...	†	†	†	...	...	†	...	...	†
15	Fremantle	North	15-11-97	1	3	184	286	470	180	120	300
		South	15-11-97	1	1	1524	314	1838	...	...	*
		East ...	15-11-97	1	2	284	127	411	97	55	152
		West...	15-11-97	1	3	218	290	508	94	151	245
	Total, Fremantle ...	...	...	4	9	2210	1017	3227	371	326	697
16	Fremantle, East §										
17	Fremantle, North	...	15-11-97	3	9	401	88	489	129	33	162
18	Geraldton	East ...	15-11-97	1	1	128	21	149	...	...	*
		West...	15-11-97	1	1	53	13	66	...	...	*
		Central	15-11-97	1	2	93	45	138	75	36	111
	Total, Geraldton ...	...	...	3	4	274	79	353	75	36	111
19	Gingin ¶										
20	Guildford §										
21	Helena Vale §										
22	Kalgoorlie	...	15-11-97	3	6	64	215	279	†	†	157
23	Kanowna §										
24	Leederville §										
25	Menzies	...	15-11-97	3	6	190	134	324	108	94	202
26	Mount Magnet	...	15-11-97	2	3	19	33	52	18	32	50
27	Nannine ‡										
28	Newcastle	East ...	15-11-97	1	2	...	...	‡	...	...	‡
		West...	15-11-97	1	2	...	...	‡	...	...	‡
29	Norseman	...	18-11-97	4	7	36	66	102	...	...	‡
30	Northam	West...	15-11-97	1	1	104	11	115	...	...	*
		Central	15-11-97	1	2	65	24	89	22	16	38
		East ...	15-11-97	1	2	78	17	95	37	13	50
	Total, Northam ...	...	...	3	5	247	52	299	59	29	88
31	Perth	North	15-11-97	1	2	...	...	†	...	...	†
		South	15-11-97	1	5	...	...	†	...	...	†
		East ...	15-11-97	1	2	...	...	†	...	...	†
		West...	15-11-97	1	1	...	...	†	...	...	*
		Central	15-11-97	1	4	...	...	†	...	...	†
	Total, Perth	...	...	5	14						
32	Roebourne	...	15-11-97	2	2	34	12	46	...	...	*
33	Southern Cross	...	15-11-97	2	6	38	33	71	27	28	55
34	Subiaco §										
35	Victoria Park	...	15-11-97	3	5	617	25	642	...	...	‡
36	York §										

* No contest. † Not stated. ‡ No record. § No returns furnished when applied for. ¶ No elections held.

Part XI.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

II.—*Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898, compiled from the Annual Statements published in the "Government Gazette" and from Returns supplied by the respective Roads Boards.*

No. 17.—Area, Population, Valuation, etc.

No.	Name of Roads Board District.	Date when Roads Board District was first gazetted.	Date on which latest alteration of Boundaries was gazetted.	Approximate Area of District on 31st December, 1898. *	Estimated Population on 31st December, 1898.	Valuation of Ratable Property in force for the year.				General Rate in the £ levied during the year.	
						Date completed.	Net Annual Value.				
				Square miles.			£	s.	d.	s.	d.
1	Albany	10-4-96	...	5372·25	(*a*)						
2	Arthur	10-2-87 †	10-1-96	4156·25	575						
3	Arthur, West	10-1-96	...	811·65	130						
4	Ashburton (*b*)	10-2-87 †	22-6-94	25581·25							
5	Augusta (*b*)	16-4-91	...	424·25							
6	Bamboo	4-9-96	...	67393·75	170						
7	Bayswater	5-3-97	...	10·06	700	Dec., 1897	12687	0	0	0	6
8	Belmont (*c*)	9-12-98	...	8·00							
9	Beverley	10-2-87 †	18-10-95	872·88	...	2nd Dec., 1897	5175	0	0		
10	Beverley, East	18-10-95	...	2753·75	200						
11	Blackwood, Lower	20-2-90	19-5-92	1730·50	100						
12	Blackwood, Upper	17-7-96	...	1236·00	300						
13	Broome Hill	19-5-92	...	1371·65	350						
14	Brunswick	14-12-94	...	1097·50	1950						
15	Bunbury	15-6-94	14-12-94	168·58	(*a*)						
16	Canning	10-2-87 †	27-11-96	77·31	900						
17	Chittering	10-1-96	...	360·75	195	(*a*)	1438	0	0		
18	Claremont (*b*)	30-3-93	4-10-95	4·19							
19	Coolgardie	7-8-96	...	11029·31	(*a*)						
20	Coolgardie, North	5-8-98	...	70867·50	5000						
21	Coolgardie, North-East	19-6-96	...	22675·00	6750	8th Dec., 1897	2400	0	0	1	0
22	Cottesloe	4-10-95	...	1·50	1000	7th Dec., 1897	10107	0	0	1	0
23	Cue (*b*)	6-12-95	...	42982·40							
24	Dandaraga	27-2-90	...	2817·75	260						
25	Dardanup	14-12-94	...	936·00	1800						
26	Darling Range	30-4-97	...	237·06	1200						
27	Drakesbrook	29-4-98	...	337·00	800						
28	Dundas	15-2-95	13-9-95	43349·51	1500						
29	Esperance	13-9-95	...	15770·93	250						
30	Fremantle	10-2-87 †	9-7-97	68·38	(*a*)						
31	Gascoyne, Lower	10-2-87 †	9-2-93	10846·00	400						
32	Gascoyne, Upper	10-2-87 †	28-5-97	133900·00							
33	Geraldton	10-2-87 †	...	1043·00	(*a*)						
34	Gingin	12-1-93	...	1436·97	800						
35	Goomalling	18-1-95	23-7-97	1736·52	1000	31st Dec., 1897	3491	0	0		
36	Greenhills	15-12-92	...	732·75	261						
37	Greenough	10-2-87 †	22-2-95	2063·75	(*a*)						
38	Irwin	10-2-87 †	22-2-95	38300·00	(*a*)						
39	Jandakot	26-11-91	16-7-97	48·50	167						
40	Kalgoorlie (*b*)	19-6-96	...	646·78							
41	Katanning (*b*)	19-5-92	...	1625·00							
42	Kelmscott	14-12-94	...	199·00	480						
43	Kimberley Goldfields	10-2-87 †	...	46548·25	225						
44	Kimberley, West (*b*)	10-2-87 †	...	55042·10							
45	Kojonup	10-2-87 †	19-5-92	1062·00	300						
46	Marradong (*b*)	19-5-92	14-5-97	584·12							
47	Meckering	14-12-94	...	2221·50	(*a*)	(*a*)	1868	0	0		
48	Minilya	9-2-93	13-5-98	5020·00	60						
49	Minilya, Lower	13-5-98	...	2999·00	55						
50	Moorumbine	24-12-91	6-7-94	1268·50	(*a*)						
51	Murchison	10-2-87 †	13-10-93	9773·00	(*a*)						
52	Murray	10-2-87 †	29-4-98	820·00	400						
53	Nannine	13-10-93	6-12-95	65655·86	800						
54	Narrogin	19-5-92	22-2-95	12418·75	450						
55	Nelson	10-2-87 †	19-5-92	3130·00	1200						
56	Northam	10-2-87 †	18-9-96	395·91	(*a*)						
57	Northampton	10-2-87 †	...	11418·75	450						
58	Nullagine (*c*)	8-7-98	...	92517·00							
59	Peak Hill	28-5-97	...	40006·00	350						
60	Peppermint Grove	4-10-95	...	2·00	1192	7th Dec., 1897	15150	0	0	0	9
61	Perth	10-2-87 †	30-4-97	193·64	(*a*)						
62	Perth, South	9-6-92	28-1-98	4·00	1100	15th Dec., 1897	23297	0	0	0	9
63	Pilbarra (*b*)	22-6-94	8-7-98	14356·00							
64	Plantagenet	10-2-87 †	22-2-95	6364·50	(*a*)	(*a*)	2048	0	0		
65	Preston (*b*)	10-7-96	...	234·00							
66	Rockingham (*b*)	5-2-97	...	90·56							
67	Roebourne	10-2-87 †	22-6-94	8880·60	90						
68	Serpentine	27-11-96	...	362·50	1500						
69	Sussex	10-2-87 †	16-4-91	994·75	650						
70	Swan	10-2-87 †	30-4-97	491·87	(*a*)						
71	Tableland	3-1-96	...	16021·00	(*a*)	(*a*)	1560	0	0		
72	Toodyay	10-2-87 †	23-7-97	655·36	(*a*)						
73	Victoria Plains	10-2-87 †	23-7-97	5133·75	630						
74	Wandering	10-2-87 †	6-7-94	983·65	220						
75	Williams	10-2-87 †	19-5-92	869·00	(*a*)						
76	Wyndham	10-2-87 †	...	29734·50	100						
77	Yalgoo	15-5-96	...	8496·00	2500						
78	Yilgarn	24-12-91	22-2-95	12936·93	1000						
79	York (*b*)	10-2-87 †	14-12-94	1089·57							

* Supplied by Lands Department. † Date when boundaries were finally gazetted under "The District Roads Board Act, 1871" (34 Vict., No. 26).
(*a*) Not stated. (*b*) No return supplied. (*c*) New board. Not working during 1898.

MAP OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

SHOWING NAMES & BOUNDARIES OF

ROADS BOARD DISTRICTS

IN RED

Scale of Miles

31st Dec. 1898

50 40 30 20 10 0 50 100 150 200
WYNDHAM
KIMBERLEY DIVISn
WEST KIMBERLEY
KIMBERLEY G.F.
KIMBERLEY GOLDFIELD
BUCCANEER ARCHIPELAGO
DAMPIER'S ARCHIPELAGO
BROOME
DERBY
BAMBOO
ROEBOURNE
PILBARRA
WEST PILBARRA G.F.
PILBARRA DIVISn
PILBARRA GOLDFIELD
MARBLE BAR
TABLELAND
NULLAGINE
ONSLOW
ASHBURTON
NORTH ASHBURTON
WINDELL
Tropic of Capricorn
UPPER GASCOYNE
GASCOYNE
GASCOYNE G.F.
LOWER MINILYA
MINILYA
CARNARVON
LOWER GASCOYNE
PEAK HILL
PEAK HILL G.F.
WESTERN DIVISION
EASTERN DIVISION
GLADSTONE
MURCHISON
MURCHISON G.F.
EDEL
NANNINE
EAST MURCHISON G.F.
CUE
MT MARGARET
MT MARGARET G.F.
NORTHAMPTON
YALGOO
GREENOUGH
GERALDTON
NORTH COOLGARDIE G.F.
NORTH COOLGARDIE
IRWIN
DANDARAGAN
VICTORIA PLAINS
GINGIN
YILGARN
YILGARN G.F.
COOLGARDIE
NORTH EAST COOLGARDIE
NORTH EAST COOLGARDIE G.F.
DIVISION
FRASER
BALLADONIA
EUCLA
DUNDAS
DUNDAS G.F.
ESPERANCE
PERTH
FREMANTLE
SEE ENLARGEMENT
BEVERLEY
NARROGIN
ARTHUR
KATANNING
PLANTAGENET
ALBANY
BUNBURY
SUSSEX
NELSON
BRIDGETOWN
INDIAN OCEAN
SOUTHERN OCEAN
SOUTH AUSTRALIA
ARCHIPELAGO OF THE RECHERCHE
Longitude 121 East from Greenwich
ENLARGED PLAN OF PERTH DISTRICTS
SWAN
BAYSWATER
BELMONT
CITY OF PERTH
SUBIACO
CLAREMONT
COTTESLOE
MELVILLE WATER
VICTORIA PARK
CANNING
FREMANTLE
DARLING RANGE

NOTE—MUNICIPALITIES MARKED THUS ▨

Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898—continued.

No. 18.—VEHICLE LICENSES.

No.	Name of Roads Board.	Vehicle Licenses.				No.	Name of Roads Board.	Vehicle Licenses.			
		Number.	Amount of Fees collected.					Number.	Amount of Fees collected.		
			£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
1	Albany	90	51	10	0	41	Katanning (*a*)				
2	Arthur	76	48	5	0	42	Kelmscott	62	42	5	0
3	Arthur, West	22	13	3	0	43	Kimberley Goldfields	24	16	0	0
4	Ashburton (*a*)					44	Kimberley, West (*a*)				
5	Augusta (*b*)	(*e*)	22	10	0	45	Kojonup	36	26	6	0
6	Bamboo	27	21	10	0	46	Marradong (*b*)	(*e*)	19	0	0
7	Bayswater	19	9	5	0	47	Meckering	45	29	0	0
8	Belmont (*c*)					48	Minilya (*b*)	(*e*)	19	13	4
9	Beverley	40	63	10	0	49	Minilya, Lower				
10	Beverley, East	36	26	18	6	50	Moorumbine	54	39	10	0
11	Blackwood, Lower	21	13	10	0	51	Murchison	12	11	0	0
12	Blackwood, Upper	37	21	5	6	52	Murray	120	79	15	0
13	Broome Hill	62	45	5	0	53	Nannine				
14	Brunswick	(*f*) 157	(*f*) 111	14	6	54	Narrogin	30	23	0	0
15	Bunbury	193	47	10	0	55	Nelson	108	77	15	0
16	Canning	56	34	15	0	56	Northam	277	238	10	0
17	Chittering	50	35	5	0	57	Northampton	88	61	5	0
18	Claremont (*a*)					58	Nullagine (*c*)				
19	Coolgardie	109	40	10	0	59	Peak Hill	27	16	10	0
20	Coolgardie North					60	Peppermint Grove (*d*)	5	2	10	0
21	Coolgardie, North-East					61	Perth	97	52	5	0
22	Cottesloe (*g*)	28	14	15	0	62	Perth, South	24	13	10	0
23	Cue					63	Pilbarra (*b*)	(*e*)	53	0	0
24	Dandaraga	40	29	0	0	64	Plantagenet	84	63	0	0
25	Dardanup	95	58	10	0	65	Preston (*a*)				
26	Darling Range	7	3	10	0	66	Rockingham (*b*)	(*e*)	21	10	0
27	Drakesbrook	13	5	10	0	67	Roebourne	34	25	10	0
28	Dundas					68	Serpentine	58	40	10	0
29	Esperance	15	12	0	0	69	Sussex	103	88	14	6
30	Fremantle	108	61	15	0	70	Swan	91	83	10	0
31	Gascoyne, Lower	22	11	7	6	71	Tableland	28	23	15	0
32	Gascoyne, Upper (*a*)					72	Toodyay	145	110	15	0
33	Geraldton	53	33	0	0	73	Victoria Plains	92	60	0	0
34	Gingin	70	42	14	0	74	Wandering	30	21	0	0
35	Goomalling	92	70	10	0	75	Williams	21	26	14	6
36	Greenhills	62	53	10	0	76	Wyndham (*a*)				
37	Greenough	128	128	10	0	77	Yalgoo	32	23	10	0
38	Irwin	140	115	5	0	78	Yilgarn (*h*)				
39	Jandakot	8	4	5	0	79	York (*a*)				
40	Kalgoorlie (*a*)										

(*a*) No return furnished. No statement published. (*b*) Taken from annual statement published in *Government Gazette*. (*c*) New Board. Not working during 1898. (*d*) Five dog licenses, amounting to £1 5s., were also issued. (*e*) Not stated. (*f*) Including "Other Licenses" issued to the amount of £15. (*g*) Dog licenses amounting to £3 5s. were also issued. (*h*) No Licenses issued.

Part XI.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898—continued.

No. 19.—Revenue.

No.	Name of Roads Board.	General Rate.	Income from property owned or controlled by the Board.	Fines and Penalties.	Licensing Fees.	Government Grants.	All other receipts (including transfers and refunds).	Total Revenue.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	...	...	...	51 10 0	520 0 0	10 6 0	581 16 0
2	Arthur	...	...	...	48 5 0	625 0 0	...	673 5 0
3	Arthur, West	...	...	...	13 3 0	400 0 0	...	413 3 0
4	Ashburton (*a*)							
5	Augusta (*b*)	...	...	...	22 10 0	700 0 0	...	722 10 0
6	Bamboo	...	...	...	21 10 0	550 0 0	...	571 10 0
7	Bayswater	247 13 9	1 17 0	...	9 5 0	350 0 0	44 3 3	652 19 0
8	Belmont (*d*)							
9	Beverley	...	...	...	63 10 0	500 0 0	...	563 10 0
10	Beverley, East	...	...	...	26 18 6	500 0 0	...	526 18 6
11	Blackwood, Lower	...	...	...	13 10 0	600 0 0	...	613 10 0
12	Blackwood, Upper	...	...	...	21 5 6	500 0 0	...	521 5 6
13	Broome Hill	...	...	...	45 5 0	450 0 0	...	495 5 0
14	Brunswick	...	...	...	111 14 6	919 10 0	...	1031 4 6
15	Bunbury	...	...	...	47 10 0	800 0 0	5 0 0	852 10 0
16	Canning	...	...	...	34 15 0	800 0 0	5 17 0	840 12 0
17	Chittering	...	...	...	35 5 0	650 0 0	...	685 5 0
18	Claremont (*a*)							
19	Coolgardie (*c*)	...	...	...	40 10 0	488 8 6	...	528 18 6
20	Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	...	100 0 0
21	Coolgardie, North-East	50 14 0	...	...	...	1100 0 0	...	1150 14 0
22	Cottesloe	203 0 5	11 7 3	...	18 0 0	510 0 0	25 0 0	767 7 8
23	Cue (*b*)	...	...	...	...	250 0 0	...	250 0 0
24	Dandaraga	...	...	...	29 0 0	300 0 0	...	329 0 0
25	Dardanup	...	...	...	58 10 0	630 0 0	0 7 0	688 17 0
26	Darling Range				3 10 0	130 0 0	...	133 10 0
27	Drakesbrook	...	...	...	5 10 0	100 0 0	...	105 10 0
28	Dundas	...	...	...	...	600 0 0	...	600 0 0
29	Esperance	...	...	...	12 0 0	2000 0 0	76 0 0	2088 0 0
30	Fremantle	...	...	...	61 15 0	2250 0 0	13 11 0	2325 6 0
31	Gascoyne, Lower	...	...	...	11 7 6	...	...	11 7 6
32	Gascoyne, Upper (*a*)							
33	Geraldton	...	...	...	33 0 0	850 0 0	...	883 0 0
34	Gingin	...	...	...	42 14 0	300 0 0	...	342 14 0
35	Goomalling	...	...	...	70 10 0	400 0 0	...	470 10 0
36	Greenhills	...	...	...	53 10 0	450 0 0	10 10 0	514 0 0
37	Greenough	...	...	...	128 10 0	400 0 0	100 0 0	628 10 0
38	Irwin	...	...	...	115 5 0	1500 0 0	...	1615 5 0
39	Jandakot	...	...	...	4 5 0	1100 0 0	...	1104 5 0
40	Kalgoorlie (*a*)							
41	Katanning (*a*)							
42	Kelmscott	...	...	...	42 5 0	1025 0 0	17 10 0	1084 15 0
43	Kimberley Goldfields	...	...	...	16 0 0	450 0 0	...	466 0 0
44	Kimberley, West (*a*)							
45	Kojonup	...	...	...	26 6 0	450 0 0	...	476 6 0
46	Marradong (*b*)	...	...	...	19 0 0	300 0 0	...	319 0 0
47	Meckering	...	...	...	29 0 0	750 0 0	18 6 3	797 6 3
48	Minilya (*b*)	...	...	...	19 13 4	150 0 0	0 19 0	170 12 4
49	Minilya, Lower (*d*)							
50	Moorumbine	...	...	...	39 10 0	550 0 0	...	589 10 0
51	Murchison	...	...	...	11 0 0	500 0 0	...	511 0 0
52	Murray	...	...	...	79 15 0	800 0 0	8 2 8	887 17 8
53	Nannine	...	...	...	...	...	1 0 0	1 0 0
54	Narrogin	...	...	...	23 0 0	450 0 0	...	473 0 0
55	Nelson	...	...	...	77 15 0	750 0 0	...	827 15 0
56	Northam	...	...	...	238 10 0	550 0 0	0 13 0	789 3 0
57	Northampton	...	...	...	61 5 0	1050 0 0	48 2 7	1159 7 7
58	Nullagine (*d*)							
59	Peak Hill	...	...	...	16 10 0	250 0 0	...	266 10 0
60	Peppermint Grove	433 12 1	7 3 9	...	3 15 0	1100 0 0	103 0 0	1647 10 10
61	Perth	...	...	...	52 5 0	1500 0 0	151 5 0	1703 10 0
62	Perth, South	570 11 2	8 0 0	...	13 10 0	1450 0 0	22 16 6	2064 17 8
63	Pilbarra (*b*)	...	...	...	53 0 0	600 0 0	...	653 0 0
64	Plantagenet	...	...	18 6 0	63 0 0	1010 0 0	7 6 6	1098 12 6
65	Preston (*a*)							
66	Rockingham (*b*)	...	...	...	21 10 0	750 0 0	15 19 7	787 9 7
67	Roebourne	...	...	...	25 10 0	600 0 0	...	625 10 0
68	Serpentine	...	...	...	40 10 0	520 0 0	...	560 10 0
69	Sussex	...	0 10 0	...	88 14 6	750 0 0	3 14 3	842 18 9
70	Swan	...	4 0 0	...	83 10 0	2289 0 0	20 6 9	2396 16 9
71	Tableland	...	...	...	23 15 0	425 0 0	...	448 15 0
72	Toodyay	...	...	...	110 15 0	618 5 11	...	729 0 11
73	Victoria Plains	...	...	...	60 0 0	600 0 0	...	660 0 0
74	Wandering	...	...	...	21 0 0	450 0 0	...	471 0 0
75	Williams	...	...	...	26 14 6	500 0 0	...	526 14 6
76	Wyndham (*a*)							
77	Yalgoo	...	...	...	23 10 0	575 0 0	12 10 0	611 0 0
78	Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	27 6 4	127 6 4
79	York (*a*)							

(*a*) No return furnished. No statement published. (*b*) Compiled from annual statement published in *Government Gazette*.
(*c*) From 6th April to 31st December, 1898. (*d*) No work done during 1898.

Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898—continued.

No. 20.—EXPENDITURE.

No.	Name of Roads Board.	Salaries.	Office Expenses (Office rent, petty cash, postage, etc.).	Stationery, Printing, and Advertising.	Works and Improvements (including salaries, wages and fees in direct connection therewith, and cost of material).	Lighting.	Additions to Working Plant and Office Furniture.	Interest on Overdraft.	All other Expenditure (including Transfers and Refunds).	Total Expenditure.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	45 5 0	34 3 8	19 1 4	386 3 5	...	...	0 19 0	23 3 10	508 16 3
2	Arthur	37 15 7	...	1 15 3	435 11 4	...	...	...	3 15 0	478 17 2
3	Arthur, West	6 10 0	3 15 0	11 1 11	240 5 6	...	2 10 0	...	1 0 0	265 2 5
4	Ashburton (*a*)									
5	Augusta (*b*)	...	1 12 4	...	774 2 1	...	...	...	...	775 14 5
6	Bamboo	21 13 4	15 13 3	4 16 0	284 9 6	...	2 0 0	...	4 4 0	332 16 1
7	Bayswater	56 15 0	18 7 1	58 18 8	495 7 7	...	1 5 6	...	27 5 3	657 19 1
8	Belmont (*d*)									
9	Beverley	23 0 0	...	1 8 6	573 6 7	...	0 4 0	...	8 13 8	606 12 9
10	Beverley, East	18 0 0	7 15 8	3 0 7	450 1 1	...	...	...	7 19 6	486 16 10
11	Blackwood, Lower	12 0 0	5 5 0	3 0 2	1222 10 11	...	...	...	2 2 0	1244 18 1
12	Blackwood, Upper	...	14 13 0	3 15 0	535 5 2	...	...	...	...	553 13 2
13	Broome Hill	30 0 0	1 1 3	4 11 6	386 9 6	...	...	...	11 19 2	434 1 5
14	Brunswick	23 12 0	12 4 9	11 2 6	797 9 2	...	...	...	...	844 8 5
15	Bunbury	20 5 8	2 9 4	7 0 5	842 14 2	...	...	...	4 18 10	877 8 5
16	Canning	65 0 0	6 11 5	37 3 4	760 12 5	...	0 9 0	...	56 11 3	926 7 5
17	Chittering	27 10 0	1 13 0	0 18 2	861 3 5	...	0 9 3	...	4 1 0	895 14 10
18	Claremont (*a*)									
19	Coolgardie (*c*)	100 0 0	5 17 6	21 4 7	33 10 0	...	...	...	188 1 1	348 13 2
20	Coolgardie, North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*i*)
21	Coolgardie, North-East	242 13 4	59 0 6	69 7 5	779 11 4	...	...	...	100 11 6	1251 4 1
22	Cottesloe	50 0 0	22 10 11	31 0 9	681 3 6	...	11 8 0	...	55 17 2	852 0 4
23	Cue (*b*)	50 0 0	0 8 4	2 6 6	...	...	...	...	35 0 0	87 14 10
24	Dandaraga	12 0 0	0 10 3	13 15 5	613 7 3	...	0 4 11	...	4 3 0	644 0 10
25	Dardanup	26 0 0	7 8 8	9 9 0	657 14 7	...	...	...	1 5 6	701 17 9
26	Darling Range	7 0 0	0 8 4	2 15 1	55 3 6	...	...	...	...	65 6 11
27	Drakesbrook	...	0 9 6	5 3 1	91 6 6	...	...	...	2 0 0	98 19 1
28	Dundas	52 0 0	44 13 3	34 16 0	830 12 5	...	4 0 6	...	50 0 0	1016 2 2
29	Esperance	...	23 5 6	14 16 0	2009 4 9	...	...	2 10 0	54 13 0	2104 9 3
30	Fremantle	62 8 8	25 0 0	34 17 6	1791 11 11	...	...	5 7 0	80 15 1	2000 0 2
31	Gascoyne, Lower	20 6 6	1 1 0	395 6 8	...	...	...	...	...	416 14 2
32	Gascoyne, Upper (*a*)									
33	Geraldton	19 12 0	1 0 0	3 8 0	603 14 4	...	...	...	...	627 14 4
34	Gingin	31 5 0	0 9 1	5 9 0	400 12 6	...	1 13 8	...	3 19 0	443 8 3
35	Goomalling	25 0 0	4 19 4	23 8 3	386 12 7	...	...	...	7 17 6	447 17 8
36	Greenhills	6 0 0	7 11 9	0 17 7	486 13 9	...	...	...	37 2 6	538 5 7
37	Greenough	22 10 0	2 5 11	4 13 10	485 5 8	...	1 17 9	...	13 5 0	529 18 2
38	Irwin	15 0 0	1 10 0	3 9 0	1281 1 2	...	...	...	...	1301 0 2
39	Jandakot	12 0 0	4 0 3	11 16 1	1103 7 2	...	8 6 0	...	2 12 0	1142 1 6
40	Kalgoorlie (*a*)									
41	Katanning (*a*)									
42	Kelmscott	16 10 0	3 7 8	14 14 11	886 18 8	...	1 5 0	0 13 6	6 13 4	930 3 1
43	Kimberley Goldfields	23 15 0	15 11 6	...	186 8 8	...	3 7 0	...	2 10 0	231 12 2
44	Kimberley, West (*a*)									
45	Kojonup	60 0 0	5 12 8	13 3 10	364 4 5	...	11 6 0	...	18 10 0	472 16 11
46	Marradong (*b*)	...	6 5 0	3 5 9	291 4 7	...	...	...	3 9 5	304 4 9
47	Meckering	12 0 0	6 3 11	8 12 5	817 3 0	...	...	...	12 6 1	856 5 5
48	Minilya (*b*)	...	1 14 5	4 10 11	1257 2 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	1267 11 4
49	Minilya, Lower (*d*)									
50	Moorumbine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*h* 577 17 5
51	Murchison	11 0 0	0 10 4	3 13 3	370 0 3	...	2 14 0	...	3 1 0	390 18 10
52	Murray	13 0 0	7 9 4	20 4 10	764 6 0	...	...	...	1 1 0	806 1 2
53	Nannine	35 0 0	2 12 5	12 10 0	387 5 5	...	3 10 0	...	7 1 0	447 18 10
54	Narrogin	*e* 21 17 5	1 5 9	10 9 1	627 2 5	...	...	...	12 14 10	673 9 6
55	Nelson	22 18 4	4 10 6	5 15 8	848 2 6	...	2 5 0	...	18 11 0	902 3 0
56	Northam	25 0 0	1 7 10	8 11 6	1015 13 3	...	...	...	18 15 9	1069 8 4
57	Northampton	...	5 9 0	28 0 0	1223 3 2	...	22 17 10	...	...	1279 10 0
58	Nullagine (*d*)									
59	Peak Hill	15 0 0	...	...	108 17 6	...	0 19 5	...	...	124 16 11
60	Peppermint Grove	59 0 0	23 3 7	45 9 2	1400 6 4	...	20 4 4	...	111 2 4	1659 5 9
61	Perth	40 0 0	5 8 4	7 8 6	2096 3 10	...	...	...	12 12 0	2161 12 8
62	Perth, South	72 16 2	10 14 0	64 18 2	1847 19 2	...	19 18 3	...	66 7 2	2082 12 11
63	Pilbarra (*b*)	*f* 29 11 7	9 2 2	*g* 28 7 5	553 12 8	...	...	...	...	620 13 10
64	Plantagenet	30 0 0	22 16 2	24 8 6	908 13 9	...	2 7 6	...	12 4 0	1000 9 11
65	Preston (*a*)									
66	Rockingham (*b*)	5 0 0	1 13 9	3 12 0	766 14 6	...	...	...	15 10 0	792 10 3
67	Roebourne	51 19 0	15 10 2	36 3 6	442 18 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	550 14 8
68	Serpentine	14 0 0	7 18 5	2 3 9	484 5 2	...	...	...	1 0 0	509 7 4
69	Sussex	80 0 0	10 9 9	2 15 2	623 1 5	...	...	...	1 0 0	717 6 4
70	Swan	118 6 8	6 10 6	17 7 1	1916 11 3	...	42 10 0	...	16 16 0	2118 1 6
71	Tableland	30 0 0	2 14 0	14 17 6	586 7 11	...	76 18 8	...	9 2 0	720 0 1
72	Toodyay	37 10 0	5 11 1	9 6 6	143 2 6	8 2 0	...	17 12 0	...	221 4 1
73	Victoria Plains	30 0 0	2 4 10	6 14 4	448 12 8	...	...	...	9 0 0	496 11 10
74	Wandering	21 0 0	3 9 10	...	411 19 6	...	...	...	...	436 9 4
75	Williams	50 0 0	5 8 7	8 4 0	474 15 7	...	...	...	8 6 11	546 15 1
76	Wyndham (*a*)									
77	Yalgoo	141 14 0	12 6 7	15 5 0	458 14 0	...	...	...	11 2 4	639 1 11
78	Yilgarn	63 6 8	10 0 0	14 10 8	499 14 5	...	...	...	...	587 11 9
79	York (*a*)									

(*a*) No return furnished. No statement published. (*b*) Compiled from annual statement published in *Government Gazette*. (*c*) From 6th April to 31st December, 1898. (*d*) No work done during 1898. (*e*) Salaries and commission. (*f*) Salaries and rent. (*g*) Advertising, tools, etc. (*h*) Details not supplied. (*i*) No expenditure during 1898.

Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898—continued.

No. 21.—Financial Statement—Assets and Liabilities on 31st December, 1898.

No.	Name of Roads Board District.	Assets. Balance at Treasury.	Assets. Balance in Banks.	Assets. Cash in hand.	Assets. Unpresented Cheques.	Assets. Arrears of Rates.	Assets. Accounts due to the Board.	Assets. Estimated Value of Property owned by the Board. Houses, Works, and Land.	Assets. Estimated Value of Property owned by the Board. Plant, Furniture, etc.	Assets. Estimated Value of Property owned by the Board. Other Property.	Assets. Estimated Value of Property owned by the Board. Total Value.	Assets. All other Assets	Assets. Total Assets.	Liabilities. Overdraft at Treasury.	Liabilities. Bank Overdraft	Liabilities. Outstanding Cheques.	Liabilities. Accounts rendered but not paid.	Liabilities. Approximate amounts owing on Contracts not yet completed.	Liabilities. Contractors' Deposits.	Liabilities. All other Liabilities.	Liabilities. Total Liabilities.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Albany	...	1 8 11	0 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 11	8 13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13 4
2	Arthur	158 2 7	29 6 10	17 7 6	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	...	3 0 0	...	207 16 11	...	...	0 10 0	...	...	...	...	0 10 0
3	Arthur, West	...	18 4 6	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	...	2 10 0	...	20 14 6	13 16 5	...	14 11 6	...	...	...	...	28 7 11
4	Ashburton (*a*)																				
5	Augusta (*b*)	300 3 2	59 2 4	34 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	393 15 6	...	...	398 16 10	...	...	...	...	398 16 10
6	Bamboo	259 6 1	16 5 3	0 7 3	...	...	...	25 0 0	17 0 0	...	42 0 0	...	317 18 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
7	Bayswater	4 10 8	29 12 8	...	...	71 10 9	...	100 0 2	11 19 6	20 0 0	131 19 8	...	237 13 9	...	...	...	67 10 1	...	25 0 0	...	92 10 1
8	Belmont (*d*)																				
9	Beverley	31 5 1	121 0 7	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	153 5 8	...	...	...	38 12 0	113 15 0	...	...	152 7 0
10	Beverley, East	76 19 11	6 7 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
11	Blackwood, Lower ...	408 1 10	33 9 6	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	442 11 4	...	...	...	...	120 0 0	...	...	120 0 0
12	Blackwood, Upper ...	5 4 4	16 7 0	0 19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 10 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
13	Broome Hill	110 12 7	67 10 8	...	...	...	0 10 0	...	5 0 0	114 0 0	119 0 0	...	297 13 3	...	...	...	7 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0
14	Brunswick	80 8 5	80 16 11	2 0 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	163 5 10	...	...	...	...	50 0 0	...	...	50 0 0
15	Bunbury	231 8 8	7 10 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	238 18 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
16	Canning	...	15 14 9	...	...	...	...	...	57 17 0	...	57 17 0	...	73 11 9	75 5 0	...	2 0 0	16 5 10	...	...	4 16 3	98 7 1
17	Chittering	...	19 19 10	4 5 0	...	...	...	460 0 0	5 10 0	...	465 10 0	...	489 14 10	20 17 4	...	...	...	...	...	1 2 0	21 19 4
18	Claremont (*a*)																				
19	Coolgardie	140 14 4	40 10 0	...	...	...	...	20 0 0	15 0 0	...	35 0 0	...	216 4 4	...	...	0 19 0	...	...	...	...	0 19 0
20	Coolgardie, North ...	100 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
21	Coolgardie, North-East	23 8 6	0 3 10	...	...	69 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	92 18 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
22	Cottesloe	...	...	1 3 4	...	302 6 7	2 11 2	...	7 0 0	...	7 0 0	...	313 1 1	12 18 9	80 2 3	...	...	...	...	...	93 1 0
23	Cue (*b*)	162 5 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	162 5 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
24	Dandaraga	53 12 11	...	27 10 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81 3 5	...	...	...	...	12 0 0	...	3 0 0	15 0 0
25	Dardanup	10 17 10	87 13 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98 11 4	...	...	...	...	46 0 0	...	...	46 0 0
26	Darling Range	64 13 1	...	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68 3 1	...	...	...	...	10 0 0	...	...	10 0 0
27	Drakesbrook	3 10 5	...	3 0 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
28	Dundas	167 11 0	...	1 1 6	...	...	...	...	22 10 0	...	22 10 0	...	191 2 6	...	...	6 12 2	12 17 6	62 2 6	...	...	81 12 2
29	Esperance	...	8 14 6	...	...	...	...	27 2 6	...	...	27 2 6	...	35 17 0	...	1 14 0	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	3 4 0
30	Fremantle	134 2 1	26 11 9	0 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	176 8 10	...	...	7 2 6	24 8 4	...	...	...	31 10 10
31	Gascoyne, Lower ...	14 10 4	...	2 10 0	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	...	5 0 0	...	22 0 4	...	...	...	...	128 13 6	...	...	128 13 6
32	Gascoyne, Upper (*a*)																				
33	Geraldton	577 19 3	54 1 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	632 0 4	...	...	...	...	20 0 0	...	...	20 0 0
34	Gingin	306 2 4	92 13 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	398 16 1	...	...	...	...	150 0 0	...	...	150 0 0
35	Goomalling	56 3 6	10 9 11	...	...	...	...	...	6 6 0	...	6 6 0	...	72 19 5	...	...	6 4 0	...	...	...	...	6 4 0
36	Greenhills	...	0 6 4	11 11 6	3 11 0	...	...	...	6 5 0	...	6 5 0	...	21 13 10	28 14 4	...	...	11 8 6	5 0 0	...	9 15 4	54 18 2
37	Greenough	58 5 9	63 4 8	0 5 0	...	...	...	...	...	53 15 0	53 15 0	...	175 10 5	...	...	...	...	8 6 6	...	4 7 0	12 13 6
38	Irwin	549 4 7	444 9 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	993 13 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
39	Jandakot	64 14 8	...	0 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65 4 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
40	Kalgoorlie (*a*)																				
41	Katanning (*a*)																				
42	Kelmscott	106 18 6	5 12 2	3 15 0	...	...	...	50 0 0	3 0 6	...	53 0 6	...	169 6 2	...	...	...	30 5 5	...	...	...	30 5 5
43	Kimberley Goldfields...	27 18 11	18 13 0	...	...	...	...	25 10 0	...	...	25 10 0	...	72 1 11	...	...	...	16 17 0	...	...	...	16 17 0
44	Kimberley, West (*a*)																				
45	Kojonup	...	6 15 11	2 17 6	...	...	...	...	11 6 0	...	11 6 0	...	20 19 5	3 10 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 2
46	Marradong (*b*)	77 14 2	43 7 8	1 0 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	122 2 8	...	...	15 8 6	...	...	...	...	15 8 6
47	Meckering	61 4 6	15 17 6	3 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80 4 0	...	...	30 0 0	...	...	...	...	30 0 0
48	Minilya (*b*)	269 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	269 10 0	...	129 12 10	...	...	...	...	...	129 12 10
49	Minilya Lower	250 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
50	Moorumbine	171 0 0	67 17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	238 17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
51	Murchison	180 0 2	45 16 10	8 9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	234 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
52	Murray	849 14 0	53 0 0	...	...	...	...	18 15 0	...	...	18 15 0	...	921 9 0	...	...	...	...	110 0 0	...	...	110 0 0
53	Nannine	381 5 7	50 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 6	...	3 11 6	...	435 4 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*

54	Narrogin	12 18 11	10 5 10	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 4 9	...	...	0 9 3	...	...	...	...	0 9 3
55	Nelson	393 6 1	82 19 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	...	4 0 0	...	482 10 1	...	...	...	...	170 0 0	...	...	170 0 0
56	Northam	12 10 2	...	10 7 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 17 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10 0	17 10 0
57	Northampton	57 1 9	25 11 6	...	...	...	...	256 10 0	22 17 10	...	279 7 10	...	362 1 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
58	Nullagine (*d*)																			...	
59	Peak Hill	125 3 1	...	16 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	141 13 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
60	Peppermint Grove ...	0 6 5	17 16 0	...	...	100 0 0	...	...	20 0 0	...	20 0 0	...	138 2 5	...	...	...	...	...	20 0 0	...	20 0 0
61	Perth	143 8 8	74 3 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	217 11 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
62	Perth, South	...	6 14 0	1 13 0	...	273 5 2	...	...	100 0 0	...	100 0 0	...	381 12 2	9 12 10	...	...	74 4 6	236 5 0	47 0 0	...	367 2 4
63	Pilbarra (*b*)	200 19 2	25 13 8	15 17 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	242 10 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
64	Plantagenet	134 13 2	3 17 2	...	...	...	...	...	20 0 0	...	20 0 0	...	158 10 4	...	...	34 12 4	...	...	...	...	34 12 4
65	Preston (*a*)																				
66	Rockingham (*b*) ...	9 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1 0	...	...	4 7 6	...	...	...	...	4 7 6
67	Roebourne	35 10 10	...	28 4 7	...	...	...	200 0 0	...	...	200 0 0	...	263 15 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
68	Serpentine	72 2 0	0 18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73 0 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
69	Sussex	147 12 8	58 17 3	...	...	...	...	...	6 10 0	5 10 0	12 0 0	...	218 9 11	...	...	15 6 8	...	96 2 6	...	...	111 9 2
70	Swan	287 12 3	11 14 2	...	...	...	...	...	85 0 0	...	85 0 0	...	384 6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*
71	Tableland	13 9 1	1 7 0	0 12 4	...	...	...	...	76 18 8	...	76 18 8	...	92 7 1	...	...	...	37 14 0	...	...	...	37 14 0
72	Toodyay	0 0 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0 0	...	10 0 0	...	10 0 10	...	104 14 3	...	23 14 4	...	...	...	128 8 7
73	Victoria Plains	251 16 9	4 15 11	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	257 12 8	...	...	5 2 1	...	25 0 0	...	...	30 2 1
74	Wandering	...	20 17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 17 0	12 19 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 19 6
75	Williams	167 2 4	15 16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	182 19 0	...	...	117 17 11	...	...	...	...	117 17 11
76	Wyndham (*a*)																				
77	Yalgoo	...	21 15 0	7 8 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 3 6	39 2 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	39 2 1
78	Yilgarn	...	144 9 4	...	...	...	...	15 0 0	...	500 0 0	515 0 0	...	659 9 4	10 12 8	...	87 17 4	...	...	...	...	98 10 0
79	York (*a*)																				

(*a*) No return furnished. No statement published. (*b*) Compiled from annual statement published in *Government Gazette*. (*d*) Not working during 1898.

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No. 22.—LENGTH OF MAIN AND MINOR ROADS.

No.	Name of Roads Board District.	ROADS AND STREETS, 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.																					
		Lengths constructed during the year ended 31st December, 1898.										Length in existence on 31st December, 1898.											
		Metalling.		Gravelling.		Forming.		Clearing.		New Roads surveyed.		Metalled.		Gravelled.		Formed (but not metalled or gravelled).		Cleared only.		Natural Surface (surveyed but not cleared).		Total.	
		Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.
1	Albany	0	69	...		0	55	...		...		20	69	...		10	55	34	0	...		65	44
2	Arthur	...		1	18	0	55	1	43	102	0	...		12	18	2	40	37	43	395	0	447	21
3	Arthur, West	...		1	15	0	65	1	35	...		...		21	19	6	10	30	0	...		57	29
4	Ashburton (*a*)																						
5	Augusta (*a*)																						
6	Bamboo (*a*)																						
7	Bayswater	0	21	0	21	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
8	Belmont (*c*)																						
9	Beverley	...		1	25	5	5	7	55	22	0	...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
10	Beverley, East	...		2	59	2	55	19	67	...		0	3	5	16	...		28	30	...		33	49
11	Blackwood, Lower	...		0	60	17	60	18	0	18	0	...		20	60	27	60	101	40	...		150	0
12	Blackwood, Upper	...		1	47	2	52	23	77	9	0	...		3	67	10	12	31	77	14	16	60	12
13	Broome Hill...	...		2	16	1	75	1	20	...		...		6	57	7	38	39	20	...		53	35
14	Brunswick	1	10	1	20	2	10	5	20	...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
15	Bunbury (*a*)																						
16	Canning	...		...		...		...		...		11	40	2	20	0	40	25	60	22	40	62	40
17	Chittering	0	5	2	14	2	11	0	72	...		0	63	34	18	18	61	20	50	13	20	87	52
18	Claremont (*a*)																						
19	Coolgardie	...		...		...		5	69	0	65	...		...		...		267	0	...		267	0
20	Coolgardie, North (*a*)																						
21	Coolgardie, North-East	...		...		...		42	0	...		...		...		...		242	0	...		242	0
22	Cottesloe	0	32	...		...		0	7	0	5	3	0	...		...		0	45	0	72	4	37
23	Cue (*a*)																						
24	Dandaraga	...		2	73	...		0	10	...		...		27	18	1	32	3	10	24	0	55	60
25	Dardanup	...		1	40	1	20	4	20	...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
26	Darling Range (*a*)																						
27	Drakesbrook	...		...		...		0	60	2	0	...		0	36	0	4	0	60	2	0	3	20
28	Dundas	...		1	10	3	0	25	15	...		0	31	1	10	3	0	28	39	...		33	0
29	Esperance (*a*)																						
30	Fremantle	0	38	...		0	30	...		...		20	0	...		...		50	0	105	0	175	0
31	Gascoyne, Lower	(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		...		...		...		165	0	75	0	240	0
32	Gascoyne, Upper (*a*)																						
33	Geraldton (*a*)																						
34	Gingin	...		1	61	...		0	60	35	70	...		9	11	2	0	25	20	110	0	146	31
35	Goomalling	...		2	24	2	37	5	59	5	0	...		3	74	4	77	25	17	185	50	219	58
36	Greenhills	...		0	68	3	60	4	9	...		...		14	38	13	30	22	29	...		50	17
37	Greenough	0	11	...		1	6	8	29	...		16	38	...		1	6	33	76	88	20	139	60
38	Irwin	0	56	1	4	...		10	9	...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
39	Jandakot	(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		3	20	...		...		...		...		(*b*)	

40	Kalgoorlie (*a*)																						
41	Katanning (*a*)																						
42	Kelmscott	0	12	2	52	1	42	0	41	...		1	21	10	76	14	52	9	8	38	13	74	10
43	Kimberley Goldfields	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		60	0	125	0	360	0	545	0
44	Kimberley, West (*a*)																						
45	Kojonup	...		0	75	0	60	8	0	12	0	...		40	75	5	60	47	35	16	0	110	10
46	Marradong (*a*)																						
47	Meckering	0	4	2	4	...		24	20	...		0	49	4	20	...		68	45	40	0	113	34
48	Minilya	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		...		25	0	300	0	325	0
49	Minilya Lower (*c*)	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		138	0	36	0	...		174	0
50	Moorumbine	0	5	2	30	1	40	24	0	12	0	3	15	14	0	5	0	80	0	50	0	152	15
51	Murchison (*a*)																						
52	Murray	...		0	30	1	15	5	0	...		5	0	15	0	13	40	93	0	...		126	40
53	Nannine	...		...		...		58	60	...		...		...		...		59	64	...		59	64
54	Narrogin	...		3	30	2	59	16	35	...		...		11	3	4	8	80	69	30	0	126	0
55	Nelson	...		2	5	6	0	11	0	...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
56	Northam	(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		86	42	...		45	20	215	33	55	38	402	53
57	Northampton	10	6	0	26	2	0	10	0	...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
58	Nullagine (*c*)																						
59	Peak Hill	...		...		...		4	0	2	14	...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
60	Peppermint Grove	1	34	...		...		1	4	...		3	12	...		...		...		0	52	3	64
61	Perth	(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		6	59	...		13	0	...		28	0	47	59
62	Perth, South	1	20	...		...		5	0	...		4	37	...		...		5	66	4	30	14	53
63	Pilbarra (*a*)																						
64	Plantagenet	0	20	1	49	4	20	23	40	...		26	63	1	49	4	20	44	0	...		76	52
65	Preston (*a*)																						
66	Rockingham (*a*)																						
67	Roebourne	...		...		...		...		...		3	0	...		...		392	0	...		395	0
68	Serpentine	...		8	0	0	16	...		...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
69	Sussex	0	14	0	50	...		5	48	...		14	48	20	50	...		127	8	...		162	26
70	Swan	...		1	42	3	6	1	76	...		...		...		...		...		...		(*b*)	
71	Tableland	(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		(*b*)		...		...		5	0	...		228	0	233	0
72	Toodyay	...		...		...		...		...		45	70	50	0	25	0	28	10	40	0	189	0
73	Victoria Plains	...		1	60	1	60	8	0	11	0	...		38	57	...		50	58	71	0	160	35
74	Wandering	...		2	68	2	16	3	42	5	0	10	0	30	0	30	0	25	0	24	0	119	0
75	Williams	...		2	1	3	8	..		...		...		22	78	15	1	43	23	40	72	122	14
76	Wyndham (*a*)																						
77	Yalgoo	0	10	...		...		120	64	100	13	2	75	...		1	74	725	0	...		729	69
78	Yilgarn	0	10	...		5	0	1	20	...		0	58	...		1	25	238	25	...		240	28
79	York (*a*)																						

(*a*) No return of roads and streets furnished. (*b*) Information not supplied. (*c*) Not working during 1898.

Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898— continued.

NO. 23.—BRIDGES, CULVERTS, ETC., UNDER CONTROL OF BOARD ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

No.	Name of Roads Board.	Bridges.	Culverts.	Jetties, Piers, and Wharves.	Reserves.	Wells and Tanks.
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1	Albany	5	27			
2	Arthur	...	6	...	13	4
3	Arthur, West	5	54	...	12	1
4	Ashburton (*a*)					
5	Augusta (*a*)					
6	Bamboo (*c*)					
7	Bayswater	...	5			
8	Belmont (*b*)					
9	Beverley	4	36			
10	Beverley, East	...	20	...	10	10
11	Blackwood, Lower	36	41	...	7	2
12	Blackwood, Upper	2	24	...	4	4
13	Broome Hill	4	14			
14	Brunswick (*a*)					
15	Bunbury (*a*)					
16	Canning	3	16			
17	Chittering	9	62	...	4	5
18	Claremont (*a*)					
19	Coolgardie (*a*)					
20	Coolgardie, North (*a*)					
21	Coolgardie, North-East	...	3			
22	Cottesloe	...	...	...	...	1
23	Cue (*a*)					
24	Dandaraga	...	...	...	1	1
25	Dardanup (*a*)					
26	Darling Range (*a*)					
27	Drakesbrook	10	21			
28	Dundas	...	13			
29	Esperance (*a*)					
30	Fremantle	...	1	...	...	3
31	Gascoyne, Lower	...	...	...	...	10
32	Gascoyne, Upper (*a*)					
33	Geraldton (*a*)					
34	Gingin	6	15			
35	Goomalling	1	...	...	5	1
36	Greenhills	2	8	...	...	3
37	Greenough	2				
38	Irwin	3	20	1		
39	Jandakot	2	8	...	...	1
40	Kalgoorlie (*a*)					
41	Katanning (*a*)					
42	Kelmscott	13	73	...	1	2
43	Kimberley Goldfields	...	10			
44	Kimberley, West (*a*)					
45	Kojonup	8	88	...	...	5
46	Marradong (*a*)					
47	Meckering	...	7	...	...	3
48	Minilya	...	...	...	...	1
49	Minilya, Lower	...	...	...	5	10
50	Moorumbine	...	18	...	1	1
51	Murchison (*a*)					
52	Murray	15	74	1	3	3
53	Nannine	...	...	...	1	
54	Narrogin	...	53	...	...	5
55	Nelson (*a*)					
56	Northam	4	76	...	6	
57	Northampton	4	34	...	8	7
58	Nullagine (*b*)					
59	Peak Hill (*a*)					
60	Peppermint Grove	...	...	...	1	
61	Perth	...	5			
62	Perth, South	...	1	3	2	1
63	Pilbarra (*a*)					
64	Plantagenet	5	10	...	40	12
65	Preston (*a*)					
66	Rockingham (*a*)					
67	Roebourne	2	20	...	...	13
68	Serpentine	4	40			
69	Sussex	22	36	...	14	6
70	Swan	10	40	...	2	1
71	Tableland	...	...	...	13	6
72	Toodyay	7	112	...	7	5
73	Victoria Plains	...	10	...	11	
74	Wandering	4	60	...	15	10
75	Williams	14	157	...	16	3
76	Wyndham (*a*)					
77	Yalgoo	...	4	...	...	2
78	Yilgarn	...	6	...	...	2
79	York (*a*)					

(*a*) Information not supplied. (*b*) Not working during 1898. (*c*) *Nil.*

PART XI.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Returns relating to Roads Boards for the Year ended 31st December, 1898—continued.

No. 24.—YEARLY ELECTIONS.

No.	Name of Roads Board.	Date of Election.	Number of Vacancies to fill.	No. of Candidates.	Number of Electors on the Roll entitled to—					Number of Electors voting entitled to—				
					One Vote.	Two Votes.	Three Votes.	Four Votes.	Total.	One Vote.	Two Votes.	Three Votes.	Four Votes.	Total.
1	Albany	16 Dec., '97	3	6	129	117	67	13	326	71	69	59	9	208
2	Arthur	16 Dec., '97	3	3	20	56	15	25	116	...	...	...	...	*
3	Arthur, West	16 Dec., '97	4	4	4	1	7	20	32	...	...	...	...	*
4	Ashburton ‡													
5	Augusta ‡													
6	Bamboo	16 Dec., '97	3	3	...	...	...	...	†	...	...	...	...	*
7	Bayswater	15 Dec., '97	3	3	109	205	33	39	386	...	...	...	...	*
8	Belmont §													
9	Beverley	16 Dec., '97	3	3	10	18	23	34	85	...	...	...	...	*
10	Beverley, East	16 Dec., '97	3	3	...	14	8	13	35	...	...	...	...	*
11	Blackwood, Lower	28 Dec., '97	3	3	30	6	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	*
12	Blackwood, Upper	16 Dec., '97	3	3	3	22	14	12	51	...	...	...	...	*
13	Broome Hill	16 Dec., '97	3	6	12	20	16	25	73	3	4	7	13	27
14	Brunswick	16 Dec., '97	3	4	89	82	34	29	234	68	54	26	18	166
15	Bunbury	16 Dec., '97	4	3	...	...	...	...	†	...	...	...	...	*
16	Canning	16 Dec., '97	3	8	12	53	19	41	125	9	38	12	29	88
17	Chittering	16 Dec., '97	3	4	4	11	11	11	37	...	...	...	...	†
18	Claremont ‡													
19	Coolgardie ‡													
20	Coolgardie, North ‡													
21	Coolgardie, N.E.	31 Dec., '97	6	6	...	...	...	463	463	...	...	...	...	*
22	Cottesloe	14 Dec., '97	3	5	...	...	112	235	347	...	...	...	...	†
23	Cue ‡													
24	Dandaraga	24 Dec., '97	3	3	6	12	5	11	34	...	...	...	...	*
25	Dardanup	16 Dec., '97	3	6	22	50	18	18	108	16	29	11	9	65
26	Darling Range	April, '98	7	7	212	...	...	...	212	...	...	...	...	*
27	Drakesbrook	16 Dec., '97	7	8	15	57	20	14	106	3	24	10	11	48
28	Dundas	16 Dec., '97	2	2	25	115	15	2	157	...	...	...	...	*
29	Esperance	20 Dec., '97	...	...	...	...	...	...	†	...	...	...	...	†
30	Fremantle	16 Dec., '97	3	5	47	44	31	25	147	18	18	18	11	65
31	Gascoyne, Lower	16 Dec., '97	3	3	3	11	8	6	28	...	...	...	...	*
32	Gascoyne, Upper ‡													
33	Geraldton	15 Dec., '97	3	4	...	21	...	14	35	...	...	...	...	†
34	Gingin	16 Dec., '97	4	4	22	17	11	21	71	...	...	...	...	*
35	Goomalling	15 Dec., '97	3	4	2	15	15	60	92	1	4	9	19	33
36	Greenhills	16 Dec., '97	3	3	1	17	17	22	57	...	...	...	...	*
37	Greenough ‡													
38	Irwin	16 Dec., '97	4	4	...	...	...	...	¶	...	...	...	...	*
39	Jandakot	16 Dec., '97	4	6	50	16	3	2	71	...	...	...	...	†
40	Kalgoorlie ‡													
41	Katanning ‡													
42	Kelmscott	16 Dec., '97	3	4	10	32	12	33	87	2	12	6	19	39
43	Kimberley Goldfields ‡													
44	Kimberley, West ‡													
45	Kojonup	16 Dec., '97	4	5	16	10	8	8	42	7	5	5	6	23
46	Marradong ‡													
47	Meckering	16 Dec., '97	3	5	12	6	10	26	54	7	4	7	16	34
48	Minilya	16 Dec., '97	3	3	1	5	...	10	16	...	...	...	...	*
49	Minilya, Lower ‡													
50	Moorumbine	16 Dec., '97	5	5	...	62	...	7	69	...	...	...	...	*
51	Murchison ‡													
52	Murray	16 Dec., '97	3	3	36	83	19	29	167	...	...	...	...	*
53	Nannine	16 Dec., '97	3	3	2	8	5	6	21	...	...	...	...	*
54	Narrogin	16 Dec., '97	3	2	30	7	3	14	54	...	...	...	...	*
55	Nelson ‡													
56	Northam	16 Dec., '97	3	4	51	110	17	...	178	...	...	...	...	‖
57	Northampton	16 Dec., '97	2	3	11	25	7	25	68	4	8	3	7	22
58	Nullagine §													
59	Peak Hill ‡													
60	Peppermint Grove	16 Dec., '97	4	4	95	53	38	66	252	...	...	...	...	*
61	Perth	16 Dec., '97	3	3	222	36	7	23	288	...	...	...	...	*
62	Perth, South	16 Dec., '97	3	3	...	...	...	...	†	...	...	...	...	*
63	Pilbarra ‡													
64	Plantagenet	16 Dec., '97	3	3	56	8	8	10	82	...	...	...	...	*
65	Preston ‡													
66	Rockingham ‡													
67	Roebourne	16 Dec., '97	3	3	...	...	...	21	21	...	...	...	...	*
68	Serpentine	16 Dec., '97	4	4	...	...	...	...	†	...	...	...	...	*
69	Sussex	16 Dec., '97	3	3	21	67	32	7	127	...	...	...	...	*
70	Swan	16 Dec., '97	3	3	19	40	10	47	116	...	...	...	...	*
71	Tableland	16 Dec., '97	5	5	...	1	...	10	11	...	...	...	...	*
72	Toodyay	16 Dec., '97	3	5	10	49	26	94	179	5	26	16	77	124
73	Victoria Plains	16 Dec., '97	3	3	20	29	13	16	78	...	...	...	...	*
74	Wandering	16 Dec., '97	3	3	8	11	2	8	29	...	...	...	...	*
75	Williams	16 Dec., '97	3	3	10	12	2	26	50	...	...	...	...	*
76	Wyndham ‡													
77	Yalgoo	16 Dec., '97	4	4	58	33	43	15	149	...	...	...	...	*
78	Yilgarn ‡													
79	York ‡													

* No contest. † Not stated. ‡ Information not supplied. § New Board. Not working during 1898. ¶ No roll kept.
‖ Elected by show of hands.

III.—*Returns relating to Boards of Health for the Year 1898.*

No. 25.—BOARDS OF HEALTH OUTSIDE MUNICIPALITIES—NUMBER OF MEMBERS, HEALTH RATE LEVIED, REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, ETC., FOR THE YEAR EN 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

						REVENUE.									EXPENDITURE.							
No.	Name of Local Board of Health.	Date when Locality was first gazetted as being under "The Public Health Act, 1886."	Date on which latest alteration of Boundaries was gazetted.	Members of the Board, inclusive of Chairman.	Public Health Rate levied during the year.	Subsidy received from Local Municipal Council.	Government Subsidy.	Public Health Rate.	Sanitary Fees.	Fines and Penalties.	Licensing Fees (noxious trades).	All other Licensing Fees.	All other Receipts.	Total Receipts.	Salaries.	Office Expenses (Office rent, petty cash, postage, etc.).	Stationery, Printing, and Advertising.	Additions to Working Plant and Office Furniture, etc.	Expenditure directly connected with the Sanitary Service, including wages, repairs, horse-feed, stabling, etc.	All other Expenditure.	Total Expenditure.	Sanitary Service carried out by
				No.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1	Abbott's	16-12-98	...	7	...	...	...	...	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	1 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1 0 0	1 0 0	No service at present
2	Armadale (*e*)	2-9-98																				
3	Austin Island (*e*) ...	10-7-96																				
4	Ballagundi	7-8-96	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*	6 6 0	0 19 6	0 7 0	...	...	5 5 0	12 17 6	No service
5	Bardoc (*a*)	20-11-96	13-5-98																			
6	Bayswater (*a*) ...	25-11-98																				
7	Black Flag	13-11-96	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 17 9	6 17 9	82 1 11	3 0 0	6 14 6	30 5 0	137 10 0	149 15 11*	409 7 4	Contract
8	Bonnievale (*e*) ...	22-7-98																				
9	Boyanup, Karridale, Hamelin, and Augusta (*a*)	5-8-98	...	6																		
10	Bridgetown	13-5-98	...	7	...	...	50 0 0	...	...	5 4 0	...	...	1 12 0	56 16 0	15 15 0	3 4 8	3 5 4	...	...	2 14 2	24 19 2	Contract
11	Brunswick	30-7-97	...	7	...	...	100 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	5 0 0	2 13 8	1 4 0	...	...	1 1 0	9 18 8	(*b*)
12	Callion...	22-10-97	...	6	...	...	150 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	150 0 0	12 12 0	1 7 2†	‡	...	...	48 0 0	61 19 2	(*c*)
13	Collie Coalfields ..	10-9-97	...	7	...	...	75 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	0 1 11	75 1 11	34 8 0	15 18 8	8 4 7	11 13 6	...	4 17 2	75 1 11	(*c*)
14	Cookernup	30-4-97	8-7-98	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*	18 0 0	2 5 8	1 14 6	1 18 4	...	0 10 6	24 9 0	(*c*)
15	Cottesloe...	12-3-97	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38 18 6	38 18 6	93 5 0	13 19 11	10 18 5	71 3 2	17 14 0	19 18 0	226 18 6	Contract
16	Cuddingwarra ...	24-7-96	26-2-97	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*	15 0 0	2 4 6	...	3 0 0	15 18 6	12 12 0	48 15 0	(*d*)
17	Diorite King (*a*) ...	24-9-97																				
18	Donnybrook (*a*) ...	29-4-98																				
19	Dundas	1-1-97	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*	20 0 0	16 1 0	...	...	..	3 3 10	39 4 10	(*c*)
20	Field's Find	12-8-98	...	7	...	...	...	...	6 4 0	...	...	...	...	6 4 0	...	2 0 0†	‡	...	27 10 0	...	29 10 0	Contract
21	Fremantle Roads Board District (*a*)	12-8-98																				
22	Golden Valley ...	8-7-98	...	7	...	...	150 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	150 0 0	60 0 0	54 16 5	6 7 3	...	28 15 0	...	149 18 8	Contract
23	Goongarrie	27-11-96	...	5	...	...	100 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	34 9 4	2 13 3	2 16 6	...	...	142 2 6	182 1 7	(*c*)
24	Gordon (*a*)	30-10-96																				
25	Gullewa	10-7-96	...	6	...	...	...	...	84 17 8	...	...	...	29 3 2	114 0 10	52 10 0	3 10 4	1 4 8	...	112 2 6	15 9 0	184 16 6	Contract
26	Katanning	3-6-98	...	7	...	...	25 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	5 10 0	30 10 0	3 15 0	0 18 1	0 12 6	...	4 8 0	4 15 6	14 9 1	Contract
27	Kunanalling (*a*) ...	19-3-97																				
28	Kurnalpi	26-6-96	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*	39 0 0	1 3 8	...	...	...	...	40 3 8	(*c*)
29	Lawlers	23-7-97	...	7	...	...	150 0 0	...	206 1 7	0 5 0	...	...	127 10 0	483 16 7	65 0 0	4 8 6	13 8 10	...	225 3 3	156 13 0	464 13 7	Contract
30	Mainland	16-7-97	...	(*b*)	...	...	50 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	50 0 0	17 0 0	2 12 1	...	...	2 10 0	...	22 2 1	Contract
31	Mingenew	29-5-96	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Nil*	6 0 0	...	...	...	...	7 19 3	13 19 3	(*c*)
32	Mt. Leonora	14-5-97	3-6-98	7	...	...	...	...	64 14 6	...	...	...	...	64 14 6	35 16 0	5 17 0	17 1 9	...	67 10 0	11 17 6	138 2 3	Contract
33	Mt. Malcolm (*a*) ...	26-2-97																				

34	Mt. Margaret	26-2-97	...	4	...	...	50 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	50 0 0	27 10 0	...	13 0 0	...	12 10 0	6 16 6	59 16 6	Contract.
35	Mulgarrie (a)	30-10-96																				
36	Mullewa	29-11-95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	20 5 0	1 12 4	0 12 6	...	...	56 3 1	78 12 11	(c)
37	Mulline (a)	4-12-96																				
38	Mundaring	15-7-98	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 16 6	2 16 6	2 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	(f)
39	Niagara (a)	3-4-96																				
40	Noongal	28-5-97	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	12 0 0	...	...	...	...	18 7 0	30 7 0	(c)
41	Paddington (e)	1-1-97																				
42	Paynesville	6-5-98	...	7	...	...	100 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	100 0 0	...	1 15 6	4 3 9	2 13 0	74 9 8	1 10 0	84 11 11	Contract.
43	Peak Hill	29-1-97	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44 17 0	44 17 0	37 19 0	0 9 0	7 0 0	45 0 0	19 15 6	23 15 0	133 18 6	Contract.
44	Pendinnie (e)	10-9-97																				
45	Red Hill	7-1-98	...	7	...	...	50 0 0	...	12 10 0	...	...	...	...	62 10 0	...	1 0 0	...	19 0 0	20 18 0	...	40 18 0	Board.
46	Rothesay (e)	21-8-96																				
47	Salgash (a)	4-11-98	...	7																		
48	Six Mile (e)	9-9-98																				
49	South Perth	11-6-97	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 18 0	11 18 0	35 10 0	0 17 6	25 0 8	...	...	65 6 6	126 14 8	Contract.
50	Tampa (e)	30-7-97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Board.
51	Wagin	3-6-98	...	7	...	...	25 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0 0	2 8 9	...	...	...	4 0 0	7 0 0	13 8 9	Contract.
52	Weeloona (a)	12-8-98	...	7																		
53	Windanya (a)	10-9-97																				
54	Woodarra (a)	13-5-98	...	7																		
55	Wyndham (a)	10-6-98																				
56	Yalgoo	17-4-96	...	7	...	...	100 0 0	...	188 17 2	...	...	...	...	288 17 2	315 14 4	12 15 4	...	1 0 4	65 9 8	9 2 9	404 2 5	Contract.
57	Yerilla	31-7-96	...	7	...	...	100 0 0	...	148 2 3	...	0 3 0	...	6 13 0	254 18 3	79 5 3	4 12 4	0 2 6	4 15 0	162 19 3	12 13 6	264 7 10	Contract.

(a) No work done. (b) Not stated. (c) No service. (d) Pit system in force. (e) No returns furnished when applied for. (f) Carried out by Public Works Department. * Including £133 19s. 6d. transferred to cemetery account. † Including stationery, printing, etc. ‡ Included under Office expenses.

Returns relating to Boards of Health for the Year 1898—continued.

No. 26.—MUNICIPAL LOCAL BOARDS OF HEALTH—NUMBER OF MEMBERS, HEALTH RATE LEVIED, REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, ETC., FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST OCTOBER, 1898.

No.	Name of Local Board of Health.	Date when Locality was first gazetted as being under "The Public Health Act, 1886."	Date on which latest alteration of Boundaries was gazetted.	Members of the Board, inclusive of Chairman.	Public Health Rate levied during the year.	REVENUE.									EXPENDITURE.							Sanitary Service carried out by
						Subsidy received from Local Municipal Council.	Government Subsidy.	Public Health Rate.	Sanitary Fees.	Fines and Penalties.	Licensing Fees (noxious trades).	All other Licensing Fees.	All other Receipts.	Total Receipts.	Salaries.	Office Expenses (Office rent, petty cash, postage, etc.).	Stationery, Printing, and Advertising.	Additions to Working Plant and Office Furniture, etc.	Expenditure directly connected with the Sanitary Service, including wages, repairs, horse-feed, stabling, etc.	All other Expenditure.	Total Expenditure.	
				No.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1	Albany	26-1-88	...	10	0 1	...	...	118 9 9	136 8 8	...	6 0 0	...	14 15 0	275 13 5	99 1 0	*d* 7 10 2	(*e*)	...	146 8 8	4 4 0	257 3 10	Contract.
2	Beverley (*a*)	6-3-96																				
3	Boulder (*j*)	10-12-97	10-12-97																			
4	Broad Arrow (*j*)	25-9-96	13-8-97																			
5	Bulong	14-8-96	29-1-97	7	0 6	(*i*) 39 10 11	200 0 0	181 17 8	329 4 10	...	...	...	...	750 13 5	156 13 5	23 18 10	35 12 4	...	412 3 8	122 5 2	750 13 5	Board.
6	Bunbury	24-4-93	...	10	0 1	317 6 4½	...	68 16 1½	...	...	8 0 0	...	...	394 2 6	...	...	...	...	379 5 0	14 17 6	394 2 6	Contract.
7	Busselton	24-4-93	...	6	0 6	...	...	48 14 9	...	...	...	...	36 11 0	85 5 9	48 10 0	5 8 11	3 9 0	...	64 2 0	6 6 0	127 15 11	Contract.
8	Carnarvon	4-5-93	...	7	(*h*)	25 0 0	100 0 0	24 4 0	38 2 0	...	..	...	11 12 0	198 18 0	...	...	3 19 0	...	169 4 0	...	173 3 0	Board.
9	Claremont (*j*)	2-4-97																				
10	Coolgardie	16-11-94	24-1-96	10	0 2	277 1 0	...	640 14 4	...	...	...	...	18 1 6	935 16 10	...	...	...	...	884 16 5	48 15 10	933 12 3	Contract.
11	Cossack	8-12-93	...	7	...	...	...	...	142 7 6	...	...	...	4 0 6	146 8 0	22 18 3	...	...	...	81 19 6	17 6 0	122 3 9	Contract.
12	Cue (*j*)	8-2-95	19-6-96																			
13	Day Dawn	10-5-95	10-7-96	7	...	80 14 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 11 8	81 6 5	43 3 5	...	0 10 6	...	37 12 6	...	81 6 5	Board.
14	Esperance	8-5-96	...	7	(*h*)	2 17 5½	...	69 6 8	...	...	...	...	...	72 4 1½	49 0 0	...	..	...	0 12 3	...	49 12 3	(*h*)
15	Fremantle	20-8-86	...	13	0 1	150 0 0	492 15 4	...	...	1 15 0	21 0 0	34 15 0	6 8 9	706 14 1	250 0 0	1 1 0	10 17 9	...	262 13 6	36 16 4	561 8 7	Contract.
16	Fremantle, East (*g*)	8-10-97	.	(*h*)	(*h*)	...	...	16 9 9	...	...	...	...	38 10 9	55 0 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*f*) 23 7 6	(*h*)
17	Fremantle, North	20-12-95	...	10	...	72 6 0	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	2 0 0	0 15 0	79 1 0	42 10 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	...	21 11 0	...	79 1 0	Contract.
18	Geraldton	5-5-92	...	10	0 2	...	...	188 18 0	1048 17 6	...	4 0 0	...	176 3 4	1417 18 10	107 4 0	0 3 0	...	...	1200 15 2	32 4 0	1340 6 2	Board.
19	Guildford (*g*)	7-4-87	...	(*h*)	(*h*)	234 19 3	...	234 5 6	...	...	...	...	7 14 6	476 19 3	37 10 0	...	...	...	383 6 9	56 2 6	476 19 3	(*h*)
20	Helena Vale (*j*)	31-1-96	10-4-96																			
21	Kalgoorlie	15-2-95	10-12-97	10	0 2	...	800 0 0	740 1 9	1 10 0	...	...	...	427 8 3	1969 0 0	519 9 3	...	9 0 6	154 8 6	1303 3 5	177 6 0	2163 7 8	Contract.
22	Kanowna (*g*)	8-5-96	...	(*h*)	(*h*)	351 15 2	1200 0 0	164 11 2	...	...	...	...	16 10 0	1732 16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*f*) 1732 16 4	(*h*)
23	Leederville (*g*)	4-9-96	...	(*h*)	(*h*)	...	...	190 7 9	...	2 19 0	...	0 10 0	46 16 11	240 13 8	87 13 4	3 0 0	16 15 11	...	153 8 10	78 7 2	339 5 3	(*h*)
24	Menzies	6-3-96	6-3-96	10	0 3	201 11 7	...	378 18 3	1081 10 0	...	...	...	52 4 0	1714 3 10	301 18 0	13 19 0	8 8 0	36 15 0	1292 7 6	76 11 0	1729 18 6	Board.
25	Mount Magnet	2-10-96	...	7	0 3	320 18 6	100 0 0	94 7 3	189 1 3	0 16 0	...	...	43 1 7	748 4 7	102 5 11	2 5 9	13 15 6	...	654 1 7	51 7 2	823 15 11	Board.
26	Nannine	29-11-95	4-12-96	7	0 6	...	...	24 18 7	...	0 15 0	...	...	11 14 8	37 8 3	35 1 4	15 10 5	16 4 0	5 7 0	...	29 9 6	101 12 3	Contract.
27	Newcastle (*c*)	27-4-94																				
28	Norseman	25-12-96	8-1-97	7	0 1	...	...	85 17 7	251 4 0	...	...	...	22 1 0	359 2 7	305 16 8	...	23 1 6	159 9 6	90 17 9	35 0 0	614 5 5	Board.
29	Northam	24-4-93	...	10	...	450 18 2	...	...	292 14 0	...	...	...	...	743 12 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*f*) 743 12 2	Contract.
30	Perth	20-8-86	...	16	0 6	...	600 0 0	6753 16 8	10997 5 0	37 1 0	6 0 0	234 15 4	1914 15 4	20543 13 4	1334 2 4	14 7 0	69 14 10	23 5 0	9519 5 7	5855 10 7	16816 5 4	Board.
31	Roebourne (*b*)	21-11-89																				
32	Southern Cross	16-2-93	...	7	...	64 16 8	...	...	211 5 0	...	...	...	...	276 1 8	20 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	...	244 11 8	...	276 1 8	Contract.
33	Subiaco (*j*)	22-5-96																				
34	Victoria Park	17-7-96	...	10	0 1½	...	...	43 5 3	...	...	16 0 0	...	120 2 8	179 7 11	26 13 4	...	14 11 3	30 15 0	...	101 0 6	173 0 1	Contract.
35	York (*j*)	22-9-92																				

(*a*) Not working. (*b*) Included in Municipal Returns. (*c*) Board not formed. (*d*) Including stationery, printing, and advertising. (*e*) Included in Office expenses. (*f*) Details not given. (*g*) Compiled from Statement of Receipts and Expenditure published in *Government Gazette*. (*h*) Not stated. (*i*) Loan from Municipal Council. (*j*) No returns furnished when applied for.

IV.—*Returns relating to Fire Brigades for the Year 1898, compiled from Returns supplied by the respective Brigades.*

NO. 27.—PLANT, CALLS ATTENDED, AND SOURCE OF WATER SUPPLY.

No.	Name of Fire Brigade.	Situation of Fire Station (name of street or building).	Postal Address.	No. of Firemen on the Roll.	Horses.	Plant.							Calls attended during the year.			Source of Water Supply.
						Fire Engines.			Reels.	Hose Carts.	Ladder Wagons.	Hose.	Actual Fires.	Chimney Fires.	False Alarms.	
						Steam.	Manual	Total.								
						No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Feet.	No.	No.	No.	
1	Coolgardie	Sylvester Street	Coolgardie... ...	26	1	...	2	2	2	1	...	2500	45	3	9	20 Tanks of 2,000 gallons each, stationed in streets; also 84,000 gallons of water in Swimming Baths.
2	Cue	Austin Street	Cue	30	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	2000	3	...	2	Cue Waterworks.
3	Esperance	Andrew Street	Esperance	8	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1380	...	...	...	Sea.
4	Fremantle	Mouatt Street	Fremantle	15	1	1	...	1	2	1	1	3000	20	1	2	Town Supply, Ocean and River.
5	Fremantle, North...	John Street	Fremantle, North...	15	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	800	3	...	1	Reticulation.
6	Geraldton	Marine Terrace	Geraldton	17	...	1	1	2	2	...	...	2250	4	1	...	Sea.
7	Kalgoorlie	Brookman Street... ...	Kalgoorlie	30	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1400	29	...	2	2 Underground Tanks, 4,500 gallons each; Local Condensers and Private Tanks.
8	Kanowna	Isabella Street	Kanowna	11	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	600	1	1	6	Obtained from Lake, and placed in tanks in different parts of the town; also private tanks when required.
9	Menzies	Walsh Street	Menzies	20	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1100	4	...	2	6 Tanks of 2,000 gallons each in convenient parts of town; also private tanks when required.
10	Norseman ...	Ramsay Street	Norseman	12	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	550	1	...	...	Elevated Tank of 5,000 gallons capacity supplied with water pumped from Lake.
11	Northam	Fitzgerald Terrace ...	Northam	16	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	700	...	...	...	River Avon and Government Wells.
12	Perth (Metropolitan)	Town Hall, Barrack Street	Barrack Street, Perth	28	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	4000	71	1	10	Metropolitan Waterworks.

Returns relating to Fire Brigades for the Year 1898—continued.

No. 28.—REVENUE, EXPENDITURE, AND ESTIMATED VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS, AND PLANT.

No.	Name of Fire Brigade.	Year ended	General Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure.										Estimated Value of Land and Buildings.	Estimated Value of Plant.
			Receipts.						Expenditure.					
			Government Grant.	Grant from the Municipality.	Grant from the Fire Insurance Companies.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total Receipts.	Salaries, Fees, and Wages.	Additions to Plant.	All other Expenditure.	Total Expenditure.		
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Coolgardie	31-12-98	150 0 0	1575 13 4	...	...	...	1725 13 4	1183 5 10	360 18 6	181 9 0	1725 13 4	492 14 8	572 9 3
2	Cue	31-12-98	75 0 0	...	...	...	...	75 0 0	15 0 0	9 1 1	24 10 6	48 11 7	...	520 0 0
3	Esperance	31-12-98	50 0 0	25 0 0	...	...	...	75 0 0	4 0 0	37 17 9	33 2 3	75 0 0	...	608 4 11
4	Fremantle	31-8-98	200 0 0	270 0 0	...	20 9 2	102 0 0	592 9 2	212 0 0	65 0 0	312 15 1	589 15 1	850 0 0	780 0 0
5	Fremantle, North ...	31-12-98	50 0 0	50 0 0	...	...	...	100 0 0	...	57 5 6	34 14 6	92 0 0	170 0 0	330 0 0
6	Geraldton	31-12-98	150 0 0	20 0 0	...	54 11 8	27 7 6	251 19 2	27 7 6	90 5 6	94 2 10	211 15 10	70 0 0	1200 0 0
7	Kalgoorlie	31-12-98	150 0 0	100 0 0	...	108 17 6	...	358 17 6	174 4 0	20 0 0	94 8 10	288 12 10	760 0 0	420 0 0
8	Kanowna	31-12-98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0 0	...	6 0 0	74 0 0	96 0 0
9	Menzies	31-12-98	25 0 0	...	...	1 0 0	...	26 0 0	...	...	27 0 0	27 0 0	650 0 0	421 5 0
10	Norseman	31-12-98	275 0 0	307 17 8	...	...	...	582 17 8	12 10 0	561 10 11	8 7 6	582 8 5	150 0 0	561 10 11
11	Northam	31-12-98	275 0 0	10 0 0	...	1 16 6	...	286 16 6	3 14 6	...	17 1 4	20 15 10	...	287 14 6
12	Perth (Metropolitan) ...	31-12-98	200 0 0	1000 0 0	...	...	...	1200 0 0	460 0 0	740 0 0	...	1200 0 0	...	1200 0 0

Perth, 1st February, 1900.

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YEAR.	POPULATION. Males.	Females.	Total.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Arrivals by Sea.	Departures by Sea.	FINANCE. General Revenue.	General Expenditure.	Customs Receipts.	Works Department—Expenditure from Revenue. (f.)	Public Debt.	Loan Expenditure on Railways and Tramways.	Loan Expenditure on Telegraph Lines.	Loan Expenditure on Other Public Works.	LANDS. Land alienated.	Lands in process of alienation, or held on Leases and Licenses.	Land Revenue.	AGRICULTURE. Wheat.	Hay.	Total under Crop.	LIVE STOCK. Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS. Miles open.	Receipts.	Expenditure from Revenue.	PRIVATE RAILWAYS. Miles open.	MINES DEPARTMENT. Receipts.	Expenditure from Revenue.	YEAR.
									£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	No. of Acres.	Acres.	£	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.		£	£		£	£	
1829*	c	c	652	...	...	...	652	...	3,140	3,140	...	...	...	...	...	...	525,000	Licenses to occupy Crown Lands first issued in 1848; the records prior to 1856 are not obtainable.	...	d	d	d	57	204	1,469	106	...	...	...	...	...	...	1829
1830*	c	c	1,767	...	...	...	1,125	...	17,485	17,485	...	...	...	...	...	...	633,345		...	d	d	d	101	583	7,981	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	1830
1831*	c	c	c	...	...	...	179	64	20,379	20,379	...	...	...	...	...	...	100,124		...	d	d	d	c	c	c	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	1831
1832*	c	c	c	...	...	...	14	39	20,909	20,909	...	...	...	...	...	...	234,723		...	d	d	d	c	c	c	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	1832
1833*	c	c	c	...	...	...	73	148	21,097	21,097	1,549	...	...	...	...	...			...	d	d	600	c	c	c	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	1833
1834*	c	c	1,800	...	...	...	142	123	26,379	25,413	2,267	...	...	...	...	...			15	564	d	918	162	500	3,545	374	...	...	...	...	...	...	1834
1835*	c	c	c	...	...	...	96	68	22,352	20,933	2,437	453	...	...	...	...			458	1,156	d	1,579	167	646	5,138	550	...	...	...	...	...	...	1835
1836*	c	c	c	...	...	...	49	57	8,920	11,327	2,180	1,043	...	...	...	...			118	1,215	d	2,055	191	728	8,119	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	1836
1837*	1,249	776	2,025	56	21	7	c	...	11,973	11,038	2,253	2,061	...	...	...	...	13,988		708	1,275	236	2,415	280	991	10,815	777	...	...	...	...	...	...	1837
1838*	1,152	776	1,928	93	36	13	41	...	13,849	12,278	2,839	1,395	...	...	...	...	103,837		37	1,436	555	2,501	306	1,301	16,816	908	...	...	...	...	...	...	1838
1839*	1,302	852	2,154	82	24	13	168	...	12,713	11,462	2,575	1,489	...	...	...	...	13,710		674	1,481	561	2,578	382	1,394	20,829	1,299	...	...	...	...	...	...	1839
1840*	1,434	877	2,311	54	20	25	123	...	16,827	15,098	4,251	1,396	...	...	...	...	56,068		2,639	1,670	719	2,921	506	2,318	30,961	1,533	...	...	...	...	...	...	1840
1841*	1,706	1,054	2,760	62	27	32	414	...	18,466	17,919	5,694	2,606	...	...	...	...	13,866		3,183	1,899	706	3,515	858	2,917	44,551	1,918	...	...	...	...	...	...	1841
1842*	2,115	1,361	3,476	72	29	38	673	...	17,032	18,334	5,512	1,457	...	...	...	...	5,072		880	2,039	710	3,047	1,069	4,122	60,380	1,713	...	...	...	...	...	...	1842
1843*	2,304	1,549	3,853	158	41	44	260	...	17,791	20,815	6,614	1,444	...	...	...	...	11,957		622	2,884	713	3,858	1,202	4,861	76,191	1,951	...	...	...	...	...	...	1843
1844*	2,622	1,728	4,350	193	53	37	358	...	14,352	14,563	5,381	555	...	...	...	...	5,071		162	3,283	532	4,867	1,231	5,376	86,482	1,702	...	...	...	...	...	...	1844
1845*	2,594	1,790	4,479	184	55	36	...	129	14,795	14,830	5,427	236	...	...	...	...	5,334		224	3,313	551	4,836	1,430	6,508	95,681	1,545	...	...	...	...	...	...	1845
1846*	2,772	1,815	4,547	117	39	35	118	...	15,327	14,986	6,075	495	...	...	...	...	1,538		383	3,977	596	5,768	1,727	7,583	102,084	2,953	...	...	...	...	...	...	1846
1847*	2,821	1,896	4,717	192	69	22	47	...	16,139	15,872	6,285	463	...	...	...	...	3,350		1,172	2,975	1,862	5,514	1,841	8,699	114,124	2,963	...	...	...	...	...	...	1847
1848*	2,818	1,804	4,622	186	68	28	213	...	18,188	18,419	7,055	1,213	...	...	...	...	8,926		1,266	3,316	2,320	7,070	2,095	10,919	141,123	3,028	...	...	...	...	...	...	1848
1849*	3,197	2,057	5,254	180	61	33	217	...	17,340	18,328	6,559	1,900	...	...	...	...	921		1,043	3,866	1,942	7,240	2,365	11,995	134,617	3,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	1849
1850*	3,576	2,310	5,886	186	54	37	203	...	19,138	16,657	7,802	1,195	...	...	...	...	2,504		2,076	4,416	1,567	7,419	2,635	13,074	128,111	3,190	...	...	...	...	...	...	1850
1851*	4,633	2,553	7,186	220	37	57	219	...	25,201	23,926	11,182	3,695	...	...	...	...	1,333		3,790	4,089	1,872	7,294	2,978	15,315	141,413	3,203	...	...	...	...	...	...	1851
1852*	5,645	3,066	8,711	259	65	66	421	...	37,022	34,777	16,638	9,037	...	...	...	...	2,169		4,614	4,304	1,717	7,634	3,330	15,647	155,132	3,250	...	...	...	...	...	...	1852
1853*	5,727	3,607	9,334	257	72	122	438	...	37,353	38,053	19,481	8,872	...	...	...	...	1,617		4,599	5,053	2,270	10,299	3,986	20,265	157,968	4,151	...	...	...	...	...	...	1853
1854*	7,778	3,965	11,743	288	58	125	2,412	...	45,775	45,171	22,245	7,146	924	...	...	...	2,142		5,743	5,867	2,536	13,979	4,676	20,277	173,423	4,432	...	...	...	...	...	...	1854
1855*	8,311	4,294	12,605	381	58	127	537	...	48,639	49,240	20,490	6,811	924	...	...	...	1,715		7,258	8,409	2,284	13,689	4,887	21,083	184,114	5,309	...	...	...	...	...	...	1855
1856*	8,751	4,407	13,158	355	96	99	294	...	51,170	46,990	26,606	4,588	924	...	...	...	2,456	4,131,368	7,224	9,712	3,465	18,064	5,408	23,207	177,717	6,247	...	...	...	...	...	...	1856
1857*	8,833	4,535	13,368	466	164	113	...	92	40,923	45,003	16,986	4,731	b	...	...	...	2,713	4,512,437	6,400	10,897	3,559	17,973	7,214	26,297	198,386	8,651	...	...	...	...	...	...	1857
1858*	9,735	4,808	14,543	491	164	144	848	...	52,804	47,119	26,961	4,572	1,750	...	...	...	3,368	4,965,046	9,360	11,717	4,284	20,904	7,153	27,806	217,280	9,338	...	...	...	...	...	...	1858
1859*	9,522	5,315	14,837	531	209	151	...	261	57,943	54,919	28,853	6,946	1,750	...	...	...	2,231	5,242,486	10,001	13,610	5,438	25,800	8,386	30,990	234,815	11,430	...	...	...	...	...	...	1859
1860	9,529	5,698	15.227	588	209	151	461	450	69,863	61,745	33,019	12,741	1,750	...	...	...	18,193	5,563,023	17,343	13,584	6,626	24,705	9,555	32,476	260,136	10,991	...	...	...	...	...	...	1860
1861	9,852	5,839	15,691	585	257	149	560	424	67,261	81,087	31,829	26,794	1,750	...	...	...	13,153	6,657,105	16,509	14,189	7,190	27,018	10,720	33,795	279,576	11,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	1861
1862	10,962	6,284	17,246	628	228	162	1,808	653	69,407	72,268	32,488	15,683	1,750	...	...	...	11,951	7,079,386	14,815	13,769	8,337	28,059	12,099	36,887	295,666	11,366	...	...	...	...	...	...	1862
1863	12,005	6,775	18,780	597	246	154	1,920	737	71,709	71,073	31,857	10,670	1,750	...	...	...	5,372	8,439,827	14,085	18,067	7,703	33,406	12,609	39,336	348,358	11,953	...	...	...	...	...	...	1863
1864	12,461	7,010	19,471	763	329	155	1,173	916	71,911	70,715	34,184	9,796	1,750	...	...	...	6,406	9,191,308	15,295	19,550	7,939	35,884	15,449	44,569	383,878	15,585	...	...	...	...	...	...	1864
1865	13,005	7,255	20,260	690	333	145	1,268	836	77,943	74,985	38,771	8,327	1,750	...	...	...	7,565	12,343,331	15,662	22,249	8,824	38,180	15,700	45,148	445,044	15,680	...	...	...	...	...	...	1865
1866	13,584	7,481	21,065	710	327	149	1,069	647	89,382	84,652	44,642	12,375	b	...	...	...	8,283	15,518,907	19,476	25,187	10,329	43,159	16,561	41,323	481,040	12,467	...	...	...	...	...	...	1866
1867	13,934	7,779	21,713	754	360	168	721	467	90,431	89,502	41,640	13,506	b	...	...	...	13,937	17,698,403	22,273	25,821	11,075	45,509	17,297	45,962	537,597	14,823	...	...	...	...	...	...	1867
1868	14,539	8,194	22,733	740	354	177	1,038	404	99,496	89,726	46,491	15,843	b	...	...	...	15,926	16,754,898	24,919	30,323	10,999	50,014	18,924	46,211	599,756	18,891	...	...	...	...	...	...	1868
1869	14,415	8,500	22,915	751	334	173	503	752	103,661	103,124	49,382	22,091	b	...	...	...	14,835	15,160,310	23,346	25,830	14,281	49,089	22,093	45,867	648,683	17,203	...	...	...	...	...	...	1869
1870	15,474	9,610	25,084	615	281	153	268	303	98,132	113,046	42,721	23,492	b	...	...	...	10,940	12,239,111	20,103	26,640	17,173	54,527	22,174	45,213	608,892	12,927	...	...	...	...	...	...	1870
1871	15,565	9,788	25,353	760	332	159	320	479	97,606	107,148	45,877	16,932	b	...	...	...	4,536	11,317,632	17,740	32,275	15,044	58,324	22,698	49,593	670,999	14,265	...	...	...	...	...	...	1871
1872	15,680	10,044	25,724	828	358	142	320	419	105,301	98,248	55,528	11,452	35,000	...	73,277	53,259	11,294	11,931,896	18,231	31,619	13,680	53,240	25,263	44,550	688,290	19,749	...	...	...	...	...	...	1872
1873	15,569	10,192	25,761	809	418	161	285	639	134,832	114,270	69,329	16,679	135,000	...			15,612	14,490,042	20,512	25,697	15,941	51,724	26,290	47,640	748,536	20,948	...	...	...	...	...	...	1873
1874	15,722	10,487	26,209	876	487	181	660	601	148,073	143,266	82,275	11,359	135,000	...			17,156	17,179,634	27,485	23,427	13,366	45,292	26,636	46,748	777,861	13,290	...	...	...	...	...	...	1874
1875	15,910	10,799	26,709	760	473	192	733	520	157.775	169,230	80,645	17,904	135,000	...			27,610	21,321,265	33,286	21,561	17,319	47,571	29,379	50,416	881,861	14,420	...	...	...	...	...	...	1875
1876	16,166	11,155	27,231	918	383	191	727	650	162,189	179,484	85,178	21,900	161,000	...			30,073	25,417,571	32,167	18,769	16,856	45,933	33,502	54,058	899,494	18,108	...	...	...	...	...	...	1876
1877	16,326	11,512	27,838	912	433	176	613	575	165,413	182,959	81,286	20,830	161,000	274,320			19,830	26,995,865	31,368	22,834	18,013	50,591	30,691	52,057	797,156	18,942	...	...	...	...	...	...	1877
1878	16,409	11,757	28,166	871	394	182	322	471	163,344	198,243	75,850	24,192	161,000				65,489	27,477,299	31,245	23,008	18,750	51,674	32,701	56,158	869,325	16,762	c	184	3,120	...	...	...	1878
1879	16,628	12,040	28,668	977	411	215	214	278	196,315	195,812	88,330	26,375	361,000				24,353	37,351,243	33,398	25,762	19,085	56,432	32,411	60,617	1,109,860	20,397	35	1,563	5,066	...	...	...	1879
1880	16,559	12,460	29,019	933	382	214	577	777	180,049	204,337	95,511	13,290	361,000				13,810	44,919,631	35,752	27,686	19,563	63,902	34,568	63,719	1,231,717	24,232	35	2,872	5,634	...	...	...	1880
1881	17,216	12,797	30,013	681	297	197	611	690	254,313	197,386	107,993	4,465	511,000				19,242	58,253,693	40,444	21,951	24,445	53,353	31,755	63,009	1,267,912	22,530	55	9,308	12,215	...	...	...	1881
1882	17,551	13,215	30,766	1,089	430	215	932	838	250,372	205,451	118,848	14,903	511,000	29,946	...	8,987	21,120	137,256,300	65,919	22,718	26,959	56,691	31,325	65,473	1,259,797	16,898	55	12,572	15,071	...	...	...	1882
1883	18,005	13,695	31,700	1,058	560	217	1,507	1,071	284,364	240,566	121,269	27,698	611,000	40,933	1,646	12,340	30,750	161,347,734	93,798	28,768	20,295	58,111	32,884	64,558	1,315,155	18,512	55	14,515	15,632	...	...	...	1883
1884	18,623	14,335	32,958	1,094	707	230	2,434	1,563	290,319	291,307	118,443	39,363	765,000	138,645	19,505	5,302	39,895	148,550,986	90,471	29,416	24,053	74,930	37,111	71,102	1,547,061	20,039	55	19,543	20,526	...	...	...	1884
1885	19,989	15,197	35,186	1,200	600	256	3,047	1,419	323,213	308,849	134,842	31,131	1,288,100	118,862	36,028	4,648	54,192	153,775,473	100,238	29,511	19,677	60,058	34,392	70,408	1,702,719	24,280	124	27,179	30,926	...	...	...	1885
1886	23,044	16,540	39,584	1,466	806	297	5,615	1,877	388,564	394,675	164,048	55,733	1,286,000	113,257	8,267	13,148	38,945	129,219,079	104,448	24,043	25,718	84,403	38,360	88,254	1,809,071	24,655	151	35,896	44,581	...	...	...	1886
1887	24,807	17,681	42,488	1,557	702	316	4,450	2,400	377,904	456,898	170,972	59,517	1,280,700	117,511	41,514	46,233	25,406	123,361,085	76,892	27,512	25,807	66,163	41,100	93,544	1,909,940	23,627	176	42,686	57,813	51	847	776	1887
1888	24,275	17,862	42,137	1,518	673	304	1,598	2,794	357,004	385,130	159,059	21,489	1,275,200	6,953	18,348	18,503	21,583	108,667,013	78,296	30,740	23,914	65,701	41,390	95,822	2,112,392	25,083	191	40,150	54,522	51	3,895	3,076	1888
1889	25,066	18,632	43,698	1,594	611	300	2,850	2,272	442,725	386,001	171,990	20,901	1,371,981	4,246	31,051	92,735	1,417,277	107,194,183	80,102	35,507	25,704	73,408	42,806	119,571	2,366,681	27,079	191	43,633	63,939	293	7,826	3,151	1889
1890	26,794	19,496	46,290	1,561	540	278	3,567	1,996	414,314	401,737	182,546	29,370	1,367,444	1,497	3,105	11,304	1,838,768	104,921,357	104,384	33,820	23,183	69,678	44,384	130,970	2,524,913	28,985	191	48,629	62,270	385	4,029	3,522	1890
1891	32,228	21,057	53,285	1,786	869	413	6,346	2,661	497,670	435,623	237,686	30,976	1,613,594	43,639	3,596	30,759	24,474	107,472,756	99,446	26,866	28,534	64,210	40,812	133,690	1,962,212	25,930	206	65,710	68,348	451	3,814	4,689	1891
1892	36,095	22,579	58,674	1,848	931	412	7,440	2,968	543,888	550,616	276,544	50,944	2,261,864	258,017	11,673	99,540	326,062	100,475,799	73,274	35,061	35,124	79,605	44,973	162,886	1,685,500	24,417	206	94,258	92,600	453	6,085	5,189	1892
1893	41,014	24,050	65,064	2,112	945	392	8,928	3,705	570,651	640,801	259,495	80,993	2,873,098	¶207,069	¶ 1,260	¶ 62,312	363,422	94,603,585	69,663	42,673	29,590	83,714	45,747	173,747	2,220,642	26,233	260	120,821	94,735	507	9,031	6,179	1893
1894	55,072	27,000	82,072	2,123	1,081	482	25,858	9,892	863,679	755,564	415,083	85,801	3,266,309	a 505,427	a 28	a 153,735	55,004	90,216,400	78,961	21,433	49,896	81,328	50,001	187,214	2,132,311	28,396	327	200,043	136,616	572	36,779	11,855	1894
1895	69,727	31,508	101,235	2,373	1,604	633	29,523	11,129	1,438,717	1,212,314	621,825	284,206	3,988,597	a 362,592	a 8,312	a 235,598	228,010	88,080,252	153,876	23,241	63,804	97,821	58 506	200,091	2,295,832	27,015	581	351,772	215,351	572	77,885	20,880	1895
1896	96,952	40,994	137,946	2,782	2.020	1,077	55,215	19,266	2,440,390	2,362,003	996,812	800,548	4,732,554	a 409,121	a 11,698	a 229,889	46,622	85,385,046	160,001	31,488	69,436	111,738	57,527	199,793	2,248,976	31,154	596	683,246	371,724	572	215,203	68,881	1896
1897	110,359	51,565	161,924	4,021	2 643	1,659	49,387	26,787	2,843,775	3,236,044	1,076,330	931,061	7,608,480	a 1,926,795	e	a 682,873	31,450	90,802,838	161,162	38,705	80,938	133,183	62,222	244,971	2,210,742	31,809	978	1,048,194	746,705	391	121,170	112,389	1897
1898	112,054	56,075	168,129	4,968	2.716	1,674	32,709	28,756	2,604,943	2,989,782	924,883	579,637	10,188,175	a 1,385,794	e	a 510,351	13,894	94,011,975	169,999	75,032	79,223	171,777	63,604	269,947	2,251,548	39,433	992	1,022,590	853,529	495	78,428	84,950	1898

YEAR.	POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT. Miles of Posts.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Post Office Savings Bank. Number of Depositors.	Due to Depositors December 31st.	COMMERCE. Shipping. Inward. Ships.	Inward. Tons.	Outward. Ships.	Outward. Tons.	Imports.	Exports.	EXPORT OF CERTAIN ARTICLES, THE PRODUCE OF THE COLONY. Gold. Ozs.	Gold. Value.	Pig Lead. Tons.	Pig Lead. Value.	Lead Ore. Tons.	Lead Ore. Value.	Copper Ore. Tons.	Copper Ore. Value.	Tin Ore. Tons.	Tin Ore. Value.	Wool. Quantity.	Wool. Price per lb.	Wool. Value.	Timber. Loads.	Timber. Value.	Sandalwood. Tons.	Sandalwood. Value.	Grain. Value.	Potatoes. Value.	Flour. Value.	Horses. Value.	Cattle. Value.	Sheep. Value.	Pearl Shells. Value.	Pearls. Value.	Guano. Value.	YEAR.
		£	£		£					£	£		£		£		£		£		£	lbs.	s. d.	£		£		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
1829	...	...	...	...	...	18	5,209	18	5,209	50,284	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1829
1830	...	...	...	...	...	39	11,601	39	11,601	114,177	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1830
1831	...	...	...	...	...	27	4,397	27	4,397	67,371	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1831
1832	...	...	...	...	...	13	1,583	13	1,583	26,581	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1832
1833	...	...	...	...	...	21	3,066	21	3,066	48,013	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1833
1834	...	...	...	...	...	18	2,874	18	2,874	36,942	758	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,585	2 0	758	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1834
1835	...	...	54	...	...	27	3,469	27	3,469	50,727	1,025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,250	2 0	1,025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1835
1836	...	...	50	...	...	11	1,430	11	1,430	‡	2,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,000	2 0	1,500	200	2,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1836
1837	...	26	94	...	...	14	3,013	14	3,013	45,407	6,906	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,180	1 6	1,684	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1837
1838	...	66	159	...	...	24	5,516	21	4,877	46,766	6,840	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36,450	1 0	1,935	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1838
1839	...	73	165	...	...	64	16,805	64	15,805	§	§	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36,450	1 3	2,278	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1839
1840	...	69	377	...	...	137	39,850	137	39,850	§	§	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50,000	1 0	2,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1840
1841	...	77	571	...	...	97	26,781	130	35,162	§	§	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60,000	1 0	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1841
1842	...	181	959	...	...	151	32,496	151	32,496	§	§	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84,640	1 0	4,252	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1842
1843	...	348	1,192	...	...	82	17,130	82	17,000	37,486	7,089	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	122,495	1 0	6,124	...	...	...	...	...	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1843
1844	...	352	886	...	...	56	10,002	54	9,652	36,440	13,364	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	140,155	1 0	7,007	...	163	...	...	38	220	...	240	190	34	...	...	...	1844
1845	...	346	756	...	...	36	7,855	36	7,850	20,350	13,353	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	144,390	1 0	7,219	...	...	4	40	123	392	...	340	136	155	...	...	...	1845
1846	...	333	763	...	...	31	6,365	31	5,451	25,959	20,223	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	291,368	1 0	13,363	51	255	32	320	...	487	...	563	84	183	...	...	...	1846
1847	...	297	546	...	...	29	5,406	28	5,195	25,463	24,535	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	229,297	1 2	11,464	244	1,120	370	4,444	...	389	...	200	516	163	...	...	18	1847
1848	...	299	597	...	...	69	15,494	68	13,957	45,411	29,598	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	301,965	1 0	15,098	67	333	1,335	13,353	...	...	...	205	208	136	...	...	...	1848
1849	...	322	516	...	...	67	15,100	67	15,100	53,881	25,866	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300,055	1 0	14,374	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1849
1850	...	349	536	...	...	64	15,988	67	14,748	52,351	22,135	...	...	...	...	5	55	...	...	...	...	309,640	1 0	15,482	210	1,048	...	...	...	96	...	484	24	118	...	...	...	1850
1851	...	428	642	...	...	79	16,540	79	18,661	56,598	26,870	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	359,317	1 0	17,883	25	268	219	1,593	...	47	...	1,976	7	...	...	...	...	1851
1852	...	894	1,094	...	...	74	25,326	76	24,036	97,304	24,181	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	356,153	1 0	16,768	141	806	...	...	...	127	4	769	70	121	...	...	...	1852
1853	...	917	1,602	...	...	108	44,750	98	38,821	126,735	31,645	...	...	55	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	397,428	1 0	19,870	1,044	5,220	...	...	...	140	...	100	...	50	...	...	...	1853
1854	...	1,436	2,053	...	...	97	38,969	99	42,614	128,260	34,109	...	...	122	2,440	...	...	...	...	...	...	442,881	1 0	22,341	1,170	7,023	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	1854
1855	...	1,151	2,046	...	...	95	27,537	93	26,897	105,320	46,314	...	...	134	2,675	25	250	2	26	...	...	493,073	1 1	24,723	1,538	12,076	...	...	...	...	...	1,780	7	...	...	...	125	1855
1856	...	2,103	2,210	...	...	112	26,681	112	25,604	122,938	44,740	...	...	60	1,200	...	...	57	1,018	...	...	500,996	1 3	25,672	1,410	9,671	...	...	...	...	...	2,060	...	...	...	..	...	1856
1857	..	1,842	2,335	...	...	117	59,822	116	59,452	94,532	59,947	...	...	120	2,410	...	...	80	1,920	...	...	478,486	1 6	35,886	1,384	9,449	280	2,524	...	1,299	168	1,782	...	...	...	...	...	1857
1858	...	2,147	2,225	...	...	116	58,830	113	55,719	144,932	78,649	...	...	61	1,220	...	...	433	9,531	...	...	543,504	1 6	33,969	585	2,340	745	7,455	208	1,224	880	14,035	...	...	...	...	...	1858
1859	...	2,546	2,494	...	...	111	63,414	103	57,665	125,315	93,037	...	...	25	495	14	135	941	14,122	...	...	594,665	1 6	44,599	1,345	6,051	1,278	17,259	15	812	120	2,730	20	...	...	...	...	1859
1860	...	2,790	3,627	...	...	109	54,564	126	62,615	169,075	89,247	...	...	...	...	98	985	517	8,021	...	...	656,815	1 6	49,261	1,096	4,932	1,687	16,360	10	630	220	600	...	2,200	...	...	...	1860
1861	...	2,789	4,453	...	...	110	57,456	109	57,800	147,913	95,789	...	...	...	...	79	790	409	6,339	...	...	723,965	1 6	54,297	555	2,497	2,558	24,945	84	168	5	1,720	10	30	...	...	...	1861
1862	...	3,077	4,873	...	...	105	54,471	103	50,455	172,991	119,313	...	...	...	...	9	90	783	12,536	...	...	806,006	1 6	60,450	1,376	7,151	2,393	21,541	...	165	468	5,280	...	...	250	...	...	1862
1863	...	3,496	3,944	224	2,486	91	48,058	87	46,219	157,137	143,106	...	...	...	...	230	2,300	760	12,208	...	...	1,121,183	1 6	84,088	658	2,963	2,807	25,265	2	6	...	6,050	...	...	...	...	...	1863
1864	...	3,783	4,274	633	6,391	96	45,972	95	47,826	168,707	111,902	...	...	...	...	80	800	1,076	17,216	...	...	550,598	1 6	41,294	1,166	5,508	2,724	24,520	50	381	3,750	11,825	56	25	5	...	...	1864
1865	...	3,850	4,189	965	9,888	115	51,741	117	52,411	168,414	179,148	...	...	...	...	703	8,436	886	13,290	...	...	1,358,874	1 6	101,915	3,679	15,693	1,686	13,490	124	353	8,270	8,167	161	133	...	...	175	1865
1866	...	3,962	4,659	c	12,153	116	57,319	114	56,417	251,907	152,240	...	...	...	...	902	10,824	337	5,055	...	...	1,234,070	1 6	92,555	1,713	6,849	2,965	23,722	...	138	1,963	5,170	14	6	7	...	...	1866
1867	...	3,921	5,181	c	12,367	109	50,242	110	51,077	204,613	174,080	...	...	3	50	273	3,282	557	8,362	...	...	1,312,016	1 4	87,467	1,135	4,541	2,305	18,442	110	161	12,457	8,074	28	50	556	...	...	1867
1868	...	4,423	5,866	851	13,528	125	56,223	114	52,195	225,614	192,636	...	...	...	...	1,100	13,206	83	1,245	...	...	1,572,068	1 3	98,254	160	638	3,256	26,045	3,922	96	17,445	4,288	14	7	5,554	...	...	1868
1869	...	4,638	6,481	1,112	14,307	119	62,705	135	65,812	256,729	205,502	...	...	...	...	699	8,394	155	2,325	...	...	1,880,426	1 0	94,021	3,598	14,274	4,124	32,998	...	512	600	12,272	224	191	6,490	...	...	1869
1870	...	4,226	7,105	895	13,582	127	65,716	131	67,730	213,259	200,985	...	...	...	...	1,209	14,514	6	90	...	...	1,787,812	1 0	89,390	3,144	17,551	6,112	48,890	...	172	...	4,544	...	240	9,431	50	...	1870
1871	21	4,014	8,474	976	14,216	113	62,279	123	64,669	198,011	199,281	...	...	...	...	420	5,040	...	...	...	...	1,665,915	1 4	111,061	4,370	15,304	3,366	26,926	812	30	4,822	6,648	504	526	12,895	...	...	1871
1872	520	4,233	8,187	1,062	15,583	146	69,306	148	68,411	226,656	209,197	...	...	...	...	364	4,368	...	...	...	...	1,839,562	1 4	122,637	740	2,590	3,942	31,536	...	...	2,430	5,124	231	1,132	25,890	...	107	1872
1873	550	6,392	9,706	1,220	18 635	137	69,669	150	70,568	297,328	265,217	...	...	...	...	965	11,586	56	847	...	...	1,761,323	1 6	132,099	1,363	4,771	6,292	62,916	...	...	...	4,396	84	370	28,388	6,000	...	1873
1874	800	7,673	10 591	1,291	19,404	144	65,351	153	67,476	364,263	428,837	...	...	...	...	2,144	25,725	67	998	...	...	2,874,992	1 6	215,624	6,912	24,192	7,057	70,572	...	...	28	5,600	469	...	62,162	12,000	...	1874
1875	800	7,856	14,898	1,408	23,885	154	66,919	151	67,242	349,840	391,217	...	...	5	89	2,289	27,468	205	3,071	...	...	2,428,160	1 6	182,112	6,847	23,965	6,646	66,465	...	...	...	2,758	84	...	64,642	12,000	...	1875
1876	1,0[illegible]6	8,989	16,322	1,397	25,923	173	79,108	157	75,018	386,037	397,293	...	...	7	155	2,191	26,298	279	4,185	...	...	2,831,174	1 2	165,152	4,381	23,743	6,577	65,772	...	...	...	10,822	357	35	75,292	8,000	367	1876
1877	1,515	10,414	19,120	1,545	27,88[illegible]	142	73,596	148	78,621	362,706	373,351	...	...	1	15	3,955	47,466	53	802	...	...	3,992,487	1 0	199,624	6,723	36,979	4,247	31,851	...	...	...	7,900	875	...	12,450	10,000	6,060	1877
1878	1,568	10,100	22,236	1,389	23,604	155	80,655	161	82,098	379,050	428,491	...	...	...	...	3,617	43,410	9	135	...	...	3,019,051	1 0	150,953	11,618	63,902	4,675	35,064	...	...	...	9,937	1,701	94	25,662	12,000	66,095	1878
1879	1,568	10,498	24,184	1,332	23,050	162	81,951	162	85,086	407,299	494,883	...	...	...	...	2,775	33,300	...	...	...	...	3,505,688	1 0	175,284	12,545	69,742	4,667	35,001	...	...	...	11,987	196	438	86,405	12,060	54,184	1879
1880	1,568	13,014	29,90[illegible]	1,299	22,724	165	123,985	168	126,444	353,669	499,183	...	...	5	89	1,921	15,386	8	120	...	...	4,342,606	1 3	271,412	13,251	66,252	5,197	51,970	3,850	...	1,231	8,975	...	102	39,710	12,000	6,650	1880
1881	1,584	12,644	20,453	1,654	23,344	185	145,048	183	139,998	404,831	502,769	...	...	1	20	1,400	11,204	...	...	...	...	4,107,038	1 3	256,689	15,855	79,277	7,716	77,165	472	...	...	11,125	280	160	38,923	12,000	...	1881
1882	1,584	13,976	22,208	1,909	24,838	202	172,698	201	171,549	508,755	583,055	...	...	...	...	1,793	14,348	2	22	...	...	4,819,758	1 3	301,235	18,730	93,650	9,605	96,050	...	...	...	7,600	1,043	...	39,870	17,500	...	1882
1883	1,584	14,650	24,106	1,987	25,799	219	194,273	212	194,829	516,846	447,010	...	...	...	...	1,038	7,266	5	75	...	...	3,861,927	1 2	225,279	19,940	79,760	7,031	56,250	...	...	...	11,350	714	...	32,016	17,500	2,964	1883
1884	1,885	15,031	26,180	2,002	25,445	231	227,881	211	215,005	521,167	405,693	...	...	...	...	696	4,872	118	1,770	...	...	4,272,948	1 2	249,255	17,234	68,936	2,620	20,960	...	...	...	13,100	679	451	15,312	10,000	7,560	1884
1885	2,288	17,023	29,851	2,082	26,148	232	231,761	229	236,274	650,391	446,692	...	...	...	...	465	3,255	119	1,792	...	...	4,968,000	1 0	248,400	16,963	67,850	4,527	36,216	...	...	...	10,475	448	794	43,496	15,000	3,432	1885
1886	2,405	20,729	31,113	2,176	29,124	312	262,158	261	239,461	758,012	630,393	302	1,148	...	...	611	4,277	249	3,735	...	...	6,139,917	1 1	332,578	12,523	50,092	3,431	27,450	...	...	...	3,873	70	700	104,964	15,000	66,023	1886
1887	2,548	23,488	40,299	2,871	32,446	266	252,323	248	240,527	832,213	604,656	4,873	18,517	6	120	471	4,710	23	345	...	...	6,675,713	1 0	333,786	7,096	28,384	4,317	34,533	...	...	...	5,811	63	430	110,425	15,000	20,527	1887
1888	2,921	23,405	35,429	3,096	30,809	263	402,807	266	409,586	786,250	680,345	3,493	13,273	2	40	532	5,320	88	1,488	...	...	8,475,240	1 0	423,762	10,515	42,060	4,470	33,525	...	...	...	4,836	...	300	59,311	25,000	12,440	1888
1889	2,921	24,458	33,702	2,965	32,146	349	497,232	345	507,586	818,127	761,392	15,493	58,872	...	...	250	2,500	112	1,904	5	300	9,501,695	0 10	395,904	15,770	63,080	6,385	57,465	...	...	...	5,196	490	2,040	88,555	30,000	8,488	1889
1890	2,921	26,594	36,609	3,014	34,616	281	484,534	267	420,327	874,447	671,813	22,806	86,664	...	...	213	2,135	8	136	68	5,400	6,969,380	0 9	261,352	23,444	82,052	5,136	51,355	...	...	...	5,052	483	831	86,293	40,000	7,983	1890
1891	2,921	31,336	41,243	3,564	46,181	310	533,433	288	512,122	1,280,093	799,466	30,311	115,182	...	...	25	250	262	4,462	204	10,200	8,783,073	0 9	329,365	25,479	89,176	3,760	37,600	...	...	...	1,476	231	1,289	100,527	40,000	15,628	1891
1892	3,388	35,572	49,975	4,443	61,990	356	572,090	320	552,475	1,391,109	882,148	59,548	226,284	...	...	30	150	567	8,696	265	13,843	8,712,080	0 9	326,703	21,653	78,419	5,716	42,870	...	...	...	2,450	178	160	79,259	40.000	4,389	1892
1893	3,578	41,142	57,884	4,745	74,926	293	539,953	288	531,465	1,494,438	918,147	110,891	421,385	...	...	...	...	50	606	228	11,134	10,742,348	‖ 5d. 9d.	244,972	10,259	33,888	3,893	32,160	...	...	...	780	125	536	59,254	30,000	7,052	1893
1894	4,403	60,637	77,459	6,310	141,320	372	675,775	349	653,303	2,114,414	1,251,406	207,131	787,099	...	...	...	...	...	...	390	15,274	9,432,876	‖ 4½d. 8d.	232,201	21.274	74,804	2,784	23,430	...	...	...	285	...	520	37,805	25,000	3,919	1894
1895	4,577	113,086	108,578	8,374	221,815	485	814,368	433	764,185	3,774,951	1,332,554	231,513	879,748	...	...	...	...	826	12,952	277	9,703	8,290,805	‖ 5½d. 9d.	183,510	25,105	88,146	3,851	30,863	...	...	...	958	...	...	27,298	20,000	200	1895
1896	5,429	186,141	269,012	16,160	460,610	768	1,105,907	683	1,030,471	6,493,557	1,650,226	281,265	1,068,808	...	...	...	...	6	100	137	4,338	10,995,659	‖ 5½d. 9½d.	267,506	30,912	116,420	6,848	65,800	...	...	...	360	...	364	30,213	20,000	4,506	1896
1897	5,959	222,716	298,725	26,317	856,083	721	1,196,760	707	1,181,072	6,418,565	3,940,098	674,994	2,564,977	½	11	...	4	86	1,033	96	3,275	12,374,881	‖ 5½d. 9½d.	295,646	47,866	192,451	5,852	49,480	...	...	...	2,047	...	1,188	40,253	20,000	3,250	1897
1898	5,886	204,037	267,108	29,791	1,0[illegible]3,310	633	1,199,894	631	1,189,732	5,241,965	4,960,006	1,050,183	3,990,698	...	...	5	33	355	4,266	68	2,760	10,126,306	‖ 6½d. 12d.	287,731	81,723	326,195	4,349	31,812	...	...	...	1,947	1,102	105	78,784	20,000	9,386	1898

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* From the first settlement of the Colony up to the year 1837 there were no Blue Books issued, and the figures relating to arrivals and departures, shipping, imports and exports, were taken either from the reports of the Harbour-Master at Fremantle, or from the Perth newspapers of that period. From 1837 to 1859, inclusive, the Blue Books give only the excess of arrivals over departures, or *vice versa*. † The exports up to the year 1834 consisted only of supplies to shipping, of which no record was kept. ‡ No record of imports for the year 1836 can be found. § The Blue Books for the years 1839 to 1842, inclusive, do not give any statement of either imports or exports. ‖ From the year 1893 to date shipments have been made of both greasy and scoured wool, and the prices given in the first column are those of greasy, the others of scoured wool. ¶ Half-year ended 30th June.

a. Year ended 30th June. *b.* No Public Debt. *c.* No records obtainable. *d.* Agricultural returns for these years not obtainable, although it is well known that farming was carried on from the first settlement of the Colony. *e.* Since 31st December, 1895, the cost of Telegraph and Telephone construction has been defrayed from Consolidated Revenue. *f.* Exclusive of Railway expenditure.

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1.—METEOROLOGICAL STATISTICS.

(Returns supplied by the Government Astronomer.)

No. 1.—*Abstract of Meteorological Observations taken at Perth Gardens during the Year 1898.*

Latitude, 31° 57′ S. *Altitude, above mean sea level, 50ft.* *Longitude, 115° 51′ E.*

MONTH.	Barometer corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level.					Thermometers in Shade.							Humidity.	Rain. (100=1 inch.)						Cloud Mean 0—100		Ozone [0—10.]	Evaporation. 8″ Metal Dish. 100=1 inch.
	Mean.	Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	Mean Max.	Mean Min.	Mean.	Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	Mean.	Total.	Wet days.	Greatest fall on one day.	Date.	Average for preceding years.		9 a.m.	3 p.m.		
																		above.	below.				
January	29·910	30·144	12	29·514	27	87·1	63·4	75·2	106·9	21	54·4	18	68	49	1	49	28	15	...	24	19	3·6	791
February	29·860	30·188	24	29·635	2	89·3	65·1	77·2	106·5	6	52·8	24	57	36	2	20	3	...	7	30	14	3·6	811
March	29·964	30·190	30	29·709	10	86·6	60·6	73·6	99·6	4	50·4	29	62	14	2	12	28	...	76	20	15	3·8	601
April	30·200	30·400	8	29·824	11	78·7	54·7	66·7	89·2	10	49·0	26	70	46	3	27	12	...	139	29	33	4·6	403
May	30·122	30·515	4	29·621	31	71·8	51·5	61·6	79·6	11	46·3	17	72	349	9	125	28	...	156	36	49	4·8	298
June	30·076	30·418	23	29·596	8	61·6	46·5	54·0	67·0	26	37·4	14	77	619	15	103	9	...	31	56	69	5·6	135
July	30·120	30·532	22	29·509	28	65·5	49·6	57·6	71·6	9,24	40·0	16	69	567	16	95	3,13	...	18	52	56	5·6	211
August	30·008	30·360	27	29·509	5	66·7	48·7	57·7	77·8	24	41·6	15	72	870	16	148	25	313	...	60	59	5·6	253
September	30·085	30·358	16	29·595	2	69·4	52·9	61·2	83·8	29	45·4	26	69	213	17	53	6	...	92	48	42	5·3	275
October	29·966	30·270	19	29·654	17	70·0	55·4	62·7	87·4	1	43·8	6	69	354	21	52	18	166	...	59	69	5·3	374
November	30·007	30·211	28	29·653	9	76·9	56·1	66·5	92·8	29	48·0	6	67	76	6	40	11	...	12	33	31	4·4	592
December	29·931	30·188	5	29·675	27	84·0	61·0	72·5	103·2	16	54·2	7	56	11	1	11	20	...	60	25	24	4·0	807
Sum	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	3204	109	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5551
Mean	30·021	...	...	...	...	75·6	55·5	65·5	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	...	...	...	97	39	40	4·7	...
Extreme	...	30·532	July 22	29·50 9	July 28 and Aug. 5	...	...	...	106·9	Jan. 21	37·4	June 14	...	...	...	148	Aug. 25	...	...	...	...	...	...

PART XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

NO. 2.—PERTH GARDENS.—*Monthly Mean Readings compared for the Years 1876 to 1898.*

Year.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Mean.
* BAROMETER.													
1876	29·818	29·931	29·971	30·135	30·138	30·151	30·229	30·150	30·099	30·029	29·928	29·996	30·048
1877	29·931	29·931	30·103	30·159	30·073	30·327	30·140	30·191	30·232	30·103	30·072	30·005	30·106
1878	29·939	29·960	29·995	30·056	30·133	30·071	29·972	30·090	30·006	29·997	30·005	29·907	30·011
1879	29·904	29·924	30·052	30·276	29·969	30·022	30·141	30·135	30·091	30·137	29·984	29·897	30·044
1880	29·814	29·877	29·934	30·028	30·047	30·067	30·179	30·069	30·104	30·075	29·990	29·972	30·013
1881	29·913	29·971	30·019	30·092	30·087	30·136	30·176	30·210	30·140	30·053	29·915	29·897	30·051
1882	29·956	29·936	29·964	29·930	30·109	30·135	30·127	30·014	30·101	30·038	30·010	29·903	30·019
1883	29·948	29·951	30·023	30·050	29·995	29·971	30·200	30·126	30·207	30·094	29·971	29·952	30·041
1884	29·951	29·959	29·962	30·054	30·144	30·060	30·211	30·074	30·094	30·077	29·958	29·953	30·041
1885	29·974	29·960	30·030	30·110	30·046	30·186	30·090	30·078	30·134	30·110	30·048	29·922	30·057
1886	29·996	29·928	30·061	30·170	30·150	30·252	30·134	30·048	30·044	30·146	30·091	30·012	30·086
1887	29·956	29·960	30·048	30·129	30·138	30·129	30·127	30·067	30·118	30·118	30·018	30·004	30·068
1888	29·908	29·994	30·075	30·123	30·111	30·095	30·216	30·176	30·118	30·112	30·012	29·933	30·078
1889	30·008	29·974	30·084	30·050	30·036	29·969	30·173	30·120	30·036	30·044	29·937	29·912	30·029
1890	29·904	29·917	30·040	30·084	30·043	30·024	30·162	30·098	30·020	29·915	30·065	29·941	30·018
1891	29·928	29·983	30·036	30·132	30·065	30·106	30·258	30·216	30·150	30·074	30·066	29·982	30·083
1892	29·935	29·976	29·926	30·162	30·136	30·196	30·094	30·008	30·100	30·084	30·005	29·954	30·048
1893	29·890	29·874	30·045	29·976	30·027	30·121	30·038	30·194	30·006	30·010	30·022	29·918	30·010
1894	29·934	30·017	30·006	30·135	30·160	30·114	30·194	30·096	30·096	30·070	30·006	29·924	30·063
1895	29·927	29·982	30·102	30·157	30·206	30·088	30·138	30·035	30·097	30·080	30·053	29·975	30·070
1896	29·872	29·954	29·956	30·138	30·171	30·058	30·102	30·164	30·178	30·100	29·984	30·013	30·058
1897	29·939	29·990	30·029	30·106	30·154	30·028	30·180	30·183	30·087	30·080	30·014	29·956	30·062
1898	29·910	29·860	29·964	30·200	30·122	30·076	30·120	30·008	30·085	29·966	30·007	29·931	30·021
Mean for 14 years	29·934	29·955	30·028	30·120	30·112	30·103	30·145	30·106	30·090	30·064	30·024	29·960	30·054
TEMPERATURE.													
1876	74·7	79·0	71·6	67·7	60·8	56·8	57·2	58·1	58·4	62·1	66·6	70·4	65·3
1877	73·6	76·4	77·4	67·6	61·0	54·3	55·8	57·4	62·8	68·4	71·4	70·7	66·4
1878	80·0	77·4	73·2	66·5	62·5	58·0	57·5	57·5	61·5	66·0	72·5	74·5	67·3
1879	77·8	75·6	73·2	66·6	60·8	58·0	54·6	56·3	59·0	61·6	66·4	71·0	65·1
1880	82·2	78·4	71·0	65·4	60·4	54·0	54·2	56·2	59·0	60·2	66·5	71·6	64·9
1881	72·8	77·4	75·1	68·0	61·2	53·9	55·3	55·6	59·4	66·6	70·2	73·2	65·7
1882	75·4	78·6	72·4	65·7	58·0	53·5	54·7	55·2	59·6	63·0	67·9	75·0	64·9
1883	73·5	74·5	70·4	66·8	61·8	59·4	54·6	54·2	57·4	62·6	68·6	71·4	64·6
1884	75·7	75·6	72·4	65·6	59·6	56·0	54·2	59·2	58·9	62·1	68·9	68·6	64·7
1885	74·2	74·1	72·6	65·0	59·1	55·8	56·2	56·8	57·4	63·1	69·2	74·1	64·8
1886	75·0	78·6	75·0	66·7	60·4	55·8	53·3	53·7	57·9	58·1	66·2	72·1	64·4
1887	71·6	72·7	70·2	62·5	58·8	53·4	53·6	54·8	56·7	61·2	70·0	71·6	63·1
1888	74·0	74·4	76·6	67·7	59·4	57·7	54·8	54·3	58·7	64·9	68·9	72·4	65·3
1889	72·7	74·0	73·4	68·6	58·0	55·0	54·7	56·5	59·4	59·6	65·0	71·2	64·0
1890	76·4	74·0	71·7	69·4	61·8	54·8	52·7	55·9	58·6	59·4	67·4	70·8	64·4
1891	72·3	75·2	72·4	68·0	61·0	56·4	54·4	56·4	57·3	62·8	70·0	70·2	64·7
1892	76·0	76·4	71·4	66·2	60·6	54·8	54·8	55·2	59·5	60·1	64·3	73·0	64·4
1893	76·2	76·1	73·4	63·0	59·0	54·4	55·9	56·2	59·6	60·1	65·8	71·7	64·3
1894	75·5	74·5	71·1	65·3	60·5	58·5	54·4	56·2	58·4	61·6	70·4	73·9	65·0
1895	71·3	72·0	74·0	63·0	60·1	57·0	54·4	59·4	58·6	65·0	71·4	70·9	64·9
1896	78·5	77·6	71·3	63·6	60·9	57·6	53·4	57·4	60·2	63·9	69·4	70·0	65·3
1897	77·6	72·8	71·2	66·8	60·5	56·2	56·2	54·0	59·0	59·2	66·5	71·6	64·3
1898	75·2	77·2	73·6	66·7	61·6	54·0	57·6	57·7	61·2	62·7	66·5	72·5	65·5
Mean for 23 years	75·3	75·8	72·8	66·2	60·4	55·8	55·0	56·2	59·0	62·4	68·2	71·8	64·9

Year.	January.		February		March.		April.		May.		June.		July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.		Total.	
	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days.	Rainfall.	Days
† RAINFALL (100–1 inch)																										
1876	61	6	4	1	192	4	38	3	263	10	845	19	242	9	382	12	320	8	259	13	171	11	96	4	2873	100
1877	18	3	3	3	...	..	105	7	554	22	216	10	667	18	328	20	69	4	54	11	13	2	21	3	2048	103
1878	16	3	79	5	93	7	278	12	606	14	558	16	943	20	701	22	429	21	102	14	151	7	16	2	3972	143
1879	217	2	15	1	51	4	202	2	1213	14	656	15	556	13	535	16	213	12	350	13	62	9	64	5	4134	106
1880	28	5	72	4	114	6	332	12	334	13	717	16	375	10	628	17	254	14	104	9	212	7	9	3	3179	116
1881	113	4	2	1	112	4	170	7	431	15	535	13	550	15	108	11	268	13	52	5	130	7	64	8	2535	103
1882	15	4	3	1	90	6	497	15	273	13	494	11	852	18	1033	22	106	9	86	5	109	3	10	2	3568	109
1883	10	2	230	8	64	3	269	6	477	15	1181	23	512	18	554	14	207	10	196	8	118	6	147	9	3965	122
1884	51	1	25	2	...	..	104	6	283	7	857	19	365	9	822	17	236	14	293	9	75	4	85	4	3196	92
1885	41	2	...	..	88	2	294	8	869	18	506	17	529	18	559	25	138	7	156	6	84	4	80	3	3344	110
1886	12	2	62	1	...	..	69	3	277	7	422	10	621	17	706	21	551	18	71	5	99	5	...	..	2890	89
1887	19	3	95	2	119	5	234	7	362	7	582	13	1026	20	684	15	357	16	151	8	89	6	34	3	3752	105
1888	...	..	1	1	68	3	172	10	402	15	487	18	323	17	569	14	208	11	111	12	137	10	305	6	2783	117
1889	82	3	42	2	67	4	399	8	827	15	983	20	302	16	364	16	313	14	472	14	124	8	21	3	3996	123
1890	2	2	56	3	2	1	5	1	796	17	1211	19	391	14	593	21	601	20	787	21	44	2	185	5	4673	126
1891	4	1	...	..	86	6	19	4	732	15	628	17	712	12	313	14	458	14	66	7	...	..	15	3	3033	93
1892	12	5	19	1	41	8	131	7	478	12	528	14	565	19	975	25	220	14	49	5	97	7	8	5	3123	122
1893	4	2	67	6	171	8	363	13	768	19	322	9	882	21	439	17	530	19	303	18	59	8	104	5	4012	145
1894	...	..	38	2	33	7	5	2	333	8	435	21	495	13	385	16	332	15	148	11	21	3	147	5	2372	103
1895	21	1	108	7	8	3	151	8	156	9	844	14	683	19	654	24	468	20	108	9	13	2	87	7	3301	123
1896	10	2	...	..	450	8	94	6	363	14	722	17	852	14	371	14	108	10	98	10	23	3	59	5	3150	103
1897	...	..	29	4	143	2	148	6	312	13	570	18	419	14	543	16	322	13	109	6	116	7	14	2	2725	101
1898	49	1	36	2	14	2	46	3	349	9	619	15	567	16	870	16	213	17	354	21	76	6	11	1	3204	109
Mean for 23 years.	34	2	43	2	87	4	179	7	498	13	649	16	584	16	570	18	301	14	195	10	88	6	69	4	3297	112

* The monthly barometer mean readings since 1885 are taken from the 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. daily readings. Prior to that, the mean of the noon readings was used as the monthly mean. † The sign ... signifies "no rainfall."

Part XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 3.—*Mean and Extreme Results from Observations taken at Perth during the Year 1898, and during the previous Twenty-two Years.*

	Observatory, 1898.		Gardens, 1898.		Gardens for previous 22 Years.	
	Quantity.	Month.	Quantity.	Month.	Quantity.	Month and Year.
BAROMETER.						
Highest reading	30·529	July 22	30·532	July 22	30·663	June 26, 1877
Lowest reading	29·446	July 28	29·509	July 28 and August 5	29·319	November 13, 1876
Range for year	1·083	...	1·023	...	1·041	
Average	30·027	...	30·021	...	30·056	1885-1897
THERMOMETER.						
Maximum in shade	106·8	February 6	106·9	January 21	116·7	January 25, 1878
Minimum in the shade	36·9	June 14	37·4	June 14	31·2	June 27, 1877
Range for year	69·9	...	69·5	...	73·2	
Highest mean monthly maximum	87·0	February	89·3	February	97·8	January, 1880
Lowest mean monthly minimum	47·1	June	46·5	June	42·9	July, 1889
Mean maximum	73·5	...	75·6	...	75·7	
Mean minimum	55·8	...	55·5	...	54·1	
Mean temperature	64·6	...	65·5	...	64·9	
SOLAR RADIATION THERMOMETER.						
Solar radiation, mean monthly	131·2					
Highest mean monthly	145·2	January				
Lowest mean monthly	110·5	June				
Maximum	160·4	December 16				
TERRESTRIAL RADIATION.						
Highest mean monthly						
Lowest mean monthly	42·0	June				
Minimum reading	30·4	June 14				
HUMIDITY. (Saturation=100.)						
Highest mean for month	79	June				
Lowest mean for month	40	March				
Mean	56					
RAINFALL. (100=inch.)						
Total for year	3176	...	3204	...	3301	
Number of rainy days	118	...	109	...	112	
Maximum fall in one month	866	August	870	August	1213	May, 1879
Heavy falls (over 1 inch in 1898, over 2 inches in previous years)	93	May 25	100	May 25	206	June, 1876
	128	May 28	125	May 28	280	May, 1879
	103	June 8	100	June 8	245	June, 1879
	98	June 9	103	June 9	218	April 18, 1883
	144	August 3	146	August 3	217	June 14, 1883
	103	August 13	101	August 13	270	May 31, 1887
	138	August 19	135	August 19	253	April 21, 1889
	137	August 25	148	August 25	244	June 9, 1890
					300	July 4, 1891
					226	August 28, 1892
					208	May 3, 1893
EVAPORATION.						
Total for year	79·10	...	55·51			
Maximum for month	13·30	January	8·11	February		
Minimum for month	2·02	June	1·35	June		
Maximum for day	0·66	February 13	0.45	February 7		

No. 4.—*Epitome of Results of Observations taken at various Out Stations during 1898.*

	Station.	Barometer corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level.					Temperature in Shade.							Humidity.		Rain.				Cloud.	
		Mean.	Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean.	Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	9 a.m.	3 p.m.	Total.	Wet Days.	Greatest fall on one day.	Date.	9 a.m.	3 p.m.
COASTAL.	Wyndham ...	29·866	30·174	May 23	29·328	March 29	92·9	74·7	83·8	110·2	Oct. 28	57·0	July 25	52	47	3623	55	315	Dec. 24	19	23
	Derby	29·878	30·195	May 23	29·513	March 30	92·1	69·6	80·8	107·0	Oct. 29, Nov. 4	47·0	July 3, 4	58	50	5701	64	1309	Dec. 29	26	31
	Broome	29·870	30·204	May 23	29·492	Feb. 9	89·3	69·0	79·2	104·0	Oct. 29	48·2	July 28	57	51	4266	68	657	Dec. 28	25	26
	Condon	29·899	30·239	May 23	29·442	Dec. 31	87·7	63·9	75·8	108·5	Dec. 5	39·2	June 15	61	66	1281	23	141	Feb. 14	26	25
	Cossack	29·904	30·230	May 23	28·718	April 2	91·1	67·7	79·4	113·4	Jan. 12	44·9	June 15	62	52	2438	23	1282	April 3	21	25
	Onslow	29·904	30·227	May 23	29·243	Jan. 25	89·7	63·2	76·5	117·0	Jan. 12	38·5	June 15	47	43	390	23	85	Feb. 21	22	24
	Carnarvon ...	—	—	—	29·425	Jan. 26	81·9	60·7	71·3	111·2	Feb. 12	38·2	June 15	59	59	1197	32	370	Feb. 22	20	16
	Hamelin Pool ...	29·968	30·358	July 15	29·498	Jan. 26	84·5	58·5	71·5	111·4	Feb. 11	36·2	June 15	51	41	1229	46	451	Feb. 22	18	18
	Geraldton ...	30·006	30·449	July 15	29·582	Feb. 9	—	—	—	110·2	Feb. 11	38·2	June 14	—	—	1586	83	154	June 1	29	24
INLAND.	Hall's Creek ...	—	—	—	—	—	91·6	—	—	110·0	Jan. 14	—	—	—	—	2647	60	273	Feb. 11	—	—
	Nullagine ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1434	28	220	April 3	—	—
	Bangemall ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33·2	June 15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peak Hill ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	175	19	39	June 4	—	—
	Cue	29·960	30·451	July 15	29·486	Feb. 7	84·4	58·6	71·5	113·0	Jan. 6	34·0	June 14	45	31	534	29	139	June 5	18	23
	Yalgoo	29·971	30·446	July 15	29·545	Feb. 7	82·7	56·1	69·4	111·0	Feb. 5, Dec. 27	32·0	July 17, 18	58	43	825	47	142	Oct. 3	23	24
	Lawlers	29·974	30·510	July 23	29·479	Feb. 2	82·2	57·6	69·9	112·7	Jan. 9	33·2	July 20	45	30	397	42	74	June 5	24	26
	Menzies	29·992	30·513	July 23	29·458	Feb. 18	80·0	55·4	67·7	113·2	Jan. 9	34·0	June 23	48	34	445	28	80	Feb. 23	18	23
	Kalgoorlie ...	29·993	30·543	May 4	29·470	Feb. 2	78·0	54·2	66·1	112·4	Jan. 9	34·0	June 23, Aug. 1	49	33	718	43	85	June 2	29	30
	Coolgardie ...	29·998	30·537	May 4	29·505	Aug. 5	77·7	53·0	65·4	112·2	Jan. 9	34·4	July 17	57	40	688	49	57	June 2, 13	28	27
	Southern Cross	29·994	30·550	July 22	29·410	Feb. 2	78·7	50·7	64·7	110·9	Jan. 25, Feb. 1	27·0	July 17	55	36	863	53	141	Feb. 22	38	36
	York	30·016	30·540	July 22	29·458	July 28	78·9	50·3	64·6	115·6	Feb. 6.	30·4	June 16, 25	59	41	1694	84	145	July 13	27	31
COASTAL.	Perth Gardens...	30·021	30·532	July 22	29·509	July 28, Aug. 5	75·6	55·5	65·5	106·9	Jan. 21	37·4	June 14	—	—	3204	109	148	Aug. 25	39	40
	Perth Observatory	30·027	30·529	July 22	29·446	July 28	73·5	55·8	64·6	106·8	Feb. 6	36·9	June 14	62	51	3176	118	144	Aug. 3	39	40
	Fremantle ...	30·011	30·486	July 22	29·438	July 28	71·6	57·6	64·6	106·0	Feb. 5	40·0	June 14	63	64	2711	108	119	Aug. 3	35	33
	Rottnest ...	—	30·494	May 4, July 22	29·470	July 28	—	—	—	109·0	Feb. 6	45·6	Oct. 6	—	—	2374	94	115	June 12	—	—
	Bunbury ...	30·029	30·556	May 4	29·428	June 8	72·3	53·2	62·8	101·5	Feb. 6	35·2	June 14	67	63	4240	123	205	July 13	48	45
	Karridale ...	30·023	30·554	May 4	29·435	Aug. 5	69·0	51·6	60·3	105·5	Feb. 6	31·8	June 16	70	64	4719	156	430	Aug. 3	53	54
	Cape Leeuwin ...	29·995	30·534	May 4	29·054	June 8	67·8	57·6	62·7	103·8	Feb. 6	46·5	July 2	—	—	3817	161	199	Aug. 3	59	59
	Katanning ...	30·007	30·566	May 4	29·433	Jan. 27	73·1	47·5	60·3	109·0	Feb. 6	29·5	June 17	66	46	1770	86	182	July 29	43	44
	Albany	30·021	30·604	May 4	29·162	June 8	68·2	51·5	59·8	94·4	Feb. 2	34·0	July 16	71	66	3645	176	240	July 29	47	47
	Breaksea ...	30·010	30·609	May 4	29·144	June 8	65·1	54·8	60·0	90·5	March 25	41·0	July 27	—	—	3095	179	238	July 29	64	60
	Esperance ...	30·027	30·602	May 4	29·346	June 9	71·0	53·2	62·1	109·8	Feb. 2	35·5	June 25	64	60	2253	107	155	Aug. 6	47	38

— Signifies "No record."

Part XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 5.—*Temperature and Rainfall at Chief Observing Stations in Western Australia during 1898.*

(100 Points = 1 inch of rain.)

Particulars.		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Year.
WYNDHAM.														
Temperature	Mean ...	89·2	86·2	85·1	85·2	79·0	78·0	74·0	79·4	85·3	88·5	88·0	88·0	83·8
	Highest ...	109·0	99·5	104·0	98·0	91·2	92·0	90·0	94·0	101·2	110·2	105·0	107·0	110·2
	Lowest ...	69·0	64·0	70·0	72·0	61·8	63·0	57·0	65·0	71·0	71·2	70·6	68·0	57·0
Rain	No. of points ...	361	769	806	55	8	163	...	...	62	93	411	895	3623
	No. of days ...	8	9	13	1	1	2	...	...	2	1	8	10	55
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	42	45	38	15	13	8	...	...	8	7	23	28	19
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	35	48	59	20	19	8	...	...	9	13	34	32	23
HALL'S CREEK.														
Temperature	Mean ...	—	—	—	—	68·6	—	—	—	—	82·7	86·2	87·8	—
	Highest ...	110·0	109·0	100·0	94·0	89·0	87·8	88·6	94·2	99·8	104·0	109·0	109·2	110·0
	Lowest ...	—	—	—	—	39·3	—	—	—	—	52·2	63·4	60·0	—
Rain	No. of points ...	355	860	533	20	6	...	...	...	75	11	120	667	2647
	No. of days ...	5	18	10	2	2	...	...	...	4	2	7	10	60
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	—	—	—	—	26	32	4	2	16	5	40	40	—
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	—	—	—	—	27	28	5	7	28	23	53	60	—
DERBY.														
Temperature	Mean ...	86·9	84·8	85·4	82·4	74·6	72·4	69·7	74·0	80·4	85·0	87·6	87·0	80·8
	Highest ...	100·0	95·0	105·0	98·8	94·0	91·5	89·0	96·0	101·0	107·0	107·0	106·5	107·0
	Lowest ...	70·2	72·2	70·0	61·0	50·0	49·0	47·0	52·0	63·0	66·0	73·2	71·0	47·0
Rain	No. of points ...	615	635	679	150	111	206	...	...	...	...	202	3103	5701
	No. of days ...	10	14	10	3	5	3	...	...	...	...	9	10	64
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	46	36	39	17	24	26	10	3	16	17	36	43	26
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	39	52	42	21	28	31	15	5	12	19	55	54	31
BROOME.														
Temperature	Mean ...	84·6	83·8	84·8	81·4	72·6	71·6	68·6	73·2	77·4	81·2	84·6	86·1	79·2
	Highest ...	91·3	90·7	93·0	92·2	85·1	81·8	82·5	87·9	88·3	92·0	93·8	93·2	89·3
	Lowest ...	77·9	77·0	76·7	70·6	60·1	61·5	54·6	58·6	66·5	70·4	75·3	79·0	69·0
Rain	No. of points ...	328	1086	867	174	17	154	...	1	...	...	190	1449	4266
	No. of days ...	14	17	11	6	3	5	...	1	...	...	5	6	68
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	48	54	45	14	24	23	11	3	12	5	30	35	25
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	42	58	48	20	26	24	11	3	3	6	32	43	26
CONDON.														
Temperature	Mean ..	86·8	84·3	84·2	76·8	66·5	64·5	62·4	66·8	71·8	76·7	83·0	85·7	75·8
	Highest ...	103·5	96·0	103·8	96·0	90·5	88·5	84·0	93·0	98·8	108·2	107·2	108·5	108·5
	Lowest ...	75·1	71·2	65·0	56·3	44·4	39·2	41·5	39·5	50·5	54·0	59·0	67·5	39·2
Rain	No. of points ...	136	349	23	364	61	175	...	...	...	...	...	173	1281
	No. of days ...	2	8	2	5	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	23
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	50	77	43	28	25	38	9	1	5	3	10	28	26
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	41	62	54	24	24	34	9	4	6	2	14	26	25
COSSACK.														
Temperature	Mean ...	89·7	87·2	88·4	79·6	71·0	66·6	66·3	72·4	74·4	80·8	86·9	89·6	79·4
	Highest ...	113·4	112·2	108·0	100·2	89·8	86·2	85·0	92·0	95·4	110·5	110·5	112·6	113·4
	Lowest ...	73·2	72·8	73·2	62·0	53·4	44·9	48·2	49·8	56·1	62·8	65·0	69·5	44·9
Rain	No. of points ...	388	249	...	1542	78	154	...	...	...	...	...	27	2438
	No. of days ...	5	7	...	3	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	23
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	35	51	24	26	24	32	16	5	10	5	8	12	21
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	55	57	35	25	23	33	10	5	7	10	17	22	25
ONSLOW.														
Temperature	Mean ...	87·0	84·7	84·4	79·8	69·6	64·2	66·0	67·5	71·6	75·4	81·8	86·1	76·5
	Highest ...	117·0	107·9	108·7	101·0	92·5	82·5	86·5	90·5	98·5	101·2	108·0	115·0	117·0
	Lowest ...	65·5	69·5	63·0	57·5	46·0	38·5	42·3	43·4	45·0	52·2	61·8	64·0	38·5
Rain	No. of points ...	105	194	6	5	9	65	1	2	...	...	3	...	390
	No. of days ...	3	9	2	1	2	3	1	1	...	...	1	...	23
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	25	39	11	22	26	39	27	24	8	9	13	15	22
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	26	37	26	26	29	40	27	20	7	8	20	27	24
CARNARVON.														
Temperature	Mean ...	75·4	82·1	80·7	74·6	67·9	60·4	62·8	64·2	67·3	68·5	75·4	76·2	71·3
	Highest ...	104·0	111·2	105·2	96·8	91·2	82·2	80·5	88·5	95·3	91·2	108·0	101·5	111·2
	Lowest ...	58·2	70·2	63·2	56·2	48·5	38·2	45·0	45·8	50·0	52·5	58·0	60·0	38·2
Rain	No. of points ...	239	517	...	...	...	150	136	132	17	...	6	...	1197
	No. of days ...	3	4	...	...	...	6	5	9	3	...	2	...	32
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	16	23	4	7	21	36	26	39	14	13	14	21	20
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	20	31	13	1	18	35	22	33	7	4	4	8	16

The sign ... signifies 0. The sign — signifies "no record."

PART XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 5.—*Temperature and Rainfall at Chief Observing Stations in Western Australia during 1898*—continued.

(100 Points = 1 inch of rain.)

Particulars.		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Year.
NULLAGINE.														
Temperature	Mean ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	78·0	84·2	88·3	—
	Highest ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	107·0	109·0	111·5	—
	Lowest ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45·0	52·0	63·0	—
Rain	No. of points ...	261	210	205	513	77	71	...	...	...	...	15	82	1434
	No. of days ...	7	3	3	4	2	3	...	...	...	...	2	4	28
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	19	15	—
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	41	40	—
BANGEMALL.														
Temperature	Mean ...	—	—	—	—	67·4	58·1	63·0	64·7	70·2	74·1	85·2	89·7	—
	Highest ...	—	—	—	—	86·1	79·1	87·0	89·9	95·9	100·6	109·0	111·2	—
	Lowest ...	—	—	—	—	41·2	33·2	34·5	41·4	45·2	51·6	57·5	62·8	33·2
Rain	No. of points ...	—	—	—	—	...	39	1	53	...	8	2	...	—
	No. of days ...	—	—	—	—	...	5	1	2	...	2	1	...	—
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	—	—	—	—	14	29	26	27	6	9	10	12	—
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	—	—	—	—	25	32	20	28	12	11	17	34	—
HAMELIN POOL.														
Temperature	Mean ...	83·2	83·8	82·4	75·6	66·8	57·6	59·4	61·0	65·8	66·4	77·0	79·5	71·5
	Highest ...	110·2	111·4	103·8	97·0	89·0	72·0	77·2	76·6	93·8	90·8	107·0	104·0	111·4
	Lowest ...	61·4	62·2	60·0	54·0	46·0	36·2	41·2	40·8	44·2	45·0	46·6	57·4	36·2
Rain	No. of points ...	91	556	...	...	40	188	146	186	21	...	...	1	1229
	No. of days ...	3	4	...	...	4	14	6	12	2	...	...	1	46
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	12	19	1	7	27	34	15	32	11	26	11	19	18
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	14	18	4	8	29	39	21	35	14	15	5	15	18
PEAK HILL.														
Temperature	Mean ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	82·0	87·5	—
	Highest ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	106·0	109·1	—
	Lowest ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	54·8	63·2	—
Rain	No. of points ...	...	39	...	...	3	87	11	34	...	...	...	1	175
	No. of days ...	...	3	...	...	1	9	1	4	...	...	...	1	19
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	9	15	—
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	18	43	—
GERALDTON.														
Temperature	Mean ...	73·2	77·2	75·0	—	65·4	58·6	60·3	60·8	62·5	63·8	67·6	71·5	—
	Highest ...	110·0	110·2	101·0	—	89·0	72·2	77·0	78·1	93·8	87·5	102·5	100·1	110·2
	Lowest ...	51·0	56·0	50·1	—	48·3	38·2	41·0	44·8	44·0	43·6	48·0	54·1	38·2
Rain	No. of points ...	82	37	...	10	251	426	169	434	105	60	10	2	1586
	No. of days ...	3	5	...	2	12	13	10	18	8	9	1	2	83
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	37	26	15	14	24	41	27	41	38	37	12	34	29
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	31	16	11	12	34	50	20	43	25	25	7	20	24
YALGOO.														
Temperature	Mean ...	87·2	83·8	79·6	70·9	61·6	51·9	55·2	58·0	63·1	65·6	75·2	80·8	69·4
	Highest ...	110·2	111·0	103·2	96·5	81·0	69·0	78·0	85·3	90·5	92·0	107·7	111·0	111·0
	Lowest ...	60·0	56·0	56·0	51·0	41·0	33·8	32·0	39·0	39·8	42·0	48·0	56·0	32·0
Rain	No. of points ...	4	153	...	...	115	197	35	161	7	147	6	...	825
	No. of days ...	1	3	...	...	7	11	5	13	1	4	2	...	47
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	20	20	4	10	37	36	21	46	21	35	10	14	23
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	25	19	4	10	40	40	23	45	22	27	10	22	24
CUE.														
Temperature	Mean ...	90·0	86·3	82·2	72·4	62·8	52·6	57·4	59·4	64·3	67·0	78·8	84·5	71·5
	Highest ...	113·0	111·4	106·9	99·0	82·5	70·0	78·2	86·0	87·8	93·0	108·2	110·1	113·0
	Lowest ...	63·5	57·5	57·5	52·0	43·5	34·0	37·5	42·0	41·0	43·0	50·4	60·2	34·0
Rain	No. of points ...	...	66	...	...	4	232	41	131	12	37	...	11	534
	No. of days ...	...	3	...	...	2	7	4	8	1	2	...	2	29
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	19	19	2	6	30	41	31	36	10	11	7	8	18
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	25	24	2	8	40	44	26	40	15	15	12	28	24
LAWLERS.														
Temperature	Mean ...	89·3	83·5	79·3	69·0	59·4	50·8	56·0	59·2	63·7	67·3	77·0	84·5	69·9
	Highest ...	112·7	107·1	105·1	92·8	79·1	74·6	78·0	84·8	86·7	95·3	104·0	108·3	112·7
	Lowest ...	58·7	51·8	59·8	50·2	40·2	34·4	33·2	38·8	42·1	41·2	45·5	60·0	33·2
Rain	No. of points ...	...	30	...	1	72	197	2	75	2	14	2	2	397
	No. of days ...	...	4	...	1	8	9	1	12	1	3	1	2	42
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	28	16	3	13	38	49	26	37	10	25	16	26	24
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	30	15	8	17	46	45	22	39	16	12	16	43	26

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PART XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 5.—*Temperature and Rainfall at Chief Observing Stations in Western Australia during 1898*—continued.

(100 Points = 1 inch of rain.)

Particulars.		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Year.
MENZIES.														
Temperature	Mean ...	85·7	78·8	76·3	66·3	58·4	50·6	54·8	57·9	63·0	65·5	74·2	81·2	67·7
	Highest ...	113·2	109·1	105·0	94·0	78·5	68·9	77·0	83·8	87·0	94·0	103·8	109·1	113·2
	Lowest ...	57·8	47·8	56·1	48·0	38·1	34·0	35·0	39·0	42·1	41·1	48·0	56·1	34·0
Rain	No. of points ...	...	93	...	3	35	192	8	92	2	13	5	2	445
	No. of days ...	...	4	...	2	2	8	1	6	1	2	1	1	28
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	11	13	2	17	36	48	17	29	10	23	7	8	18
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	17	14	3	14	37	44	22	42	19	21	14	24	23
KALGOORLIE.														
Temperature	Mean ...	82·0	76·6	74·0	64·2	58·2	50·4	54·2	57·4	62·1	65·1	71·9	77·0	66·1
	Highest ...	112·4	109·0	104·0	90·6	77·4	76·4	76·2	80·2	86·2	92·4	103·2	109·1	112·4
	Lowest ...	55·0	48·2	54·2	45·0	39·0	34·0	34·2	34·0	43·2	42·2	47·2	54·0	34·0
Rain	No. of points ...	2	36	...	15	74	285	43	221	...	6	8	28	718
	No. of days ...	1	3	...	3	7	11	4	10	...	1	1	2	43
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	9	14	5	28	61	65	25	41	20	36	24	25	29
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	12	11	4	26	52	51	34	50	28	33	24	35	30
COOLGARDIE.														
Temperature	Mean ...	81·4	75·9	74·2	63·6	57·4	49·7	52·8	56·5	61·3	64·0	71·0	76·5	65·4
	Highest ...	112·2	107·2	104·2	91·2	78·1	74·0	75·3	80·2	86·6	91·9	103·2	108·1	112·2
	Lowest ...	54·0	48·0	53·2	41·2	40·8	35·0	34·4	36·0	42·4	40·5	47·6	52·3	34·4
Rain	No. of points ...	...	27	...	30	59	312	29	178	10	19	16	8	688
	No. of days ...	...	2	...	3	7	14	4	11	1	4	2	1	49
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	10	17	10	25	56	63	22	38	16	32	19	22	28
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	17	15	2	21	43	43	35	47	22	32	17	33	27
SOUTHERN CROSS.														
Temperature	Mean ...	81·9	77·6	74·2	63·7	57·0	49·6	51·6	54·1	58·8	61·5	69·8	76·6	64·7
	Highest ...	110·9	110·9	104·3	89·0	79 0	67·6	72·8	80·8	87·1	86·8	103·4	107·1	110·9
	Lowest ...	48·0	48·7	48·9	38·9	34·9	29·7	27·0	28·0	37·1	36·1	44·1	52·0	27·0
Rain	No. of points ...	1	145	...	3	75	251	65	193	14	93	23	...	863
	No. of days ...	1	3	...	1	7	13	6	12	3	6	1	...	53
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	25	24	9	30	56	63	39	51	38	62	21	32	38
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	25	21	7	22	53	59	39	59	36	50	26	34	36
YORK.														
Temperature	Mean ...	80·8	79·4	73·8	65·0	58·4	51·8	53·5	54·7	57·7	59·4	67·0	73·5	64·6
	Highest ...	110·0	115·6	104·5	89·0	81·2	69·0	71·2	78·8	82·8	84·0	98·2	110·0	115·6
	Lowest ...	55·4	49·2	46·2	40·6	36·0	30·4	32·0	33·0	37·4	35·0	40·8	49·0	30·4
Rain	No. of points ...	2	4	1	15	190	353	399	393	126	188	22	1	1694
	No. of days ...	1	1	1	1	7	12	13	16	12	14	5	1	84
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	12	14	8	17	36	42	33	40	36	54	16	21	27
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	13	13	4	15	43	55	50	54	38	48	14	23	31
PERTH OBSERVATORY.														
Temperature	Mean ...	73·8	76·4	73·0	66·1	61·6	53·8	56·6	57·3	60·0	61·3	65·0	70·8	64·6
	Highest ...	104·0	106·8	97·8	88·8	79·4	66·0	72·0	78·2	82·0	86·6	90·1	101·4	106·8
	Lowest ...	54·5	53·8	50·9	50·6	47·4	36·9	39·5	42·9	45·7	42·2	48·2	54·1	36·9
Rain	No. of points ...	47	21	10	41	356	623	541	866	219	360	79	13	3176
	No. of days ...	2	3	2	3	10	16	15	17	18	22	8	2	118
Cloud	Mean 9 a.m. ...	19	25	20	31	39	54	37	51	50	67	37	33	39
	Mean 3 p.m. ...	18	23	13	23	44	64	56	52	53	71	31	34	40
PERTH GARDENS.														
Temperature	Mean ...	75·2	77·2	73·6	66·7	61·6	54·0	57·6	57·7	61·2	62·7	66·5	72·5	65·5
	Highest ...	106·9	106·5	99·6	89·2	79·6	67·0	71·6	77·8	83·8	87·4	92·8	103·2	106·9
	Lowest ...	54·4	52·8	50·4	49·0	46·3	37·4	40·0	41·6	45·4	43·8	48·0	54·2	37·4
Rain	No. of points ...	49	36	14	46	349	619	567	870	213	354	76	11	3204
	No. of days ...	1	2	2	3	9	15	16	16	17	21	6	1	109
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	24	30	20	29	36	56	52	60	48	59	33	25	39
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	19	14	15	33	49	69	56	59	42	69	31	24	40
FREMANTLE.														
Temperature	Mean ...	72·0	75·6	71·6	65·8	62·5	55·2	58·2	58·0	60·4	61·8	64·1	70·0	64·6
	Highest ...	105·0	106·0	92·0	89·0	79·0	66·0	70·5	73·8	84·0	84·0	84·0	93·8	106·0
	Lowest ...	55·0	53·0	55·0	50·8	49·5	40·0	43·8	45·2	49·4	47·9	49·5	55·5	40·0
Rain	No. of points ...	26	16	4	50	373	501	491	586	220	351	88	5	2711
	No. of days ...	1	3	1	2	8	15	17	17	16	19	6	3	108
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	20	22	17	21	31	53	41	50	48	63	34	22	35
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	9	15	11	15	36	57	52	44	49	61	25	22	33

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Part XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 5.—*Temperature and Rainfall at Chief Observing Stations in Western Australia during 1898*—continued.

(100 points = 1 inch of rain.)

Particulars.		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Year.
ROTTNEST ISLAND.														
Temperature	Mean ...	—	74·3	72·2	66·8	64·2	57·0	59·6	59·2	61·4	62·1	64·8	69·0	—
	Highest ...	—	109·0	95·0	86·8	76·2	67·0	69·8	70·8	80·0	85·2	82·8	93·0	109·0
	Lowest ...	—	56·6	59·5	55·6	54·8	47·0	49·4	49·0	49·6	45·6	51·6	54·6	45·6
Rain	No. of points ...	25	1	...	25	445	545	387	548	88	245	64	1	2374
	No. of days ...	1	1	...	2	10	17	15	15	11	18	3	1	94
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	—	29	25	36	40	56	52	60	57	70	42	29	—
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	—	25	23	24	44	61	52	53	52	71	40	28	—
BUNBURY.														
Temperature	Mean ...	70·4	73·0	69·0	62·8	60·6	53·5	56·4	57·7	59·7	60·2	62·1	67·9	62·8
	Highest ...	101·0	101·5	88·0	83·0	76·8	65·5	70·5	73·0	83·8	89·2	83·5	93·5	101·5
	Lowest ...	50·2	51·3	48·2	45·8	43·5	35·2	39·2	40·8	43·5	41·8	45·0	50·2	35·2
Rain	No. of points ...	177	3	29	29	292	640	995	682	424	758	175	36	4240
	No. of days ...	2	1	3	3	14	16	18	16	17	23	7	3	123
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	37	31	25	26	52	55	56	69	69	77	48	30	48
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	21	21	17	28	55	63	60	60	70	77	38	26	45
KARRIDALE.														
Temperature	Mean ...	66·6	68·4	65·0	59·8	58·2	53·1	55·1	55·1	58·4	58·8	60·4	64·3	60·3
	Highest ...	98·0	105·5	92·0	84·0	76·5	65·5	69·0	72·0	82·5	84·2	79·8	95·0	105·5
	Lowest ...	44·5	49·0	44·5	36·8	33·5	31·8	36·5	35·8	43·2	37·8	44·5	45·0	31·8
Rain	No. of points ...	329	73	58	61	525	735	563	1089	348	788	107	43	4719
	No. of days ...	3	3	5	6	18	22	26	21	17	25	6	4	156
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	47	79	38	44	55	58	66	57	59	75	54	8	53
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	32	72	40	38	53	67	68	68	67	70	46	23	54
CAPE LEEUWIN.														
Temperature	Mean ...	68·3	68·6	67·4	64·4	62·4	56·4	57·7	58·2	60·4	59·3	62·4	66·8	62·7
	Highest ...	91·6	103·8	82·4	84·5	77·0	65·5	68·0	70·8	79·5	74·6	73·2	91·6	103·8
	Lowest ...	56·6	55·0	58·5	49·0	52·0	46·8	46·5	48·0	50·6	48·8	52·2	53·0	46·5
Rain	No. of points ...	160	55	61	57	436	583	507	740	314	726	134	44	3817
	No. of days ...	4	3	5	10	15	22	25	20	18	26	8	5	161
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ..	51	50	48	60	58	63	63	62	69	70	64	46	59
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	47	46	54	51	59	73	66	66	69	72	61	41	59
KATANNING.														
Temperature	Mean ...	72·8	71·1	68·2	59·5	54·6	49·0	50·6	52·4	56·1	57·3	63·0	69·2	60·3
	Highest ...	105·5	109·0	101·0	83·0	78·0	63·8	68·2	75·1	79·0	83·2	94·2	105·8	109·0
	Lowest ...	42·0	42·0	40·0	33·0	30·5	29·5	29·8	30·8	36·5	36·0	37·0	41·0	29·5
Rain	No. of points ...	83	...	2	16	71	302	534	293	128	267	60	14	1770
	No. of days ...	1	...	1	2	6	14	12	14	12	18	4	2	86
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	25	43	32	40	57	55	46	44	42	67	34	34	43
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	20	22	11	33	67	68	60	62	51	67	36	34	44
ALBANY.														
Temperature	Mean ...	65·8	66·8	64·6	60·9	58·4	53·0	53·8	55·4	57·5	58·3	60·0	63·6	59·8
	Highest ...	82·8	94·4	93·0	86·1	76·8	67·0	71·9	77·5	73·4	78·8	86·5	90·8	94·4
	Lowest ...	49·4	52·2	45·2	41·8	42·8	35·4	34·0	38·1	41·8	38·5	45·0	45·0	34·0
Rain	No. of points ...	60	262	48	123	199	627	802	466	370	537	88	63	3645
	No. of days ...	7	10	6	13	17	22	23	19	19	23	10	7	176
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	54	54	39	45	50	58	45	46	43	54	42	33	47
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	38	44	36	43	55	62	50	60	50	60	40	29	47
BREAKSEA ISLAND.														
Temperature	Mean ...	65·0	65·2	64·6	61·4	60·4	54·4	54·8	56·1	57·4	57·4	59·2	63·3	59·9
	Highest ...	86·5	81·0	90·5	82·0	76·0	65·0	70·4	72·0	70·5	75·0	74·5	78·0	90·5
	Lowest ...	55·5	50·0	52·0	48·8	51·8	43·0	41·0	44·5	47·2	41·5	47·5	52·0	41·0
Rain	No. of points ...	41	242	36	81	249	472	687	480	241	448	73	45	3095
	No. of days ...	6	12	8	16	17	23	23	17	19	22	9	5	179
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	78	70	58	59	63	64	60	62	66	67	70	54	64
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	53	60	46	57	68	71	62	65	61	72	54	50	60
ESPERANCE BAY.														
Temperature	Mean ...	70·1	69·9	66·6	62·2	59·6	54·2	55·7	57·6	58·8	61·2	62·2	67·0	62·1
	Highest ...	106·2	109·8	104·4	91·2	81·8	69·8	77·6	80·6	84·8	87·2	89·0	99·2	109·8
	Lowest ...	51·2	55·0	45·2	41·8	41·8	35·5	38·2	37·0	42·8	46·6	39·2	44·2	35·5
Rain	No. of points ...	21	51	...	46	111	550	327	500	251	281	109	6	2253
	No. of days ...	3	6	...	8	8	20	16	16	13	13	4	1	107
Cloud	Mean, 9 a.m. ...	49	51	35	50	58	65	38	36	43	41	57	39	47
	Mean, 3 p.m. ...	25	44	10	40	55	57	41	44	37	40	35	34	38

The sign ... signifies 0. The sign — signifies "no record."

PART XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 6.—*Rainfall in Western Australia during 1898.*

With averages (to the end of 1898) for all Stations having at least 5 years' record. 100 Points=1 inch.

The Sign ... signifies "no rain fell." The Sign -- signifies "no record."

NOTE.—The stations are grouped into districts, and these are subdivided into square degrees, which are figured according to the latitude and longitude of the N.W. corner of each square, the first two figures representing the latitude and the last two the longitude, less 100°. Thus Perth is in the square 3115, showing that its latitude is 31° odd minutes, and its longitude 115° odd minutes. The mean rainfall for each square degree is adopted from all the stations situated in that square having complete records for 1898. The average is taken for all years up to and including 1898.

Square.	Locality.	Total for 1898. Rainfall.	Total for 1898. Wet Days.	Mean for Square Degree during 1898.	Average to 31st December, 1898, for Square Degree.	No. of Years for Average.
	EAST KIMBERLEY DIVISION.					
1528	Wyndham	3623	55			
	Carlton	3994	100	3808	2809	12
1628	Rosewood Downs	3071	50			
	Argyle Downs	2759	52			
	Lisadell	3143	44	2991	2450	7
1728	Turkey Creek	2223	77	2223	—	—
1827	Hall's Creek	2647	60	2647	2108	8
	WEST KIMBERLEY DIVISION.					
1623	Oobagama	4357	65	4357	—	—
1722	Broome	4266	68	4266	2377	9
1723	Derby	5701	64			
	Yeeda	5272	58	5487	2632	13
1724	Lennard	—	—	—	*2190	*5
1821	La Grange Bay	3818	50	3818	1945	8
1822	Thangoo	3991	52	3991	2579	6
1825	Fitzroy Crossing	2896	43	2896	2513	5
	NORTH-WEST DIVISION.					
1920	Wallal	1834	41	1834	—	—
2017	Cossack	2438	23			
	Roebourne	2290	17			
	Whim Creek	4784	35	3171	1124	17
2018	Boodarie	2092	24			
	Port Hedland	2006	24	2049	1178	11
2019	Condon	1281	23			
	DeGrey River	1816	26			
	Mulgie	1795*	—	1631	1224	11
2020	Bamboo Creek	2978	28			
	Coongan	1445	18			
	Eel Creek	2110	35			
	Muccan	2279	32			
	Warrawagine	2623	26	2287	—	—
2114	Onslow	390	23	390	738	13
2115	Mardie	569	16			
	Peedamulla	653	21			
	Chinginarra	670	—	631	696	12
2116	Fortescue	952	20	952	1098	11
2117	Mount Florence	1526	17			
	Woodbrooke	2449	17			
	Tambray	1691	37			
	Millstream	1550	19	1804	1515	12
2118	Pilbarra	2823	31	2823	—	—
2119	Marble Bar	1914	28			
	Corunna Downs	1532	25			
	Tambourah	2181	35	1875	—	—
2120	Nullagine	1434	28	1434	—	—
2215	Nanutarra	—	—	—	*866	*5
2216	Mt. Mortimer	612	22	612	885	9
2218	Mulga Downs	1383	21	1383	—	—
	GASCOYNE DIVISION.					
2314	Williambury	680	22			
	Winning Pool	859	17			
	Wandagee	967	17	835	820	10
2315	Towera	1062	25			
	Lyndon	993	15			
	Woorkadjia	304	17	787	986	6
2413	Carnarvon	1197	32			
	Boolathana	970	27	1084	800	15

* Years previous to 1898.

PART XII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 6.—*Rainfall in Western Australia during 1898*—continued.

Square.	Locality.	Total for 1898.		Mean for Square Degree during 1898.	Average to 31st December, 1898, for Square Degree.	No. of Years for Average.
		Rainfall.	Wet Days.			
	GASCOYNE DIVISION—*continued.*					
2414	Cooralya	958	30			
	Doorawarrah	843	19			
	Weenamia	676	16	826	870	11
2513	Sharks Bay	801	34			
	Dirk Hartog Island	1451	49	1126	845	6
2515	Minginoo	243	13			
	Yarra Yarra	284	—	263	535	7
2516	Errivillia	—	—	—	*564	*6
2517	Berringarra	267	—			
	Mt. Gould	325	13			
	Moorarrie	173	5	255	708	12
2518	Peak Hill	175	19	175	—	—
2614	Hamelin Pool	1229	16	1229	753	13
2616	Boolardy	756	11	756	650	8
2618	Nannine	210	16			
	Annean	154	—	182	662	9
2715	Wooleane	883	33	883	—	—
2716	Murgoo	855	30	855	721	10
2717	Cue	534	29			
	Day Dawn	534	28			
	Lake Austin	531	23	533	—	—
2816	Yalgoo	825	47			
	Gullewa	872	63	848	1007	10
2817	Mt. Magnet	620	38	620	—	—
2818	Challa	454	18	454	—	—
	SOUTH-WEST DIVISION.					
2813	Abrolhos	—	—	—	*1344	*5
2814	Northampton	1969	52			
	Geraldton	1586	83			
	Greenough	1470	72			
	Oakabella	1715	52	1685	1868	22
2815	Mullewa	826	—	826	—	—
2914	Dongara (Pearse)	1598	60			
	Do. P.O.	1692	76	1645	1837	15
2915	Minginew	1439	55			
	Carnamah	1464	68	1452	1428	11
3015	Yatheroo	2365	93			
	Dandaragan	2075	82	2220	2410	14
3016	New Norcia	2350	94			
	Berkshire Valley	1575	88			
	Walebing	1615	85			
	Moora	1248	76	1697	1848	16
3115	Gingin	3462	88			
	Rottnest	2374	94			
	Claremont	2969	89			
	Perth Gardens	3204	109			
	Perth Observatory	3176	118			
	Subiaco	2837	110	3004	3083	23
3116	Culham	1999	79			
	Newcastle	2134	70			
	Northam	1490	78			
	Grass Valley	1458	53			
	Guildford	3235	91			
	Belvoir	3203	92			
	Cobham	1860	88			
	York	1694	84			
	Goomalling	1387	44			
	Canning Timber Mills	4444	110	2291	2075	22
3117	Doongin	1156	60			
	Mt. Stirling	1322	71	1239	1202	10
3215	Mandurah	3453	112			
	Jarrahdale	5043	92			
	Pinjarrah	4050	88			
	Fremantle	2711	108			
	Harvey	4471	121			
	Rockingham	3076	95	3801	3367	22
3216	Beverley	1380	80			
	Wandering	2268	95			
	Bannister	2556	91			
	Canning Water Works	4220	105			
	Marradong	2813	84	2647	2086	16
3217	Barrington	1580	77			
	Pingelly	1304	80			

* Years previous to 1898.

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No. 6.—*Rainfall in Western Australia during 1898*—continued.

Square.	Locality.	Total for 1898.		Mean for Square Degree during 1898.	Average to 31st December, 1898, for Square Degree.	No. of Years for Average.
		Rainfall.	Wet Days.			
	South-West Division—*continued.*					
	Narrogin	1566	81			
	Wickepin	1499	92	1487	1708	11
3315	Bunbury	4240	123			
	Preston	4244	103			
	Busselton	3900	134			
	Quindalup	4694	98			
	Boyanup	3994	128	4132	3340	22
3316	Williams	2089	68			
	Dardanup	3974	86			
	Greenbushes	3801	141			
	Bridgetown	3314	139	3295	2802	14
3317	Arthur	1928	78			
	Wagin	1499	80			
	Katanning	1770	86			
	Kojonup	2040	90			
	Broome Hill	1787	86			
	Sunnyside (Goblup)	1789	95			
	Dyliabing	1285	111	1757	1837	14
3318	Glenvale	—	—	—	*1602	*5
3319	Jerramongup	1476	82	1476	—	—
3415	Augusta	3565	122			
	Karridale	4719	156			
	Cape Leeuwin	3817	161	4034	3824	16
3416	Balbarup	3419	152	3419	—	—
3417	Cranbrook	1981	93			
	Mount Barker	2613	107			
	St. Werburghs	2559	148			
	Albany...	3645	176			
	Point King	3481	126			
	Denmark	5328	111	3268	3045	22
3418	Wattle Hill	3119	157			
	Breaksea	3095	179			
	Cape Riche	1859	79			
	Pallinup	1459	80	2383	2346	9
3419	Bremer Bay	1821	90	1821	2240	14
	EASTERN DIVISION.					
2820	Lawlers	397	42	397	—	—
2821	Mt. Malcolm	424	23			
	Diorite King	434	29			
	Mt. Leonora	447	27	435	—	—
2822	Mt. Margaret...	563	23	563	—	—
2921	Menzies	445	28			
	Niagara	447	33			
	Yerilla...	496	34	463	—	—
3018	Wattoning	1004	40	1004	—	—
3021	Goongarrie	413	31			
	Kanowna	703	37			
	42-Mile	550	26			
	Kalgoorlie	718	43			
	Coolgardie	688	49			
	Gladiator Mine	552	40			
	Bulong...	698	37			
	Kurawa	583	—	613	644	6
3022	Kurnalpi	692	36	692	—	—
3118	Mangowine	1168	67			
	Kellerberrin	1069	68	1118	1092	12
3119	Southern Cross	863	53			
	Karalee	1171	64	1017	897	9
3120	Boorabbin	987	71			
	Woolgangie	784	50	885	—	—
3121	Widgiemooltha	976	49			
	50-Mile Rocks	921	43	948	—	—
3221	Norseman	897	55			
	88-Mile Condenser	870	42	884	—	—
	EUCLA DIVISION.					
3321	Esperance	2253	107			
	Swan Lagoon	1249	91			
	Gibson's Soak	1608	47	1703	2411	15
3323	Israelite Bay	1328	60	1328	1443	14
3223	Balladonia	1232	44	1232	921	8
3226	Eyre	987	65	987	1014	14
3128	Eucla	793	—	793	985	15

* Years previous to 1898.

II.—NAVAL AND MILITARY DEFENCE.

(Return Supplied by the Commandant.)

No. 7.—*Expenditure and Establishment, 1898.*

Naval Defence.—Contribution towards the upkeep of the Australian Auxiliary Squadron, £4,021.

Military Defence.—Volunteer and Defence purposes, £19,837 19s. 6d., which sum includes £1,144 6s. 3d. expended in connection with the Albany Garrison, and £480 2s. 9d. in connection with the Garrison on Thursday Island.

Total Expenditure During 1898: £23,858 19s. 6d.

Return of Armed Land Forces.

Permanent Force and Volunteers.	Corps.	Number of Battalion or Company.	Head Quarters.	Establishment.				Strength, 31-12-98.				Armament.
				Officers.	Warrant Officers and Men.	Horses.	Guns.	Officers.	Warrant Officers and Men.	Horses.	Guns.	
Permanent Force.	Head Quarters Staff ...	...	Perth ...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	
	Permanent Staff ...	...	Do. ...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	
	Garrison Artillery ...	1 Company ...	Albany ...	2	38	...	...	2	30	...	...	
	Engineers	...	Do. ...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	
	Medical Staff	...	Do. ...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	
Volunteers.	Head Quarters Band ...	...	Perth ...	1	30	...	...	1	30	...	...	
	No. 1 Field Battery (Perth Artillery)	1 Battery ...	Do. ...	5	95	†	4	5	79	†	4	9lb. Field Guns.
	No. 2 Field Battery (Fremantle Artillery)	1 Battery ...	Fremantle	3	97	†	4	3	82	†	2	
	1st Infantry Regiment—											
	A & B Companies ...	2 Companies	Perth ...	6	114	...	...	5	114	...	...	Martini-Metford.
	C & D do. ...	2 do.	Fremantle	6	114	...	...	4	81	...	...	
	E & F do. ...	2 do.	Guildford	6	114	...	...	4	45	...	...	
	Geraldton Rifles ...	1 Company ...	Geraldton	3	77	...	...	2	89	...	...	Martini-Enfield.
	York Infantry	1 do.	York ...	3	97	...	...	2	49	...	...	Martini-Metford.
	Bunbury Rifles	1 do.	Bunbury ...	3	57	...	...	3	77	...	...	
	Northampton Rifles ...	1 do.	N'thampt'n	3	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	Martini-Henri.
	Medical Staff	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	
	Total	...	...	50	878	†	8	40	684	†	6	

† Horses are hired when required.

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III.—IMPERIAL EXPENDITURE.

(Return Supplied by the Accountant, Imperial Pay Office.)

No. 8.—*Statement of Imperial Pension and other Disbursements in Western Australia from 1st January to 31st December, 1898.*

	£	s.	d.
War Office Services:			
Chelsea Pensions and Pay	3,681	17	2
Treasury Services:			
Retired Allowances	758	13	5
Convict Department Pensions	2,364	16	9
Naval Pensions	181	3	4
Maintenance of Convicts, Lunatics, and Paupers	2,652	13	7
Total	£9,639	4	3

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IV.—GENERAL ELECTIONS.

No. 9.—*Return of the Number of Electors on the Roll of the Legislative Assembly in each Electoral District for the Years 1890 to 1898, both inclusive.*

No.	Electoral District.	1890.		1891.	* 1893.	1894.		1895.	1896.	1897.		1898.
		No. of Electors.	No. who Voted.	No. of Electors.	No. of Electors.	No. of Electors.	No. who Voted.	No. of Electors.	No. of Electors.	No. of Electors.	No. who Voted.	No. of Electors.
1	Albany	317	251	330	354	617	383	625	685	679	...	745
2	Ashburton ...	...	...	27	28	52	...	49	57	54	...	57
3	Beverley	126	...	125	115	251	174	267	255	269	147	275
4	Bunbury	187	...	177	203	262	...	322	334	348	...	628
5	Canning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	321	200	910
6	Coolgardie ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2080	859	2216
7	Do. East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1486	937	2975
8	Do. North...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	772	531	1060
9	Do. N. East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1143	579	2038
10	DeGrey	41	...	40	38	37	...	39	61	66	...	57
11	Dundas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	292	216	571
12	Fremantle ...	309	...	313	321	511	416	588	680	680	...	538
13	Do. East ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	535	364	820
14	Do. South...	454	351	456	515	927	...	1002	1238	1228	...	1187
15	Do. North...	325	272	343	357	799	534	908	948	999	336	864
16	Gascoyne	97	...	73	74	24	...	108	121	115	...	188
17	Geraldton	187	...	182	211	505	308	537	536	536	268	434
18	Greenough ...	104	...	107	98	180	112	197	181	180	141	185
19	Irwin	87	...	87	81	106	...	105	100	104	...	100
20	Kimberley, East ...	88	...	71	30	26	...	84	94	90	...	89
21	Do. West...	39	...	37	38	98	82	100	117	100	...	144
22	Moore	73	...	72	67	107	...	150	213	329	268	354
23	Murchison ...	24	...	...	24	37	...	85	131	131	...	142
24	Do. Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	716	312	815
25	Do. North...	...	...	...	...	340	217	492	1315	189	100	194
26	Do. South...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	399	216	528
27	Murray	158	...	155	286	290	195	357	346	389	261	400
28	Nelson	93	...	90	104	227	...	214	229	224	...	228
29	Northam	174	...	170	176	341	230	519	474	544	...	615
30	Perth	455	380	468	655	947	626	1072	1094	1181	540	1151
31	Do. East ...	462	367	467	556	1196	748	1232	949	949	356	1093
32	Do. North ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	421	261	1959
33	Do. West ...	587	472	625	802	1859	870	1969	2059	1742	775	2146
34	Pilbarra	...	...	...	...	129	...	141	261	261	163	228
35	Plantagenet ...	122	83	133	145	362	...	357	400	404	...	386
36	Roebourne ...	67	...	61	54	91	...	130	131	173	...	133
37	Sussex	232	181	202	204	292	...	288	297	297	241	373
38	Swan	243	150	241	257	324	...	397	536	602	310	861
39	Toodyay	207	158	203	201	249	...	270	274	391	321	406
40	Wellington ...	136	...	141	140	201	...	237	249	253	...	412
41	Williams	136	...	125	129	402	246	413	408	488	...	406
42	Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	136	77	210
43	Yilgarn	...	...	...	...	693	374	1284	2966	499	237	471
44	York	330	260	321	341	402	...	491	524	523	...	484
Total Number of Electors on the Roll		5860	...	5842	6604	12884	...	15029	18263	23318	...	30076
Number of Electors in the Contested Electorates		3734	2925	...	...	9029	5515	...	...	17114	9016	...
		Percentage 78·33		...	...	Percentage 61·08		...	...	P'rc'ntage 52·68		...

* Return for 1892 not obtainable.

No. 10.—*Return of the Number of Electors on the Roll of the Legislative Council in each Electoral Province for the Years 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, and 1898.*

No.	Province.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
1	Central	352	356	432	449	581
2	East	803	1354	1589	1064	1390
3	Metropolitan	1389	1403	1599	1624	2267
4	North	97	155	165	176	161
5	North-East	...	...	...	1055	1784
6	South-East	637	705	731	728	729
7	South-West	402	582	619	650	702
8	West	944	993	1144	1293	1670
	Total	4624	5548	6279	7039	9284

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V.—LEGISLATION.

No. 11.—*Titles of the Acts passed by the Parliament of Western Australia during the Session of 1898.*

Number of Act.	Date of Assent.	Title of Act.
	1898.	
Vict. 62, No. 1	August 1	An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and from moneys to the credit of the General Loan Fund the sum of £850,000, to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1899.
„ „ 2	September 9	An Act to protect the goods of Lodgers against distresses for Rent due to the superior landlord.
„ „ 3	„ 9	An Act to enable certain warrants for goods to be transferred by indorsement and delivery.
„ „ 4	„ 9	An Act to impose an Excise Duty on Beer.
„ „ 5	„ 9	An Act to amend the present Customs Tariff.
„ „ 6	October 4	An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and from moneys to the credit of the General Loan Fund the sum of £300,000 to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1899.
„ „ 7	„ 4	An Act for the Re-appropriation of certain moneys appropriated by "The Coolgardie Goldfields Water Supply Loan Act, 1896," and by "The Loan Act, 1896," and by "The Loans Consolidation Act, 1896."
„ „ 8	„ 28	An Act to provide for the Extinction of Fire in Municipalities and their suburbs.
„ „ 9	„ 28	An Act to facilitate the Protection and Recovery of Crown Property and the enforcement of claims against the Crown.
„ „ 10	„ 28	An Act to consolidate the Acts relating to Juries.
„ „ 11	„ 28	An Act to amend "The Local Inscribed Stock Act, 1897."
„ „ 12	„ 28	An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and from moneys to the credit of the General Loan Fund to the services of the year ending 30th June, 1899, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this Session of Parliament.
„ „ 13	„ 28	An Act for the more effectual Prevention of Crime.
„ „ 14	„ 28	An Act to authorise the closing of certain Roads and Streets.
„ „ 15	„ 28	An Act to amend the Bankruptcy Act, 1892.
„ „ 16	„ 28	An Act to amend the Goldfields Act, 1895.
„ „ 17	„ 28	An Act to amend the Bush Fires Act, 1885.
„ „ 18	„ 28	An Act to vest certain land at Coolgardie in the Municipality of Coolgardie for a Mining Exhibition and other purposes.
„ „ 19	„ 28	An Act to authorise the construction of Works for the supply of Water to the Coolgardie Goldfields.
„ „ 20	„ 28	An Act to further amend the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act, 1896.
„ „ 21	„ 28	An Act to amend the Police Act, 1892.
„ „ 22	„ 28	An Act to amend the Metropolitan Water Works Board Act, 1896.
„ „ 23	„ 28	An Act to amend the Marriage Act, 1894.
„ „ 24	„ 28	An Act to consolidate and amend certain Acts relating to Public Health, and to enlarge the powers of Boards of Health.
„ „ 25	„ 28	An Act to amend the Cemeteries Act, 1897.
„ „ 26	„ 28	An Act to further amend the Municipal Institutions Act, 1895.
„ „ 27	„ 28	An Act to prevent the introduction into Western Australia of Diseases affecting Orchards and Gardens, and to provide for the eradication of such Diseases, and to prevent the spread thereof.
„ „ 28	„ 28	An Act to amend the Companies Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1897.
„ „ 29	„ 28	An Act to permit Mining on Private Property.
„ „ 30	„ 28	An Act for consolidating enactments relating to the construction of Acts of Parliament, and for further shortening the Language used in Acts of Parliament.
„ „ 31	„ 28	An Act to render valid a General Rate made by the Municipality of Coolgardie for the current year.
„ „ 32	„ 28	An Act for the Establishment of Zoological and Acclimatisation Gardens at South Perth.
„ „ 33	„ 28	An Act to authorise the closing of portions of South Terrace, and Market Street, Fremantle.
„ „ 34	„ 28	An Act to amend the Wines, Beer, and Spirit Sale Act, 1880, Amendment Act, 1893.
„ „ 35	„ 28	An Act to make better provision for securing the payment of Workmen's Wages.
„ „ 36	„ 28	An Act for limiting the hours of business in shops.
„ „ 37	„ 28	An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Sale, Occupation, and Management of Crown Lands, and for other purposes.

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No. 12.—*Proclamations by the Governor in Council gazetted during 1898.*

Date of Proclamation.			Substance.	Date when gazetted.
1898.		C.S.O. No.		1898.
January	25	7499	Declaring the Population of Victoria Park to be over 1,000	January 28
February	4	7510	Declaring the 9th February a Bank Holiday at Albany	February 4
„	16	7521	Proclaiming the extension of the boundaries of Bulong Municipality	February 25
„	19	7523	Proclaiming 17th March a Bank Holiday at Geraldton	February 25
„	16	7522	Proclaiming a temporary Quarantine Station for Stock at Drakesbrook	February 25
„	19	7524	Proclaiming 2nd March a Bank Holiday at Kalgoorlie	February 25
„	26	7531	Proclaiming 10th March a Bank Holiday at Coolgardie	March 4
March	3	7540	Proclaiming 8th March a Bank Holiday at Kanowna	March 4
„	8	7545	Proclaiming 23rd and 25th March Bank Holidays at Menzies	March 11
„	8	7546	Proclaiming 23rd March a Bank Holiday at Northam	March 11
„	3	7543	Extending the provisions of "The Sharks Bay Pearl Shell Fishery Act, 1892," to other places	March 11
„	9	7550	Proclaiming the extension of the boundaries of Mount Magnet Municipality	March 18
„	31	7566	Proclaiming 12th April a Bank Holiday throughout the Colony	April 1
„	28	7560	Declaring that "The Aborigines Act, 1897," shall come into force on 28th March	April 1
April	4	7573	Declaring certain places in the City of Perth to be legal landing places for lading and unlading goods, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	April 15
„	15	7580	Proclaiming 22nd April a Bank Holiday at Bunbury	April 15
„	20	7584	Declaring Parliament further prorogued from 4th May to 25th May	April 22
„	25	7596	Declaring the neutrality of Great Britain in the war between Spain and the United States of America under "An Act to regulate the conduct of Her Majesty's subjects during the existence of hostilities between Foreign States with which Her Majesty is at peace"	April 25
„	20	7603	Resuming Land in Murray Locations Nos. 152 and 45 for an approach to Coolup Bridge, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	May 6
„	20	7604	Revesting Albany Town Lots Nos. 400 and 401 in Her Majesty	May 6
May	4	7609	Proclaiming the 6th and 9th May Bank Holidays at Esperance and Norseman	May 6
„	18	7634	Parliament summoned to meet for business on the 16th day of June	May 20
„	17	7630	Proclaiming 26th May a Bank Holiday at Roebourne and Cossack	May 20
„	26	7651	Declaring all Birds on the Abrolhos Islands to be strictly preserved under "The Game Act, 1892"	June 10
June	2	7653	Altering the boundaries of Broad Arrow Municipality, under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	June 10
May	26	7652	Proclaiming a Quarantine Ground at the Port of Champion Bay, under "The Quarantine Ordinance, 1868"	June 10
June	15	7672	Declaring Claremont a Municipality, under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	June 17
„	15	7673	Altering the boundaries of East Fremantle Municipality	June 17
„	8	7668	Revesting Nelson Locations Nos. 9, 11, and 156, and parts of Locations Nos. 99 and 168, in Her Majesty	June 17
„	22	7681	Establishing a Local Court at Niagara	June 24
„	22	7682	Establishing a Local Court at Yerilla	June 24
„	22	7683	Declaring Magisterial District at Northam, and the boundaries of the Victoria, York, and Toodyay Magisterial Districts amended	June 24
July	27	7724	Defining the boundaries of the following Educational Districts:—Perth, West Perth, Fremantle, North Fremantle, Swan, Canning, Jarrahdale, Murray, and Gingin	August 5
August	8	7734	Proclaiming 11th August a Bank Holiday at Coolgardie	August 8
„	8	7735	Proclaiming 18th August a Bank Holiday at Kalgoorlie	August 8
„	3	7737	Strictly preserving all Birds on portions of the Swan, Helena, and Canning Rivers, under "The Game Act, 1892"	August 12
„	10	7741	Altering the Boundaries of Victoria Park Municipality, under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	August 12
„	17	7747	Proclaiming Melville Park Jetty in the City of Perth a legal landing place for lading and unlading goods, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	August 19
„	17	7758	Proclaiming 1st September a Bank Holiday at Menzies	August 26
„	24	7764	Renaming certain streets within the Municipality of Guildford	September 2
„	31	7772	Revesting Perth Town Lot L69, and Perth Suburban Lot b, in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	September 9
Sept.	10	7783	Proclaiming 14th September a Bank Holiday at Geraldton	September 13
„	14	7789	Revesting Pingelly Town Lot 368 (formerly P80) in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	September 23
„	22	7800	Proclaiming 28th September a Bank Holiday at Kalgoorlie	September 23
„	19	7790	Proclaiming 5th October a Bank Holiday at Northam	September 23
„	22	7795	Proclaiming 12th October a Bank Holiday at Geraldton and Dongara	September 23
„	28	7804	Revesting Avon Locations 1 and 15 in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	September 30
„	28	7806	Revesting West Australian Land Company's Katanning Town Lots 149A and 150A in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	September 30
„	28	7807	Revesting Perth Suburban Lot 419 in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	September 30
„	28	7808	Proclaiming 14th October a Bank Holiday at Nannine	September 30
„	28	7809	Revesting Albany Town Lot 96 in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	September 30
„	28	7817	Resuming Land in Leschenault Location 1 in connection with the Bunbury Harbour Works, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	October 7

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No. 12.—*Proclamations by the Governor in Council gazetted during 1898*—continued.

Date of Proclamation.	C.S.O. No.	Substance.	Date when gazetted.
1898.			1898.
October 3	7820	Proclaiming 20th October a Bank Holiday at Newcastle	October 7
" 28	7818	Proclaiming the South-Western Division of the Colony a district under "The Steam Boilers Act, 1897"	October 7
" 6	7820	Proclaiming 13th October a Bank Holiday at York and Beverley	October 7
" 6	7821	Revesting Avon Locations 61 (part of), 18, 77, N1 (part of), N1 (No. 4), 1097, 1703, 2153, 2152, 2151, 2150, 2115, 2111, 2110, 2103, 2104, 2016, 2109, 2018, 2017, 2112, 2114, and 2113 in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	October 14
" 12	7827	Revesting Cranbrook Town Lot 5A and Broome Hill Town Lots 39J, 40J, 41J, and 42J (late W.A. Land Company's Townsites) in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	October 14
" 11	7823	Proclaiming 19th October a Bank Holiday at Roebourne and Cossack	October 14
" 6	7822	Proclaiming 19th October a Bank Holiday at Coolgardie, and at all other towns October 21st	October 14
" 19	7832	Declaring the population of Coolgardie to be over 5,000, and dividing the Municipality into Wards, under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	October 21
" 19	7833	Altering the Boundaries of Coolgardie Municipality, under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	October 21
" 20	7834	Proclaiming 28th October a Bank Holiday at Albany	October 21
" 14	7829	Proclaiming 27th October a Bank Holiday at Cue	October 21
" 19	7835	Appointing His Honour Sir Alexander Campbell Onslow Deputy Governor, during the temporary absence of His Excellency the Governor from the Colony	October 22
November 1	7843	Proclaiming 18th November a Bank Holiday at Bunbury...	November 4
October 26	7841	Proclaiming Port Broome a legal landing place for the lading and unlading of goods, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	November 4
" 26	7852	Proclaiming and defining an area within which Sandalwood Trees shall not be cut or grubbed for a period of two years, under "The Sandalwood Act, 1881"	November 11
Nov. 17	7862	Declaring that all arrears of rates due to the Claremont District Roads Board shall be payable to the Municipal Council of Claremont, under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	November 18
" 10	7853	Revesting portion of Wellington Location 50A (being the Western moiety of sub-divisional Lot 3X, Section B) in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	November 18
" 10	7854	Revesting Perth Suburban Lot 329 in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	November 18
" 16	7858	Proclaiming the following Goldfields, viz.:—Murchison, East Murchison, Peak Hill, Yalgoo, North Coolgardie, Mount Margaret, North-East Coolgardie, Broad Arrow, East Coolgardie, Coolgardie, Yilgarn, and Dundas, Districts under "The Steam Boilers' Act, 1897"	November 18
" 16	7863	Revesting Avon Locations 124 and 672 in Her Majesty, under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	November 25
December 1	7872	Proclaiming 8th December a Bank Holiday at Geraldton	December 2
Nov. 25	7870	Proclaiming 8th December a Bank Holiday at Dongara	December 2
" 23	7869	Declaring closure of the Old Cemetery at Southern Cross	December 2
" 30	7874	Proclaiming that the Katanning, Kojonup and Wagin Local Courts shall be situated in the Katanning Magisterial District, in lieu of the Williams Magisterial District	December 9
" 30	7875	Declaring the Magisterial District of Katanning, and amending the boundaries of the Williams, York, Wellington, Blackwood, Plantagenet, Dundas, and Yilgarn Magisterial Districts, under "The Magisterial Districts Act, 1886."	December 9
December 7	7880	Altering the boundaries of the Municipality of Kanowna under "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1895"	December 9
" 7	7881	Proclaiming 24th and 27th December, 1898, and 3rd January, 1899, Bank Holidays throughout the Colony	December 9
" 7	7882	Revesting portion of Swan Location 7 in Her Majesty under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	December 16
" 7	7883	Revesting Kalgoorlie Town Lot 198 in Her Majesty under "The Transfer of Land Act, 1893, Amendment Act, 1896"	December 16
" 21	7893	Declaring the Closure of the Cemetery at Bulong	December 23
" 21	7894	Appointing reserves for Public Cemeteries in various towns and places throughout the Colony under "The Cemeteries Act, 1897"	December 23
" 21	7895	Declaring Port Hedland a Port of the Colony but not a Warehousing Port, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	December 23
" 21	7902	Proclaiming Rules and Regulations to be observed in all the Ports and Harbours of the Colony	December 23
" 14	7903	Re-naming portion of Perth–Fremantle Road within Claremont Municipality	December 30

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No. 13.—*Orders by the Governor in Council gazetted during 1898.*

Date of Order in Council.			Substance.	Date when gazetted.
1898.		C.S.O. No.		1898.
January	4	$\frac{3987}{97}$	Extending Public Health Acts to Subiaco Municipality, under "The Public Health Act, 1886"	January 7
,,	4	$\frac{3588}{97}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Red Hill, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	January 7
,,	12	...	Rebate of Duty on Fire Brigade Appliances, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	January 14
,,	12	...	Stock Regulation, under "The Stock Diseases Act, 1895," declaring the whole of the Kimberley District East of 127th meridian of longitude infected with the Cattle Tick	January 21
,,	19	$\frac{156}{98}$	Rebate of Duty on Brushware, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	January 21
,,	19	...	Applying "The Mines Regulation Act, 1895," to the whole of the Mount Margaret Goldfield from and after the 1st of February, 1898	January 21
,,	25	...	Declaring the Yilgarn, Coolgardie, North Coolgardie, East Coolgardie, North-East Coolgardie, Broad Arrow, and Mount Margaret Goldfields as a State Forest, under Clause 99 of the Land Regulations, 1897	February 18
,,	19	$\frac{8940}{97}$	Resumption of Land for a Post Office at Greenhills, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	February 18
March	3	$\frac{207}{95}$	Resumption of Lands for the purpose of opening certain Roads at Cue, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	March 11
April	27	$\frac{576}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Donnybrook, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	April 29
,,	27	$\frac{596}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Paynesville (East Mount Magnet), under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	May 6
May	4	...	Applying "The Mines Regulation Act, 1895," to the whole of the Pilbarra and West Pilbarra Goldfields from and after the 1st of May, 1898	May 6
,,	11	$\frac{355}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Woodarra, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	May 13
,,	11	$\frac{3990}{95}$	Resumption of Lands for a Place of Public Recreation near Bunbury, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	May 13
,,	11	$\frac{4039}{98}$	Regulating the Carriage of Live Stock from East Kimberley, under "The Stock Diseases Act, 1895"	May 13
,,	11	$\frac{2992}{96}$	Extending the Area of the Local Board of Health at Bardoc, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	May 13
,,	11	$\frac{1171}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Bridgetown, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	May 13
,,	18	$\frac{3565}{98}$	Resumption of Lands incidental to the Construction of a Reservoir at Helena Vale, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	May 20
,,	26	$\frac{1788}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Wagin, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	June 3
,,	26	$\frac{1881}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Katanning, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	June 3
,,	26	$\frac{885}{97}$	Extending the area of the Local Board of Health at Leonora, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	June 3
,,	26	$\frac{2297}{98}$	Applying "The Mines Regulation Act, 1895," to the whole of the Yilgarn, Coolgardie, and North Coolgardie Goldfields	June 3
June	2	$\frac{1193}{98}$	Appointing a local Board of Health at Wyndham, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	June 10
,,	8	$\frac{4482}{95}$	Resuming lands for the purpose of diverting the Perth-Fremantle Road, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	June 10
,,	30	$\frac{1006}{97}$	Extending the area of the Local Board of Health at Cookernup, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	July 8
,,	30	...	Appointing a local Board of Health at Golden Valley, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	July 8
,,	30	$\frac{4065}{97}$	Resumption of lands for a place of public recreation at York, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	July 8
,,	30	...	Applying "The Mines Regulation Act, 1895," to the whole of the Broad Arrow and North-East Coolgardie Goldfields from and after the 1st day of July	July 8
July	13	...	Regulating as to the composition, importation, manufacture and sale of certain explosives, under "The Explosives Act, 1895"	July 15
,,	13	...	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Mundaring, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	July 15
,,	13	...	Exempting from Duty Fungicides and Insecticides used in the Fruit-growing industry, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	July 15
,,	13	...	Resumption of Lands for the purpose of making an alteration in the Blackwood and Vasse Roads, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	July 22
,,	20	$\frac{1263}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Bonnie Vale, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	July 22
,,	27	$\frac{1644}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health for the localities known as Boranup, Karridale, Hamelin, and Augusta, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	August 5
August	10	$\frac{1806}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Fremantle Roads Board District, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	August 12
,,	10	$\frac{3161}{98}$	Resuming Lands for construction of a Tramway to be used in connection with the building of a Reservoir at Helena Vale, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	August 12
,,	10	$\frac{1927}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Weeloona, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	August 12

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No. 13.—*Orders by the Governor in Council gazetted during 1898*—continued.

Date of Order in Council.			Substance.	Date when gazetted.
		C.S.O. No.		
1898.				1898.
August	10	$\frac{1681}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Field's Find, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	August 12
,,	10	...	Prohibiting the importation of Extracts or Essences of Wines, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	August 19
,,	10	$\frac{3652}{98}$	Prohibiting the importation of refined mineral Oils, which give off inflammable vapours at a temperature below 78 degrees Fahrenheit, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	August 19
,,	17	$\frac{3508}{98}$	Resuming lands for construction of a Tramway to be used in connection with the building of a Reservoir at Helena Vale, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	August 26
,,	17	$\frac{3565}{98}$	Resuming lands for construction of a Tramway to be used in connection with the building of a Reservoir at Helena Vale, under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	August 26
,,	24	$\frac{6952}{97}$	Cancelling the order of the 13th July, resuming lands for the purpose of making an alteration in the Blackwood and Vasse roads	September 2
,,	24	$\frac{833}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Armadale, under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	September 2
Sept.	7	...	Appointing a Local Board of Health at "The Six-Mile," under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	September 9
,,	7	$\frac{4462}{98}$	Rebate of Duty on Fire Brigade Appliances, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	September 9
,,	14	...	Regulations under "The Beer Duty Act, 1898"	September 16
,,	21	$\frac{3565}{98}$	Resuming land for construction of a Tramway to be used in connection with the building of a Reservoir at Helena Vale under "The Lands Resumption Act, 1894"	September 30
,,	7	...	Exempting from duty Argentiferous Lead Ore imported into the Colony for use in the Smelting of Gold ores, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	September 30
Nov.	2	$\frac{1726}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Salgash under "The Public Health Act Further Amendment Act, 1895"	November 4
,,	16	...	Prohibiting the introduction of Imported Stock into this Colony except in conformity with the Regulations made under "The Stock Diseases Act, 1897"	November 25
,,	23	$\frac{817}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Bayswater, under "The Health Act, 1898"	November 25
,,	23	$\frac{2849}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Niagara, under "The Health Act, 1898"	November 25
Dec.	7	$\frac{2985}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Abbott's, under "The Health Act, 1898"	December 16
,,	14	...	Appointing a Local Board of Health at South Perth, under "The Health Act, 1898"	December 16
,,	14	...	Prohibiting the removal of cattle from the whole of the Kimberley District East of the 127th meridian of longitude, except in conformity with the "Regulations" of "The Stock Diseases Act, 1895"	December 16
,,	21	$\frac{1644}{98}$	Appointing a Local Board of Health at Jarrahdene and No. 6 Landing, under "The Health Act, 1898"	December 23

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No. 14.—*Rules and Regulations made by the Governor in Executive Council.*

Date.	C.S.O. No.	Substance.	When gazetted.
1898.			1898.
January 20	7497	Regulations for Government, Industrial, and Reformatory Schools … …	January 21
„ 29	$\frac{271}{98}$	Regulation No. 103, under "The Goldfields Act, 1895" … … … …	January 29
February 16	…	Regulations under "The Elementary Education Act, 1871, Amendment Act, 1893"	February 26
March 4	…	Regulations for Shipment of Ships' Stores, under "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1892"	March 18
January 25	…	Regulations under "The Water Supply Act, 1893" … … … … …	March 18
April 2	…	Amendment to the Goldfields Regulations, clause 103, under "The Goldfields Act, 1895"	April 2
May 16	7629	Amended Rules of the Medical Board, made under the provisions of "The Medical Act, 1894"	May 20
June 2	7649	Regulations relative to persons brought into Western Australia for employment in the Pearl Shell Fisheries, under "The Immigration Restriction Act, 1897"	June 3
Sept. 22	7796	Fees for Certificates, under "The Immigration Restriction Act, 1897" …	September 23
October 13	$\frac{9664}{97}$	Regulations under "The Fishery Act, 1889" … … … … … …	October 14
Nov. 16	…	Regulations under "The Stock Diseases Act, 1895" … … … …	November 25
„ 17	…	Regulations under "The Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs Act, 1895" … …	November 25
„ 23	…	Regulations under "The Mining on Private Property Act, 1898" … …	November 29
„ 16	…	Regulations under "The Local Inscribed Stock Act, 1898"… … … …	November 29
December 16	…	Additional regulations under "The Stock Diseases Act, 1895" … … …	December 16
November 1	$\frac{4773}{98}$	Additions to Regulations 80 and 84 of "The Mineral Lands Act, 1892," relating to mining for diamonds and other precious stones	December 30

No. 15.—*Despatches from the Right Hon. the Secretary of State for the Colonies, and Orders by the Queen in Council.*

Date of the Law, etc.	C.S.O. No.	Substance.	Date when gazetted.
			1898.
	7480	Assenting to the following Acts of the Parliament of Western Australia:— "An Act to amend the Act of the 57th Vict., No. 2, authorising the issue of Treasury Bills" "An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and from moneys to the credit of the General Loan Fund the sum of £850,000 to the service of the year ending 30th June, 1898" "An Act for the Election of a Representative of Western Australia in the Convention provided by the Australasian Federation Enabling Act of 1896" "An Act to re-establish the Title of the Hainault Gold Mine, Limited, to the Gold Mining Lease No. 81E"	January 7
1897.			
Dec. 15	7511	Proceedings of the International Copyright Convention, signed at Paris on the 9th of September, 1897	February 11
„ 17	7512	Convention between Great Britain and France relative to Tunis, signed at Paris on the 18th of September, 1897	February 11
Nov. 10	7513	Protocol between Great Britain and Japan respecting Patents, Trade Marks, and Designs, signed at London on the 20th of October, 1897	February 11
Dec. 30	7519	The Exportation of Tallow to Chili, the duty on "fat" in that country increased from 25°/ₒ to 60°/ₒ	February 18
1898.			
February 19	7587	Treaty between Great Britain and Ethiopia, ratified by the Queen on the 28th of July, 1897	February 22
March 1	7619	Provisional Regulations as to the Arrest and Trial of Seamen Deserters in Japan, under the Imperial "Merchant Shipping Act, 1894"	May 13
„ 7	7632	Giving effect to the Additional Act, signed at Paris on the 4th of May, 1896, relating to the creation of an International Union for the protection of Literary and Artistic Works	May 20
May 9	7690	Rules which the United States Government intend to observe during hostilities with Spain, together with a Royal Decree issued by the Spanish Government as to the principles to be observed by that Power during the war, etc.	July 1
„ 30	7713	Confirming the Provisional Order of March 1st, 1898, relating to the Arrest and Trial of Seamen Deserters in Japan, under the Imperial "Merchant Shipping Act, 1894"	July 22
July 22	7714	Assenting to the following Acts of 61 Victoria, 1897, passed by Parliament of Western Australia:—Nos. 6 to 26, inclusive, and Nos. 28 to 36, inclusive; also a Private Act to further amend "The Perth Gas Company's Act, 1886"	July 22
June 10	7722	Extending the operations of the International Copyright Convention of the 7th March, 1898, to the Republic of Hayti	August 1
May 21	7731	Relating to examination papers of colonial nominations for naval cadetships	August 5
November 8	7904	Relating to examination and age limits for entry of engineer students in H.M. Navy	December 30

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No. 16.—*Other Despatches.*

Date of the Law, etc.		Substance.	Date when gazetted.
1898. June 18	7730	Extending the jurisdiction of the "Western Pacific High Commission to Pitcairn Island	1898. August 5
Nov. 16	7886	Summoning the Federal Council of Australasia to meet at Melbourne on the 24th of January, 1899	December 16

No. 17.—*Proclamations by Her Majesty the Queen.*

Date.	C.S.O. No.	Substance.	Date when gazetted.
			1898.
Oct. 13, 1897	7705	Establishing a Branch of the Royal Mint at Perth, to come into force six months from date (13th October, 1897)	July 8
Mar. 7, 1898	7705	Extending the time of above to nine months from the 13th October, 1897	July 8

VI.—PUBLICATIONS.

No. 18.—*List of Newspapers in course of publication in Western Australia on 31st December, 1898.* *(Return supplied by Librarian, Victoria Public Library.)*

No.	Name.	Published at	Issued on	Price.
1.	Albany Advertiser	Albany	Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday	1d.
2.	Broad Arrow Standard	Broad Arrow	Saturday	3d.
3.	Bunbury Herald	Bunbury	Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday	1d.
4.	Clare's Weekly	Perth	Saturday	3d.
5.	Coolgardie Miner	Coolgardie	Daily	2d.
6.	Coolgardie Pioneer	do.	Saturday	6d.
7.	Daily News	Perth	Daily	1d.
8.	Eastern Districts Chronicle	York	Saturday	4d.
9.	*Evening Star	Boulder City	Daily	1d.
10.	Geraldton Advertiser	Geraldton	Monday, Wednesday, and Friday	2d.
11.	Geraldton Express	do.	Friday	6d.
12.	Government Gazette	Perth	do.	5s. per annum.
13.	Inquirer and Commercial News	do.	do.	6d.
14.	Kalgoorlie Miner	Kalgoorlie	Daily	1d.
15.	Malcolm Chronicle	Malcolm	Friday	6d.
16.	Menzies Miner	Menzies	Saturday	6d.
17.	Morning Herald	Perth	Daily	1d.
18.	Mount Magnet Miner	Mt. Magnet	Saturday	3d.
19.	*Murchison Advocate	Cue	do.	3d.
20.	Murchison Times	do.	Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday	3d.
21.	*Norseman Times	Norseman	Wednesday and Saturday	3d.
22.	North Coolgardie Herald	Menzies	Daily	1d.
23.	Northam Advertiser	Northam	Wednesday and Saturday	2d.
24.	Northern Public Opinion	Roebourne	Saturday	6d.
25.	Pilbarra Goldfields News	Marble Bar	Friday	6d.
26.	Southern Times	Bunbury	Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday	1d.
27.	*Sun, The	Kalgoorlie	Sunday	3d.
28.	Sunday Chronicle	Perth	do.	2d.
29.	Sunday Times	do.	do.	3d.
30.	Umpire, The	Fremantle	Saturday	1d.
31.	W.A. Record	Perth	do.	3d.
32.	War Cry	do.	Wednesday	1d.
33.	West Australian	do.	Daily	1d.
34.	West Australian Church News	do.	Monthly	3d.
35.	*W.A. Freemasons' Magazine	do.	do.	6d.
36.	West Australian Racing Calendar	do.	do.	6d.
37.	West Australian Wheelman	do.	Friday	1d.
38.	Western Argus	Kalgoorlie	Thursday	6d.
39.	Western Mail	Perth	Friday	6d.

* Commenced publication during 1898.

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No. 19.—*Return of Towns possessing Newspapers at the end of 1898, and of the number published in each.*

	Albany.	Boulder City.	Broad Arrow.	Bunbury.	Coolgardie.	Cue.	Fremantle.	Geraldton.	Kalgoorlie.	Malcolm.	Marble Bar.	Menzies.	Mt. Magnet.	Norseman.	Northam.	Perth.	Roebourne.	York.	Total.
All Newspapers	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	15	1	1	39
Dailies	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	7

No. 20.—*List of Newspapers which ceased publication during the year ended 31st December, 1898.*

	Name.	Published at
1	Bulong Bulletin	Bulong
2	Esperance Chronicle	Esperance
3	Esperance Times	Do.
4	*Exchange and Mart	Perth
5	Golden Age	Coolgardie
6	Goldfields Morning Chronicle	do.
7	Helena Vale and Guildford Advertiser	Guildford
8	Journal of the Bureau of Agriculture (re-issued as the Producers' Gazette, etc.)	Perth
9	Kalgoorlie and Boulder Standard	Kalgoorlie
10	Menzies Weekly Times (incorporated with the Menzies Miner)	Menzies
11	Miner, The (incorporated with the Norseman Times)	Norseman
12	*Miners' Daily News (incorporated with the North Coolgardie Herald)	Menzies
13	*Mount Margaret Mercury	Mount Margaret
14	Norseman Pioneer (incorporated with the Norseman Times)	Norseman
15	Northern Mining Register	Mount Magnet
16	Suburban Standard	Subiaco
17	*West Australian Fanciers' World	Perth
18	West Australian Freemason (re-issued as West Australian Freemasons' Magazine)	do.
19	*West Australian Shipping and Trade Gazette	Fremantle
20	*West Australian Sporting Judge (incorporated with West Australian Wheelman)	Perth
21	Western Australian Goldfields' Courier	Coolgardie
22	*Producers' Gazette and Settlers' Record	Perth
23	*Kanowna Herald	Kanowna

* Commenced publication during 1898.

No. 21.—*Decennial Return of the number of Newspapers recorded as having been published in the Colony in each of the years 1889–1898.*

Year.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Number ...	14	14	14	17	18	21	26	33	48	39

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